

antas® 352

Multipurpose MS Joint Sealant

DESCRIPTION

antas® 352 is a one component, low modulus, neutral curing, modified silane (MS) joint sealant. It has combined and balanced benefits of typical polyurethane and silicone sealants.



It is ideal for sealing of prefabricated walls, architectural panels, windows and doors in construction with good adhesion to wide range of substrates including concrete, brick, stone, aluminium, wood, PVC, CFC and stainless steel etc.

antas[®] 352 has also been successfully applied in infrastructure projects eg roads and bridges.

FEATURES

antas® 352 is a hybrid sealant based on MS Polymer. It is formulated to high performance with many of the beneficial characteristics of both polyurethanes and silicones.

- Excellent mechanical property with high strength and elasticity.
- Excellent adhesion to most building materials.
- Good surface painting feasibility.
- Excellent performance of aging, heat and humidity resistance.
- Safe and environmentally friendly with low VOC and no isocyanate content.
- Cured sealant can be immersed in water continuously.

STANDARD AND COMPLIANCE

- ISO 11600 Class F-25LM.
- JC/T 881/2001 25LM

SPECIFICATION

No.	Test items		Test result
1	Movement Capability		±25%
2	Tack free time, h		1.2
3	Resistance to flow, mm		<3
4	Elastic recovery, %		85
5	Slump, mm (N type)	Vertical	0
		Horizontal	0
6	Tensile Modulus, MPa	23°C	0.3
		-20°C	0.3
7	Tensile properties at maintained extension		No failure
8	Adhesion/cohesion properties at variable temperatures		No failure
9	Adhesion/cohesion properties at maintained extension after water immersion		No failure
10	Rate of mass loss, %		1

APPLICATION

Prepare the substrate and keep it clean, dry and free from grease. Remove all dirt, oil, grease, detergents and loose material. The



joint edges can be masked with tape to prevent contamination. Remove the tape carefully after tooling. Use suitable backing rod to fill the cavity of the joints as needed.

Cut nozzle to desired size at 45° angle and attach to the sealant cartridge. Insert the cartridge into a caulking gun. Pull the trigger of the caulking gun to extrude sealant through the nozzle.

For joint sealing, smooth the surface of the sealant filled joint within the tooling time and clean off excess sealant.

For bonding and installation of flooring or prefabricated objects, sliding the floor or other objects onto the adhesive sealant, tap into place.

CURING TIME

antas® 352 is cured by reacting with moisture in the air. Depending on ambient conditions, it has a tack-free time of approximate 70 minutes and curing rate of approximately 3mm in the first 24 hours.

It is recommended to secure the substrate prior to the applying of the sealant and avoid any movement during the curing process.

PRIMING

Priming is not usually required when using antas® 352 providing joint faces are clean and free from any trace of laitance or surface contamination. However, adhesion to substrate and compatibility with surface coatings should always be tested in advance to determine the need of a primer.

If required, a thin film of antas[®] 202 primer can be applied on substrate by using a clean lint-free cloth and allowed to dry before sealant application.

In required, antas[®] 203J adhesion promoter can be applied on the surface of Antas 352 in promoting adhesion to surface coatings.

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MAINTENANCE & REPAIR

antas® 352 sealant can be easily repaired when needed. Firstly remove the damaged section and clean the surface with solvent, then patch the section with new sealants of same colour and grade.

LIMITATIONS

antas® 352 should not be applied under the following conditions:

- On substrate that bleed oil, plasticiser or solvent etc.
- On materials such as impregnated wood; oil-based caulks; green or partially vulcanized rubber gaskets/ tapes; bituminous below-grade waterproofing or asphalt-impregnated fiberboard etc.
- In confined spaces.
- Substrate temperature over 45°C or below 5°C.
- Wet surface.
- Surface contact with food directly.
- For structural glazing.
- Other unsuitable conditions determined by trial.

PAINTABILITY

antas® 352 is paintable with most water based paints. However, due to large number of paints and varnishes available, compatibility test is highly recommended prior to the application.

Note: antas® 352 has larger movement capability than normal paint films. Cracking of paint film may occur with movement.

CLEAN UP

Excess sealant can be removed with mineral spirit and cleaning solvent before cured. Once cured, antas® 352 may only be removed mechanically.

SAFETY

antas® 352 has low VOC and no isocyanate

content. Avoid direct contact with eyes when operating. In case of accident, rinse opened eye under running water for several minutes.

During the curing process, small amount of alcoholic molecules is released. Keep good ventilation at the construction site. Avoid applying in confined space.

Read and follow material safety data sheet for safe handling or using.

PACKAGING

600ml sausages / 20 per carton

COLOUR

Concrete Grey, Black, White, Off-white and Dark Grey, other colours available on request.

TRANSPORTATION & STORAGE

antas® 352 is classified as non-dangerous goods for transportation.

The product should be stored in a dry and cool place between 5 to 30°C. The shelf life is 12 months from the date of manufacturing under normal storage conditions.

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