

Asplit™ Special Mortar

SELECTION & SPECIFICATION DATA

Type

Quartz filled phenolic mortar

Description

Asplit Special Mortar is a 2-component mortar used to bond and bed acid resistant brick in chemical environments. F/P Mortar Accelerator may be added to speed cure in cool temperatures.

Uses

Bond and bed acid resistant brick linings used in:

- · Process vessels Alum digesters
- Pickling tanks
- Flooring
- Sumps
- **Trenches**
- Secondary containment

Features

- High temperature resistance
- Resistant to strong acids including sulfuric acid
- Resistant to solvents, weak oxidizers and alkalis
- Excellent adhesion to brick and tile surfaces
- Electrically non-conductive
- Compatible with lead-membrane
- Creamy consistency
- Low shrinkage

Limitations

Not resistant to fluorides, strong oxidizers or alkalis. Not for use beyond its chemical resistance or thermal capabilities. Consult ErgonArmor with specific questions.

INSTALLATION GUIDANCE

Reference **Specifications** CES-358

ErgonArmor Specification for Brick

Mortar Mixing

Installation **Conditions**

Asplit Special Mortar is formulated for ideal handling at 70°F (21°C). For temperatures between 35°F (2°C) and 50°F (10°C), add F/P

Mortar Accelerator to speed cure.

1 part resin: 3.5 parts powder by weight Ratio

> Powder loading may be adjusted slightly to suit individual bricklayer handling preferences.

To speed cure in cool temperatures, add 1 part F/P Accelerator: 20-25 parts resin (4-5% by

Mixing Pour resin into clean, dry mixing vessel. Slowly

add powder to resin at specified ratio and mix until powder is thoroughly wetted.

To speed cure in cool temperatures, add accelerator to mixed mortar at specified ratio. Never add accelerator directly to resin as it may

produce a violent reaction.

40 - 75 minutes at 50°F (10°C) **Work Life**

25 - 40 minutes at 70°F (21°C) 10 - 20 minutes at 90°F (32°C)

Above results are without F/P Mortar Accelerator. Consult ErgonArmor for information on the effect

of accelerator on work life and set time.

Work life is shorter at higher temperatures. A larger volume of mixed material will have a shorter work life than a smaller volume.

Cleanup MEK

CURE TIME

Temperature Initial Set Full Cure 70°F (21°C) 1.5 - 3 hours 72 hours

SAFETY

Safety

Mixes and applications of this product present a number of hazards. Read and follow the hazard information, precautions and first aid directions on the individual product labels and safety data

sheets before using.

Ventilation

Provide thorough air circulation during and after application until the material has cured when

used in enclosed areas.



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PACKAGING, ESTIMATING & HANDLING

Product	Code	Packaging
Asplit Phenolic Resin	19532	48 lb (21.8 kg) pail
Asplit Phenolic Powder-Special	19535	56 lb (25.4 kg) bag
F/P Mortar Accelerator	22179	45 lb (20.4 kg) pail

A 1.93 cubic foot (216 lb or 98 kg) unit consists of 1 x 48 lb (21.8 kg) pail of resin and 3×56 lb (25.4 kg) bags of powder.

A 45 lb (20.4 kg) pail of accelerator is sufficient for 20-25 pails of resin.

Theoretical Coverage Consumption will vary based on brick size and joint width. Consult estimating guide CES-145.

Storage & Shelf Life Maintain products in original packaging and sealed until ready for use. Estimated resin and powder shelf life is 4-6 months when stored in a dry area at 70°F (21°C). For maximum shelf life, store resin at 40°F (4°C). Estimated accelerator shelf life is 2 years. Actual shelf life may vary with storage conditions.

If there is any question with respect to the quality of the components, check reactivity prior to use. For assistance consult with ErgonArmor.

TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Typical Value
Color	Sand, black when cured
Density, ASTM C138	112 lb/ft³ (1,794 kg/m³)
Compressive strength, ASTM C579, 7-day	>5,750 psi (40 MPa)
Tensile strength, ASTM C307, 7-day	>550 psi (3.8 MPa)
Flexural strength, ASTM C453	>1,000 psi (6.9 MPa)
Absorption, ASTM C413	0.9%
Maximum service temperature	375°F (190°C)

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