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MAXCERAM 100 CERAMIC FILL EPOXY REPAIR COMPOUND

Description

MAXCERAM 100 CERAMIC FILLED EPOXY REPAIR COMPOUND is formulated using the latest solvent free epoxy technology, enhanced further with the addition of high-quality silicone carbide ceramic fillers.

Designed principally for rebuilding worn pump components suffering material lose due to erosion, corrosion and cavitation. MAXCERAM 100 CERAMIC ENHANCED **REBUILDING PASTE** provides long-term protection for fluid-flow equipment. The product can also be utilised in pneumatic and conveyor systems.

Applications

- Pump impellers, casings, cutwaters
- Ship rudders, bow thrusters, kort nozzles, A-frames and jet tubes
- Heat exchanger tube sheets, water boxes, end plates and pipework
- Fan casings and blades
- Internal pipe protection
- Conveyor screws
- Tank lining

Surface **Preparation** Steel

All oil and grease must be removed from the surface of the repair using an appropriate cleaner such as MEK or similar solvent. For optimum performance, the surface should be grit-blasted to ISO 8501/4 Standard SA2.5 (SSPC SP10/ NACE 2) and a minimum blast profile of 75 microns using an angular abrasive.

Once blast cleaned, the surface must be degreased and cleaned using MEK or similar solvent. All surfaces must be repaired before gingering or oxidation occurs

Surface **Preparation** Salts

For salt contaminated surfaces the area must be grit-blast cleaned as mentioned above and left for 24 hours to allow any ingrained salts to come to the surface.

After this 24-hour period the surface must be washed with MEK prior to brush blasting to remove the surface salts. This process must be repeated until all ingrained contaminants have been sweated out of the surface.



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Cracks

In the case of cracked surfaces, the cracks should be stabilised by drilling the termination points and the cracks ve-ed out and drilled, tapped and bolted every 75 -100 mm.

Mixing

Warm the Base component to 15-25°C before mixing and do not apply when the ambient or substrate temperature is below 5°C or less than 3°C above dew point. Mix both Part-A and part-B together in full units as supplied.

For small quantities us a mixing ratio of:

3:1 by volume or 5:1 by weight

When mixing both materials, it is very important to have a uniform grey paste that is streak free. Once mixing is complete, use the mixed paste as soon possible after mixing.

Application

Apply the mixed material directly to base coat as soon as possible after the application but not exceeding 6 hours, using a short-bristled brush, spatula, squeegee or plastic applicator.

Single coat application thickness 0-20mm

Coverage

1kg unit of mixed product will cover 0.406 sq metres at a nominal thickness of 1.0mm

Over-Coat Times

Minimum – the applied material can be over-coated as soon as it is touch dry.

Maximum – over-coating time **6 hours**.

Where the maximum over-coating time is exceeded, the material should be allowed to harden before being abraded, or flash-blasted and solvent washed to remove any surface contamination



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Pot	Life	@
20°	C	

20 - 25 minutes

Health and Safety

Please ensure good practice is always observed during the mixing and application of this product.

Protective gloves must be worn during the mixing and application of this product. Before mixing and applying the material please ensure you have read the fully detailed Material Safety Data Sheet.

Legal **Notice**

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