

Kemgrout LD

High Performance Non-Shrink Cementitious Grout

Description	A pourable cement base, non-shrink, hydraulic compound specially formulated for heavy-duty support under machine base plates, cranes, rails ...etc The material is a blend of Portland cement, pre-graded fillers, and additives which impart controlled expansion in the plastic state whilst minimizing water demand. The low water requirements ensure high early strength and long-term durability. The filler grading is designed to aid uniform mixing and minimize. segregation and bleeding Standards: Complies with ASTM C1107 Grade A, ASTM C827, and CRD – C621 Thickness: min.10 mm/ max. 75 mm		
Where to use	Kemgrout LD is used for general-purpose grouting over a wide range of applications, including heavy-duty support under machine base plates, cranes, rails, and stanchion bases. Also performed as anchoring for masts, anchor bolts... etc.		
Advantages	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• It adheres to concrete, mortars, stones steel & iron.• It may be pumped, injected, vibrated, or compacted.• Ready to use pre-packed material that eliminates the possibility of site batching variations.• No metallic filler used which causes staining or deterioration due to rust expansion.• Rapid gain of strength facilitating rapid installation and early operation of the plant.• Excellent mechanical properties and low permeability ensure the long-term performance of the grout.		
Properties			
Flexural strength: BS 4551, 1990 (For flowable consistency at 20 °C), ASTM C 348-95			
Age (days)	Flowable		
7	4 - 5 N/mm ²		
28	10 - 11.0 N/mm ²		
Setting Time At 20 °C			
Liquid Mortar	Initial 7.45 hrs		Final 9 hrs
Elastic Mortar	Initial 90 min		Final 180 min
Compressive strength			
Age (days):	Flowable		Trowable
1	18 N/mm ²		20 N/mm ²
7	30 N/mm ²		35 N/mm ²
28	35 - 40 N/mm ²		45 N/mm ²
Ultimate anchorage bond strength: 40 N/mm ² for concrete after 24 hrs.			
Coefficient of thermal expansion: 11X10-6 °C.			
Thermal conductivity: 1.5 w/m °C			
Density: 2.1 Kg/lit			
Expansion properties: An expansion of 1 - 4%. Compensates for plastic settlement in the unset material.			

Surface Preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concrete surface: Must be free from oil. Grease, or any loosely adhering material. • If the concrete surface is defective or has laitance, it must be cut back to a sound base. • Bolt holes or fixing pockets must be blown clean of any dirt debris. • Steel base plate: All rust traces must be removed either by mechanical means (e.g. abrasives) or by a suitable rust remover. • The undersides and edges of the steel plate should then be cleaned from oil and dirt then protected with Kemkleen to prevent rust formation and ensure bonding with the Kemgrout LD. • Expansion Joints: Shall be installed in accordance with local building codes. • Never bridge an expansion, contraction, or construction joint.
Mixing	<p>The quantity of water required to achieve the desired consistency and volume used should be in accordance with the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flowable grout 3 – 3.25 lit/25 Kg Sack • Trowable grout 2.75 – 3 lit/25 Kg. Sack. • For best results, a mechanically powered grout mixer should be used. • The selected water content should be accurately measured in the mixer. • Slowly add the total contents of the Kemgrout LD sack add and mix continuously for 5 min. ensuring homogeneous consistency.
Application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Saturate the concrete surfaces with clean water prior to applying Kemgrout LD. • Ensure that no free-standing water is present on the surfaces of foundations or in bolt holes. • . Place the grout within 20 min. of mixing to gain the benefit of the expansion process. • Kemgrout LD may be placed in thickness up to 100 mm. in a single pour when used as an under plate grout. • For thicker sections it is necessary to fill out Kemgrout LD with well-graded silt-free aggregates to minimize temperature rise. • High points must be adequately vented to allow entrapped air to escape. • Pouring should be from one side of the void to eliminate the entrapment of air or surplus pre-soaking water. • The grout head must be maintained at all times so that a continuous grout front is achieved. <p>Where large volumes have to be placed Kemgrout LD may be pumped. A heavy-duty diaphragm pump is recommended for this purpose. Screw feed and piston pumps are also suitable.</p>
Specific Application	<p>Grouting under base plates: Use flowable consistency. Grouting anchor bolts: Use trowable consistency. Grouting large volumes: For sections thicker than 100 mm. It is necessary to fill the Kemgrout LD with graded 10 mm. silt-free aggregate to minimize temperature.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The quantity of aggregate should not exceed 1-part aggregate to one part Kemgrout LD by weight. For such mixes, a conventional concrete mixer and pump should be used. • Unrestrained areas of a width exceeding 50mm should be trowelled after two hours from mixing.
Theoretical coverage	2 kg/ m ² / 1mm thick.
Packaging	Kemgrout LD is supplied in 25 kg sacks.
Shelf life & Storage	Kemgrout LD has a shelf life of 12 months if kept in sealed bags in dry places.
Cleaning	Kemgrout LD should be removed from tools and equipment immediately after use with clean water .
Curing	On completion of the grouting operation, exposed areas that are not to be cut back should be thoroughly cured by means of water application, Kemcure , or wet hessian

Health and Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kemgrout HD is non-toxic if comes in contact with skin.• Use gloves to avoid contact with skins.• If skin comes in contact, wash immediately with soap and water.• Eye contamination must be immediately washed with water.• Do not breathe dust, Use a practical mask .
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