

## MasterEmaco® S 322

Non shrink, natural aggregate, fibre reinforced flowable repair mortar for marine environment structureand concrete repair.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

MasterEmac S 322 is non-shrink, natural aggregate repair mortar with excellent high early and ultimate strengths. It is specially formulated for marine environment, while providing extended working time even at high ambient temperatures when mixed and placed at any recommended consistency.

MasterEmaco S 322 compensates shrinkage in both plastic and hardened states and meets specification of ASTM C-1107

**MasterEmaco S 322** also has an excellent impermeability against salt water and high durability due to the existence of silica fume.

#### **RECOMMENDED USES**

- All non-shrink repair application in marine environment structure with clearances of 10mm or more including:
- Maintenance of civil structures
- Extensive repair to beams, slab and other structural elements.
- Reinstatement of honeycombed or defective structural concrete
- High slump and good pumpability for formed applications.

## **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- High early strength ensure rapid commissioning of new structures and minimum downtime on repair work
- Flowable long life repair mortar easy to fill intricate spaces normally inaccessible by conventional repair technique.
- Extended working time up to 1.50 hours even at high ambient temperatures. Facilitatesgrouting of large or difficult placements in a single pour, often without the use of a pump.
- Non staining contains no metallic aggregates and is similar in appearance to plain concrete. Suitable for the architectural finishes.
- **Easy to use** requires no special mixing equipment. It can be mixed in a standard concrete mixer or in a pail using grout stirrer.
- Dual expansion systems for controlled expansion – dense and non-shrink, even in the hardened state.

#### **PROPERTIES**

| Supply Form              | Powder      |          |
|--------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Colour                   | Cement grey |          |
| Density (wet) Flowable   | 2.25        |          |
| Plastic                  | 2.28        |          |
| Flow trough (cm)Flowable | 30-50       |          |
| Flowable                 |             |          |
| Compressive strength     | 1 day       | 30 MPa   |
|                          | 3 days      | 50 MPa   |
|                          | 7 days      | 60 MPa   |
|                          | 28 days     | 70 MPa   |
| Flexural strength        | 28 days     | 10.5 MPa |
| Tensile strength         | 28 days     | 5.5 MPa  |
| Estimate setting time    | Initial     | 5hrs     |
|                          | Final       | 6 hrs    |

## **APPLICATION**

#### Surface preparation

The substrates should be properly prepared and should be free from contamination, laitance and loose material. Thoroughly saturate the substrate with water at least 2-3 hours prior to pouring the grout. All free water ponding should be blown out of the void just before pouring the grout.

As for all cementitious materials curing is essential to prevent rapid drying out of the grout and shrinkage caused by the water loss. Curing shouldbe effected by accepted methods such as curing compound, polythene sheet, wet hessian or water ponding.

### Mixing

**MasterEmaco S 322** is supplied in a ready to use form requiring the addition of water only. DO NOTadd cement, sand, pea gravel or other materials. DO NOT use hardened or lumpy grout caused by torn or water-damaged bags.

Mix with drinkable water only. DO NOT MIX BY HAND. For small quantities use a grout stirrer and slow speed electric drill, adding all mixing water to empty pail, then add dry grout in a steady stream while mixing. Continue mixing for approximately 2 minutes.



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For larger quantities a paddle type mortar mixer is preferred. Add 80% or mixing water first, then dry grout to form a stiff consistency. Continue mixing atthis consistency for about 1 minute. Add remainder of water steadily until desired consistency is achieved. Total mix time should be 4 to 5 minutes.

Do not use excess water. Discard any grout that has been left so long it has stiffened. Do not re-temper

#### Placing

**MasterEmaco S 322** has been formulated for placing by pouring or pumping to required thickness. Its extended working life properties allow sufficient time for placement to be competed without problems.

## **ESTIMATING DATA**

A 25 kg bag of **MasterEmaco S 322**, when mixed in accordance with Master Builders Solutions recommended procedures, will provide the following yields:

| Types           | Water      | Yield       |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| Normal          | 4.2 litres | 13 litres   |
| With Pea Gravel | 3.4 litres | 12.6 litres |

#### **PACKAGING**

MasterEmaco S 322 is supplied in 25kg bag

#### **SHELF LIFE**

**MasterEmaco S 322** has a shelf life of 6 months. Store out of direct sunlight, clear of the ground on pallets protected from rainfall.

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

For the full health and safety hazard information and how to safely handle and use this product, please make sure that you obtain a copy of the Master Builders Solutions Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) from our officeor our website.

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