StenCare® 3EP ANK



1. Product Profile

StenCare® 3EP ANK is a heavy-duty type, solvent free epoxy coating material that can be applied by pouring. It is designed for use at places subject to high abrasion and for fixture mounting at such places. It can be used for minor repairs on Portland concrete.

StenCare® 3EP ANK is resistant to chemical impacts with its excellent abrasion and impact resistance properties. Polymeric mixture matches thermal expansion of the concrete made of Portland cement and has excellent adhesion to concrete, metal and many other surfaces.

StenCare® 3EP ANK is available in 10 kg sets.

2. Uses

StenCare® 3EP ANK designed for fixture installation and similar anchorage tasks at Portland cement concrete surfaces subject to high abrasion. Its impact absorption, elasticity and abrasion properties are suitable for use in minor repairs.

3. Application

StenCare® 3EP ANK Mixing the components is carried out as follows. Component B is poured on to component A, mixed for 1-2 minutes and aggregates (Component C) is mixed in without delay. It is mixed for 1-2 more minutes until the mixture is homogeneous.

Aggregates must not be poured in all at once. They should be mixed in as fast as mixing equipment can mix them in but not any faster. The mixture is poured on the application area without waiting. Additional aggregates should be scattered on the surface if a non-slip surface is required. Loose aggregates on sufficiently cured material can be swept away. Aggregates must be selected among high hardness, abrasion resistant materials. StenSilica #5-#10 (0.25-7 mm) are suitable for this purpose. The aggregates must be dried and graded.

During mixing application of StenCare® 3EP ANK the following must be observed:

- Mixing should be done with a low RPM high power mixing equipment.
- Mixed material must be immediately transferred to another container and poured without delay. The reason for the transfer is to avoid pouring unmixed material stuck to the walls of the container. Mixed material must not be kept in the container for too long. Otherwise, since curing reaction is an exothermic reaction, the material in the

High Strength
Epoxy Fixture
Montage and
Anchorage Material

Highlights

- Solvent-free
- Epoxy-based
- Ideal for anchorage applications
- 100% compatible with concrete and matches thermal expansion of concrete
- Adheres strongly to concrete, metals and similar surfaces

container gets hot and curing rate increases, leading to gelling in 2-5 minutes. The poured material is cooled by the floor and cure reaction is delayed.

- Poured material should be levelled and finalized as soon as possible. Flowing properties of the material is adjusted such that it can be levelled to match slight inclination of the pavement around.
- In order to have a seamless surface, the remaining material should be mixed and applied before poured material cures.
- Therefore mixing, transfer and pouring, trowelling and levelling processes must all be coordinated.

4. Cleaning

Mixing and application tools must be cleaned with plenty of water right after being used.

5. Safety

Applicators and supervisors must read Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) carefully and observe the considerations written therein. Emptied packages must be handled in compliance with relevant regulations and laws.

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6. Storage

The material must be kept in dry indoor storage. Recommended storage temperature is $10-30^{\circ}$ C. Stored in these conditions, the shelf life of unopened containers are 12 months. Low temperatures may lead to crystallization of the product. Do not allow StenCare® 3EP ANK to freeze.

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8. Technical Data

Properties	Results
Base Polymer	2 Component Epoxy
Solids Content %	100
Application Thickness	Min. 15mm
Colours	Grey
Durometer Hardness (Shore)	D80-85
Density	1.70 ± 0.05 g/cm3
Flame Resistance	Pass, non-flammable
Chemical Resistance; Jet Fuel, Motor Oil, Anti-Freeze, Salt @ 20°C	Pass
Pot Life of the Mixture @ 20°C	30 minutes
Tack Free Time @ 20°C	3 hours
Cure Time for Light Trafficability @ 20°C	12 hours
Cure Time for Heavy Trafficability @ 20°C	24 hours
Cure Time for Chemical Resistance @ 20°C	5 days

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