

# MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928

Cementitious High Strength Non-Shrink Precision Grout

### **Material Description**

MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928 is cement based one part, self compacting non-shrink grout.

Complies with EN 1504-6 and EN 1504-3/R4

# **Areas of Application**

- · Construction of shear wall caps and column caps
- Fixing of pre-cast concrete elements
- · Fixing of the turbines on the foundations
- Fixing of the generators, compressors and pumps on the foundations
- Fixing of the industrial machines on the foundations
- Fixing of the steel columns on the RC foundations
- Filling of the voids in the jacketing applications

### **Characteristics and Benefits**

- Mixed with only water and can be applied easily
- High compressive strength
- High fluid consistency
- Free of bleeding
- Resistant to water and weather conditions
- Perfect bonding to the concrete and steel
- Non-shrink

#### **Processing Method**

#### (A) Preparation of Substrate

The concrete should be free of frost, curing membranes, waterproofing treatments, oil stains, laitance, friable material and dust. The concrete surfaces should be chipped and if there is a water leakage it must be drained or properly plugged. Base plate, rods and bolts should be free of oil stains,

| Technical Properties   |   |    |
|--|---|----|
| Structure of the Material  | Mineral Fillers and Cement  |    |
| Color  | Grey  |    |
| Compressive Strength (TS EN 196)<br>(1 day)<br>(7 days)<br>(28 days) | >30 N/mm <sup>2</sup><br>>50 N/mm <sup>2</sup><br>>60 N/mm <sup>2</sup> |    |
| Fexural Strength (TS EN 196 (28 days)                                | >8 N/mm <sup>2</sup>  |    |
| Bonding Strength (28 days)<br>To concrete<br>To steel                | >2,0 N/mm <sup>2</sup><br>>2,0 N/mm <sup>2</sup>                        |    |
| Elasticity Modulus (TS EN 13412) (28 days)                           | >20.000 N/mm <sup>2</sup>   | MK |
| Capillary Water Absorption (TS EN 130557)                            | <0,5 kg. m <sup>-2</sup> hour <sup>-0,5</sup>                           | 1  |
| Application Thickness  | Min. 10 mm Max. 80 mm   |    |
| Application Temperature  | +5°C +30°C  |    |
| Service Temperature  | -20°C +400°C  |    |
| Pot Life   | 45 minutes  |    |
| Open Time to Pedestrian Traffic                                      | 24 hours  | SD |
| Fully Cured at 20°C  | 28 days   | S  |

Typical values are obtained from the test results in 23°C and 50% relative humidity conditions. High temperatures shorten the curing and working time, lower temperatures extends the durations.



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grease and dust. Enough number of holes should be opened on the base plate for air drain. Machine should be assembled and balanced before grouting. The concrete surfaces should be saturated with water at least 6 hours before the grouting.

### **Formwork Preparation**

The form material should be waterproof and resistant to hydrostatic forces of the grout. Formwork installation should be done against the possible leakage of the cement paste. An opening should be designed in the formwork with a width of 5 cm at minimum for pouring the grout. For providing a constant pressure for easy compacting of the grout the forms should be as high as possible in the pouring side. In grouting of huge base plates, special pipe and pump systems can be used or grout can be prepared with 5% extra water. For preventing the pressure releases, the forms should be placed without any tolerances and gaps between the concrete and form material.

#### (B) Mixing

Add enough water into a clean mixing bucket by using a proper water gauge. Add the powder into the bucket slowly and continously. Mix the fresh mortar with a proper electrical mixer (300-600 rpm) for 4 minutes until having a homogenous consistency. Let the mortar have rest for 4 minutes and re-mix for 30 seconds.

#### **Mixing Ratio**

| MasterFlux <sup>™</sup> 928 | Amount of<br>Mixture<br>Water | Density<br>of<br>Mixture |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| For 1 kg Powder             | < 0,16 liter                  | ~2,20                    |
| For 25 kg Bag               | < 4,00 liter                  | kg/liter                 |

#### (C) Processing

In the case of operating neigbour machines, a glass of water should be put on the grouting base and the vibrations caused by the environment can be observed. If needed, surrounding machines should



be switched off until (10-12 hours in 20°C) the grout sets.

MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928 should be poured directly into the formwork or it should be pumped under pressure. Application thickness should be 8 cm. For preventing the possible air gaps in the formwork, pour the grout from single opening and let the air draining. Use a steel hook for placing the grout under the plates and do not use vibrator. For thicker applications second layer of the mortar should be applied in same way or consult to the **MBT Tech** Technical Service.

# Consumption

19,00 kg/m<sup>2</sup> for obtaining 10 mm thick layer.

#### **Point to Consider**

- During the application the substrate and ambient temperature should be between 5-30°C.
- Open areas should be protected from the rain, wind, etc. Aggressive whether conditions during the first 24-48 hours after finishing repair.
- Cement based materials' pot life and curing times vary depending on the relative humidity, substrate and ambient temperature. Reaction gets slow in low temperatures and it causes to extension on pot life and working time. On the other hand high temperatures speed up the reaction, which results to short pot life and working time. For full curing of material, both the substrate and ambient temperature shouldn't be under allowed application temperature.
- application temperature.
  Do not use MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928 in case of contacting to liquids with a pH under 5.5.
- Do not use vibrator for placing the mortar.
- In low temperatures (5°C-10°C) the following precautions should be taken;
- The product should be stored in warm conditions, Hot water (30°C-50°C) should be used for mixing,
- Grouting area should be heated and protected from cold.
- In high temperatures (25°C-30°C) the following precautions should be taken;
- The product should be stored in cool conditions,
- Cold water (0°C-10°C) and ice should be used for mixing,



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# **Cleaning of Tools**

All the tools and equipments must be cleaned by water after the application. After **MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928** is hardened, it can only be removed from the surface mechanically.

# Packaging

MasterFlux<sup>™</sup> 928 is available in 25 kg polyethylene reinforced kraft bag.

# **Shelf Life**

12 months after the production date under appropriate storing conditions.Opened packages have to be stored by tightly sealing the bag/cover and must be used in one week.

#### Storage

Must be stored in unopened original packing, and in cool and dry environment protected from freezing. In short-term storing, maximum 3 palettes can be stowed on top of each other and delivery has to be according to first in first out system. In long-term storing, the palettes must not be stowed on top of each other.

# **Health and Safety**

It is dangerous to approach the application sites. During the application, a protective apparel, protective gloves, goggles and masks which comply with the Occupational Health and Safety Rules should be used. Due to the irritation effect of the uncured materials, the mixture should not come into contact with skin and eyes; in case of a contact, the affected area should be washed with plenty of water and soap; in case of swallowing, a physician should be consulted immediately. No food or beverages should be brought to the application area. The product should be stored and kept out of reach of children. For detailed information please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet.

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