



Product of the Month

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Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout



Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout is a scientifically formulated blend containing portland cement, coarse and fine aggregates, and fly ash designed to provide a high strength, flowable fill for reinforced masonry construction. Available with coarse or fine aggregates.

Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout is designed with superior flow properties providing reduced segregation when placing masonry units. Product bonds

adjacent masonry units and reinforcing steel together with the masonry assembly to provide a structurally sound final wall system. Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout has several advantages including excellent workability, strong durable bond, consistent quality and yield versus jobsite mix, ready to use, and quality assurance through quality control testing prior to shipment. Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout is available in 80 and 3000 lb. bags. One 80 lb. yields approximately 0.62 cu. ft. and 22 cu. ft. for a 3000 lb. bag.

Features, Benefits & Procedures

Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout may be placed by hand or by machine.

Grout should be mixed thoroughly prior to placement so that all spaces to be grouted are filled completely and the grout is confined to that space.

Coarse grout may be used for filling grout spaces greater than 2" in brick, block or stone masonry walls. Using a clean mechanical mixer, place the required mixing water in the mixer, 2 gallons per 80 lb. bag, and start the mixer. Be sure to use clean water.

Add the required bags of Ash Grove Pro Mix® Core Fill Grout. Continue mixing and adjust the water until a uniform, workable consistency is obtained. Mix for a minimum of 5 minutes after all materials have been added to the mixer. Mixing time should be consistent from batch to batch.

Slump should be 8-11" to comply with specifications of ASTM C476. Adhering to recommended slump range is very important.



Quality Masonry Conference

The 7th Annual Quality Masonry Conference was held at Quarry Oaks in Ashland. This year's speakers did an excellent job with their presentations. Thanks go out to all that helped with the conference.



Product of the Month for March:
Ash Grove® Concrete Crack Seal

Special Points of Interest:

ACI Awards Banquet Feb. 10, Omaha, NE

IEnerShield Product & Training Seminar Mar. 7, Omaha, NE