

Product of the Month

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Ash Grove® Stop Leak





Ash Grove® Stop Leak is an extremely rapid-setting cement repair material designed to stop the flow of water leaking through cracks and holes in concrete and masonry.

The composition of the material produces flexural, tensile, and compressive properties needed for a strong bond to existing concrete surfaces. Ash Grove® Stop Leak is a blend of Portland cement and other additives specifically designed for repairs in damp areas or underwater. Ash Grove® Stop Leak

is recommended for repair of active water leaks in basements, retaining walls, seals around pipes, swimming pools, and manholes. Stop Leak can be used for underwater repairs of swimming pools and water gardens. Ash Grove® Stop Leak has several advantages including initial set in 3 minutes, non-corrosive, ability to set up underwater to seal leaks, suitable for above or below grade use in vertical, horizontal or overhead applications, and complete set and high strength in 5 minutes. One 10 lb. bucket yields approximately 145 cu. in. Ash Grove® Stop Leak is available in 10 and 50 lb. pails.



EFFLORESCENCE

This time of year with the cooler weather and moisture, we will see the effects of efflorescence on mortar. Please follow our handouts for the use of Mortars & Grouts during cold weather construction.

Features, Benefits & Procedures

Ash Grove® Stop Leak has a rapid set time of 3 minutes. Therefore, mix only a small amount of material at a time for immediate use.

Use approximately 20 oz of water per 5 lbs. of mix. Water temperatures may affect set times.

Mix to a 'putty-like' consistency and place the material into opening or crack within 3 minutes. Mold material into a ball shape with gloved hand. When the material becomes warm to touch or begins to stiffen, force material into opening. Hold in place and maintain pressure on the plug for 3 to 5 minutes with gloved hand. Smooth and trowel material immediately to desired finish.

Adhering to recommended water additions is very important. Exceeding the water recommendations will result in inferior physical properties.

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Special Points of Interest:

Closed for Christmas: December 24th & 25th Closed for New Year's Day: January 1st