

# RESBUILD MP RESIN

# **Description**

Resbuild MP resin is a multi-purpose, 2 component, solvent free Epoxy resin which may be used on site to blend primers, screeds, repair mortars and sealers for concrete or steel substrates.

The product has excellent adhesion and very good chemical resistance, and is supplied as a convenient 2:1 volume mix.

### **Typical Uses**

As a primer for concrete.

As an adhesive for bonding new to old concrete e.g. resin bonding new floor toppings to old concrete.

As a protective treatment to exposed steel re-enforcement during concrete repair.

As a binder for on site blending with graded Quartz or Silica Sand to produce mortars, screeds or coving mixes. As a clear sealer.

#### **Advantages**

- a) Solvent free, low odour
- b) Excellent adhesion to concrete and steel
- c) Impervious to water
- d) Low viscosity, easily applied
- e) May be applied to cool, damp surfaces
- f) Versatile
- g) Very good chemical resistance
- h) 2:1 volume mix (Base/Curing Agent)

## **Typical Properties**

Viscosity: 400 cps @ 20°C Pot life @ 20°C: 40 Minutes Pot life @ 10°C: 80 minutes

Colour: Pale yellow liquid of low odour Adhesion to concrete: 3.8MPa (concrete failure)

## **Packaging**

Resbuild MP Resin is supplied in 75kg packs consisting of 2 units of Base and 1 unit of Curing Agent.

### **Procedure**

## **Surface Preparation**

- Concrete surfaces shall be a minimum of 21 days old and/or the residual moisture content shall be below 6%. Ensure that the concrete is clean and free from dust, laitance, grease, oil, curing compound, and existing paint finishes etc. Suitable mechanical treatment such as vacuum grit blasting or mechanical scabbling is recommended to ensure the removal of contaminants and to provide a mechanical 'key'.
- Steel reinforcement shall be abraded, wirebrushed etc. to remove all traces of rust. Priming should immediately follow preparation to obviate the possibility of flash rusting.

### **Mixing**

Pour one volume of the CURING AGENT and two volumes of BASE into a mixing vessel and thoroughly mix, preferably by mechanical means until a uniform colour is achieved.

Where a mortar or screed is required, incorporate an appropriate graded aggregate. (Please contact our Technical Department for recommendations).

## **Application**

- As a primer: apply by brush or roller at a nominal rate of 0.15 to 0.30kg/m². Ensure that the surface is thoroughly wetted out.
- As a mortar or screed: place the mix onto the primed surface, compact and rule to level and finish with a steel float.
- As a sealer: allow the screed or mortar to cure overnight. Spread the sealing coat using a double edged squeegee and back roller using a short pile lambswool roller to remove excess. Apply at a nominal rate of 0.2-0.3kg/m².
  Additional coats may be necessary, depending upon the porosity of the substrate.

Note: Sealing is not always required, but preferable in hygienic environments such as food factories, pharmaceutical plants, etc.

An appropriate slip resistant additive may be incorporated, if required.

### **Equipment Cleaning**

Clean equipment with Resbuild Toolclean immediately after use.

## **Curing**

Touch dry after 6 hours @20°C Hard dry after 12 hours @ 20°C



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## Storage and Shelf Life

Store in dry conditions, out of direct sunlight, at temperatures between 10°C and 25°C. Do not expose to freezing conditions. Resbuild MP Resin has a minimum shelf life of 12 months when stored in original, unopened containers in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

### Coverage

- a. As a primer: 3.3-6.7m²/kg depending on surface texture.
- b. As a screed: typical ratio is 7.5:1 w/w Aggregate/mixed resin
- c. As a mortar: typical ratio is 5.5:1 w/w Aggregate/mixed resin

Please refer to our Technical Section for advice as to Aggregate composition.

## **Limitations**

Do not apply to wet or uncured concrete surfaces. Do not apply to temperatures below 3C.

#### **Health and Safety**

Avoid contact of the material with skin and eyes. Wear gloves and goggles. Wash off splashes immediately with soap and water.

Any eye contamination must be rapidly irrigated with copious amounts of clean water, and immediate medical attention sought.

Please refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for additional information

Resbuild MP Resin shall be applied strictly in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions

For specific advice regarding any aspect of this product, please consult our Technical Department.

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