

# **High Strength Precision Grout**

#### 1. PRODUCT NAME

ProSpec® High Strength Precision Grout

#### 2. MANUFACTURER

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#### 3. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

ProSpec® High Strength Precision Grout is a specially formulated, ready to use, high strength, flowable precision grout.

#### **Features and Benefits**

- Interior/exterior
- Can be pumped into areas inaccessible by conventional grouting methods
- Combines high fluidity, excellent working time and early strength build insuring quick job start ups, thereby reducing costs
- · High initial and ultimate flexural and compressive strengths
- Non-porous, high density grout resistant to water and salt penetration and damage from freeze/thaw cycles
- Non-shrink, high fluidity and controlled expansion provide full load bearing coverage
- · Non-metallic, non-staining and non-corrosive
- Contains no chlorides or other salts detrimental to reinforcing steel
- Can be extended with proper aggregate by up to 50%
- Conforms to CRD-C621 Corps of Engineers Specification for Non-Shrink Grout and ASTM C-1107

#### Uses

- Precision grouting of machinery bases sole plates, rolling mills, generators, anchor bolts, transfer lines, paper mills and structural grouting of precast columns, crane rails, bridge seats, dowels, etc.
- Grouting applications where shrinkage must be eliminated and corrosion and staining cannot be accepted

Note: To repair voids in concrete due to improper consolidation, use RubCrete or BlendCrete. See respective product Technical Data Sheet for more information.

#### **SAFETY**

READ THE SAFETY DATA SHEET (SDS) BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT. SDS Sheets are available on our website prospec.com or contact Medical Emergency Phone Number (24 Hours): 1-888-853-1758, Transport Emergency Phone Number (CHEMTREC): 1-800-424-9300 or contact ProSpec® Technical Services at 800-832-9023 (7:00AM to 5:00PM M-F, Central US Time).

#### CAUTIONS

Read complete cautionary information printed on product container prior to use. For medical emergency information, call 1-888-853-1758.

This Product Data Sheet has been prepared in good faith on the basis of information available at the time of publication. It is intended to provide users with information about and guidelines for the proper use and application of the covered ProSpec® brand product(s) under normal environmental and working conditions. Because each project is different, H.B. Fuller Construction Products Inc. cannot be responsible for the consequences of variations in such conditions, or for unforeseen conditions.

# 4. TECHNICAL DATA

Mixing Water per 50 lb/22.7 kg	3.7 qt (3.5 L)	4.0 qt (3.8 L)	4.5 qt (4.3 L)
Flow	120 - 125%	125 - 140%	20 - 30 seconds

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	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid
Initial Set	5 hrs	6 hrs	6.5 hrs
Final Set	5.75 hrs	7 hrs	7.5 hrs

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	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid	Requirements		
24 hours	6,000 psi (41.4 MPa)	5,500 psi (38.0 MPa)	4,000 psi (27.6 MPa)	1,000 min.		
3 days	7,200 psi (49.7 MPa)	7,000 psi (48.2 MPa)	6,100 psi (42.1 MPa)	2,500 min.		
7 days	8,500 psi (58.6 MPa)	8,500 psi (58.6 MPa)	7,500 psi (51.8 MPa)	3,500 min.		
28 days	10,500 psi (72.5 MPa)	10,000 psi (69.0 MPa)	9,000 psi (62.1 MPa)	5,000 min.		

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	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid	Requirements
24 hour expansion	+0.04%	+0.01%	+0.00%	+0.02% to 0.3%
3 day expansion	+0.04%	+0.02%	+0.00%	+0.02% to 0.3%
28 day expansion	+0.06%	+0.03%	+0.00%	+0.02% to 0.3%
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Average Change in Height at Final Set	0.55%	1.49%	1.23%	0 to 4.0%

Note: Test results obtained under controlled laboratory conditions at 73°F (22.7°C) and 50% relative humidity. More or less water may be required to achieve the desired mixing consistency depending on the atmospheric conditions and job site conditions. Do not exceed 4.5 qt (4.3 L) water per 50 lb (22.7 kg) bag.

# LEED® Eligibility<sup>1</sup>

• Regional Materials (MR-c5)

#### **Product Enhancement**



Expansion Stabilization Technology (EST $^{\text{\tiny{TM}}}$ ) – Special additive designed to reduce the potential for cracking and shrinkage.

# **Packaging**

50 lb (22.7 kg) bag - Product #65510107

#### **Shelf Life**

12 months from the date of manufacture when stored in the original, unopened container under cool, dry conditions and out of direct sunlight.

# 5. INSTALLATION Preparation

All materials should be stored at 40°F (4°C) to 80°F (27°C) 24 hours prior to installation.

- All grout surfaces must be solid, completely free of oil, wax, grease, sealers, paint and other contaminates that may act as a bond breaker.
- Unsound concrete must be chipped away, leaving a rough solid surface insuring bond.
- Prior to grouting, areas should be saturated with water for 12 - 24 hours after which all excess water is removed. This produces a saturated surface dry (SSD) grouting area.
- Forms must be sealed to prevent water or grout escaping and provide for rapid continuous grout placement. When placing provide an angle in the forms high enough to assist in grouting.
- For pouring minimum openings of 3" (76 mm) for entry and 6" (152 mm) for "head" are recommended. Venting must be provided to avoid entrapping air. Forms should be at least 1" (25 mm) higher than the bottom of the base plate.
- Maintain ambient and surface temperatures between 40°F and 95°F. Set times and strength developments are dependent on temperature. Hot temperatures will accelerate physical properties while cold will have a retarding effect.

#### Refer to:

ACI 305 Standard on Hot Weather Concreting ACI 306 Standard on Cold Weather Concreting

Note: It is the responsibility of the installer/applicator to ensure that test areas are performed to determine the suitability of the product for its intended use.

## **Job Mockups**

The manufacturer requires that when its ProSpec® products are used in any application or as part of any system that includes other manufacturers' products, the contractor and/or design professional shall test all the system components collectively for compatibility, performance and long-term intended use in accordance with pertinent and accepted industry standards prior to any construction. Written documentation of the tests performed shall be satisfactory to the design professional and contractor. Test results must include the means and methods of application, products used, project-specific conditions being addressed, and standardized tests performed for each proposed system or variation.

## **Mixing**

#### **Water Requirements**

Desired grout consistency

- Plastic (trowel consistency)
  3.8 qt (3.6 L) of clean potable water per 50 lb bag (22.7 kg)
- Flowable (pumping consistency)
  4.0 qt (3.8 L) of clean potable water per 50 lb bag (22.7 kg)
- **Fluid** (pumping consistency) 4.5\*\* qt (4.3 L) of clean potable water per 50 lb bag (22.7 kg)

Note: The water quantities shown are approximate and may vary slightly with type of equipment and application conditions. Do not overwater.

- Only mix with clean potable water and/or for thicker applications extend with clean SSD 3/8" (9 mm) pea gravel. Addition of cold water at high temperatures or warm water at low temperatures will aid in adjusting the mix temperature.
- Place 3/4 of desired mixing water, start mixer, then slowly add the dry material. After all of the powder has been added, slowly add the remaining 1/4 water until the desired consistency is achieved.
- 3. Avoid adding excessive amounts of water that promotes segregation or bleeding of the grout.
- Mix mechanically with a high torque electric drill, do not exceed 600 rpm using a paddle type mixing blade or an appropriately sized mortar mixer.
- 5. Mix for 3 5 minutes to ensure a uniform lump free consistency and place immediately.

Note: More or less water may be required to achieve a 25 - 30 second flow or the desired mixing consistency depending on the temperature and other variables.

## **Application**

Apply when air and substrate temperature are between 40°F (4°C) and 90°F (32°C).

- 1. Fluid working time 30 minutes at 70°F (21°C).
- 2. Agitate material as necessary within its working time to maintain workability.
- 3. Shut down nearby machinery prior to and during placement.
- 4. Provide vent holes where necessary.
- 5. Pour and place grout from one side of form to eliminate air voids.



<sup>\*\*</sup> Maximum allowable water for mixing. Do not overwater the product.

## **Application (cont.)**

- A vibrator, rod, chain or trowel may be used to assist in consolidating the grout and eliminating air voids. Use a mixer large enough to permit continuous placement before any part of the grout has set.
- Confine grout to ensure minimum surface exposure. Avoid vibration for 24 hours after placement.
- 8. For placements greater than 4" (76 mm), extend the grout with 25 lb (11.3 kg) of washed clean SSD (saturated surface dry) 3/8" (9 mm) graded aggregate per 50 lb (22.7 kg) bag.
- 9. After placement, immediately trim the surfaces and edges with a trowel.
- 10. Minimum application thickness is 1" (25 mm).
- Forms may be removed after grout has hardened to an initial set.

Note: For installation where acids and sulfates are present, a protective coating is required. Protect uncoated aluminum from direct contact with portland cement-based materials.

## **Jobsite Testing:**

Jobsite strength tests must use ASTM C 1107 specifications 2" (51 mm) metal cube molds. DO NOT use cylinder molds or plastic cube molds. Control testing based on achieving the desired flow rather than water content.

# Curing

- Forms may be removed after the grout has hardened to an initial set and retains its shape. This time period will vary according to temperature. At this point final finishing and curing can start.
- The grout should slope downward from baseplates or similar structures at a 45° angle from the lower edge.
- Prevent rapid water loss by covering the exposed grout surfaces with wet burlap during the first 48 hours or apply an acceptable water based cure and seal agent.

# Cleaning

Use water to clean all tools immediately after use. Dried material must be mechanically removed.

#### Limitations

- Do not overwater.
- Do not use in applications of high dynamic loading.
- Do not allow portland cement-based materials to come in direct contact with uncoated aluminum.
- · Do not retemper grout by adding water.
- Do not use as a floor topping or in large areas with an exposed shoulder around base plates.
- Do not add accelerators, retarders, plasticizer or other additives.
- Do not apply in applications thicknesses <1" (25 mm).
- Do not mix more grout than can be placed in 20 minutes.

Note: Proper application and installation of all ProSpec® products are the responsibility of the end user.

#### Coverage

- One 50 lb (22.7 kg) bag yields approximately 0.42 ft³ (0.01 m³) at 4.5 qt (4.3 L) of water.
- One 50 lb (22.7 kg) bag extended with 25 lb (11.3 kg) of washed pea gravel (3/8" (10 mm)) yields approximately 0.58 ft³ (0.02 m³) at 4.5 qt (4.3 L) of water.

### **6. AVAILABILITY**

To locate ProSpec® products in your area, please contact:

Phone: 800-832-9002 Website: prospec.com

#### 7. WARRANTY

For warranty details, see your sales associate or prospec.com

### 8. MAINTENANCE

Not applicable

#### 9. TECHNICAL SERVICES

### **Technical Assistance**

Information is available by calling the Technical Support Hotline.

Toll Free: 800-832-9023 Fax: 630-952-1235

## **Technical and safety literature**

To acquire technical and safety literature, please visit our website at prospec.com

# **10. FILING SYSTEM**

Division 3

<sup>1</sup> ProSpec® products can contribute to LEED® credits within the Material Resource, (Recycled Content & Regional Materials) and Indoor Environmental Quality (Low Emitting Materials).

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