

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# Febset 45 Rapid

## RAPID High Strength Repair Mortar

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Febset 45 Rapid is a specially formulated repair mortar, based on magnesia-phosphate cement pre-mixed with selected aggregates, which gives controlled, extremely high early strengths in temperatures ranging from -20 °C up to over +30 °C. Febset 45 Rapid can be modified with 10 mm aggregate for use in depths over 100 mm. Febset 45 Rapid provides a repair material for concrete slabs which reaches an adequate strength for trafficking, or other use, at a very early age. It is also suitable for use as a repair medium at low ambient temperatures. When Febset 45 Rapid is added to the gauging water and mixed, an exothermic chemical reaction commences and a chemical setting process takes place within approximately 15 minutes (at +20 °C). The material hardens to give sufficiently high early strength to receive heavy traffic within a period of less than one hour at +15 to +20 °C.

### USES

For use in concrete repair situations where the minimum delay and work disruption is of the utmost importance.

- Cold store floor areas.
- Roads and nosing's, bridge decks, Quays/crane rails.
- Industrial floor areas, loading bays and warehouses.
- Around fixing bolts.
- Raising and levelling manhole covers, gratings, hydrants etc.

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

<b>Packaging</b>	25 kg Paper Sack.
<b>Appearance / Colour</b>	Grey.
<b>Shelf Life</b>	6 months from date of manufacture when stored in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
<b>Storage Conditions</b>	Store in moderate (+5 to +30 °C), dry conditions.

### CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- High strength at a very early age (45 minutes).
- Minimum delay to traffic and production. When used to repair concrete pavings, it permits early re-opening to traffic - within 45 minutes at +20 °C.
- Ready for use. Only requires the addition of water (see Mixing).
- High bond strength. No secondary bonding agents required.
- Highly durable. Excellent resistance to de-icing salts.
- Can be placed in sub-zero temperatures.
- Non-shrink.

### APPROVALS / STANDARDS

EN1504-3 Class R4.

Density	2200 kg/m <sup>3</sup> .
Compression resistance	1 Hour after placement - 25 N/mm <sup>2</sup> . 2 Hours after placement - 30 N/mm <sup>2</sup> . 24 Hours after placement - 40 N/mm <sup>2</sup> . 28 Days after placement - 52 N/mm <sup>2</sup> . Shrinkage: Zero (shrinkage compensated grade).

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Mixing Ratio	Mix Proportions: Mortar mix (standard): Febset 45 Rapid 25 kg; Water 1.5 L. Concrete mix (large areas > 100 mm deep): Coarse Aggregate 10 kg (max). Water 1.5 L Febset 45 Rapid 25 kg. Small Batches: 60 ml Water per 1 kg Febset 45 Rapid.
Yield	Per 25 kg (mixed as directed): Approximately 11.6 L when mixed as directed. Addition of 10 kg coarse aggregate/25 kg Febset 45 Rapid will increase yield by approximately 30 %.
Layer Thickness	10 mm-100 mm – for greater than 100 mm in depth, a 10 mm single sized coarse aggregate (to EN12620) may be added up to 10 kg per 25 kg of Febset 45 Rapid.
Initial set time	15 minutes at +20 °C. 35 minutes at +8 °C.
Final set time	Approx 45 minutes.

## VALUE BASE

All technical data stated in this Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

## LIMITATIONS

Any aggregate added must not contain chalk, dolomite or other carbonates.

## ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

User must read the most recent corresponding Safety Data Sheets (SDS) before using any products. The SDS provides information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products and contains physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### SUBSTRATE QUALITY / PRE-TREATMENT

All surfaces should be thoroughly sound and uncontaminated by dirt, oil or grease. The minimum thickness of repair should not be less than 10 mm. The boundaries of the repair must be square cut. Under no circumstances should “feather edging” be used.

**Priming:** Although secondary bonding agents are not required, the area to be repaired must be thoroughly pre-wetted with clean water. Care should be taken, however, to ensure that all standing water is removed.

## MIXING

The following sequence must be followed at all times when mixing Febset 45 Rapid:

1. A suitable mixer (i.e. tilting drum) should be located as near as possible to the area of work.
2. The amount to be mixed should never exceed that which can be transported, placed, compacted and finished within ten minutes.
3. Wet down the mixer and drain off the free water.
4. Pour the correctly measured amount of clean water into the mixer first. Do not add the water to Febset 45 Rapid.
5. When adding coarse aggregates, these must be added to the water before the addition of Febset 45 Rapid into the mixer.
6. Empty the full contents of the Febset 45 Rapid bag into the mixer. Minimum mixing time is 1 minute.

**Workability:** Although stiff at the outset, workability will improve as mixing continues, to give the desired flow characteristics. On no account must further water be added. It is also essential that no admixtures are included.

**Placing and Finishing:** Pre-wet the area to be treated and remove surplus water. Always ensure correct compaction and level surface by ruling with a firm, straight edged tamping bar.

**Cold Weather Working:** Below +5 °C down to cold store temperature of -20 °C, pre-warm the mixer and equipment with warm water before batching. The mixing water should be warmed to a temperature of +25 °C to +30 °C.

**Hot Weather Working:** Where the temperature is above +30 °C, the use of chilled water in the mix will extend open time. Keep mixing equipment cool via use of cold water etc.

**Wet Weather Working:** Protect areas for 30 mins minimum via tenting etc.

**Thickness:** The thickness of Febset 45 Rapid should not be less than 10 mm at all times. For depths greater than 100 mm, a 10 mm single sized coarse pre-wetted aggregate, complying with EN12620, may be added up to a rate of 10 kg per 25 kg Febset 45 Rapid.

## CLEANING

Clean all equipment quickly with water, do not allow to set.

## LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for exact product data and uses.

## LEGAL NOTES

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