# FIVE STAR HIGHWAY & COLD ROOM REPAIR

- HIGH EARLY STRENGTH
- RESISTANT TO SALTS
- COARSE AGGREGATE EXTENSION
- SUITABLE FOR COLD ROOM REPAIRS

#### **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

- FREEZE / THAW RESISTANCE
- COLD WEATHER INSTALLATION
- ONE COMPONENT, EASY TO USE
- OPEN TO TRAFFIC IN 2 HOURS

Five Star Highway Patch is a one-component, fast-setting hydraulic cement material ideal for horizontal patching of concrete in traffic areas. Five Star Highway Patch provides resistance to oil, grease, gasoline, salts and other chemicals found in the transportation environment.

#### USES:

- Highways and bridges
- Parking decks and ramps
- Airport runways and taxiways

Dowel bar retrofit

Expansion joint rebuild

- Cold room and cold weather repairs

#### PACKAGING & COVERAGE:

25kg Polyethylene lined bags yielding 13 litres 18 Litres when extended with 12,5kg Pro-Struct 53-MC Aggregate

#### SHELF LIFE:

One year in original, unopened packaging when stored in dry conditions. High relative humidity will reduce the shelf life.

| TYPICAL PROPERTIES AT 25°C            |                |            |  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|------------|--|
| Compressive Strength, ASTM C109       | At 23°C        | At 5°C     |  |
| 2 Hours                               | 13 MPa         | 10 MPa     |  |
| 3 Hours                               | 24 MPa         | 20 MPa     |  |
| 24 Hours                              | 34 MPa         | 30 MPa     |  |
| 7 Days                                | 48 MPa         | 45 MPa     |  |
| Bond Strength, ASTM C882              |                |            |  |
| 1 Day                                 | 10.4 MPa       | 10.4 MPa   |  |
| 7 Days                                | 13.8 MPa       | 13.8 MPa   |  |
| Length Change, ASTM C157              |                |            |  |
| 28 Days Wet                           | +0.05%         | +0.05%     |  |
| 28 Days Dry                           | -0.05%         |            |  |
| Chloride Ion Permeability, ASTM C1202 |                |            |  |
| 28 Days                               | <1000 Coulombs |            |  |
| Freeze / Thaw Resistance, ASTM C666A  |                |            |  |
| Relative Durability Factor            | 90%            | 90%        |  |
| Working Time                          | 10 Minutes     | 10 Minutes |  |

(Pro-Struct 522)

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

These instructions are not intended to show product recommendations for specific service. They are issued as an aid in determining correct surface preparation, mixing instructions and application procedure. It is assumed that the proper product recommendations have been made. These instructions should be followed closely to obtain the maximum service from the materials.

### **PLACEMENT GUIDELINES**

#### SCOPE OF WORK (BOQ):

Break out defective concrete and apply Pro-Struct 522 Highway and Cold Room Concrete Repair, ensuring a minimum depth of 10mm to the repair. For trafficable floor areas, a minimum depth of 25mm is required. (Measurement – litres or m<sup>3</sup>).

#### SURFACE PREPARATION:

- 1. All defective areas and areas which have degraded due to carbonation and chloride ingress or areas of insufficient concrete cover will be clearly marked out by the client's representative in rectangular repair areas.
- 2. Saw cut the concrete within the outlines to a minimum depth of 10mm, ensuring all cuts are perpendicular to the surface, thus avoiding feather edges at all times. Side edges to be roughened by chipping to create an adequate bond.
- 3. It is necessary to remove concrete around the full circumference of the steel reinforcing to a minimum of 15mm behind it. Continue to remove concrete along all exposed reinforcing bars to at least 45mm beyond the point of corrosion.
- 4. All defective concrete must now be completely removed.
- 5. After removal of defective concrete, ensure that the reinforcing bars are free of frost, rust, dirt, grease, oil, curing compound, paints, impregnations or any other foreign matter likely to affect the bond or performance of the repair material.
- 6. Where reinforcing bars have to be replaced, they must be adequately secured to meet the client's requirements.
- 7. Remove all signs of corrosion and thoroughly high pressure wash with clean potable water to ensure removal of debris and residual contamination.

#### PRIMING:

The concrete needs to be pre-soaked with clean potable water, leaving the concrete saturated but free of standing water.

#### **MIXING:**

- 1. Mix Pro-Struct 522 with 2,5 litres of clean potable water using a mechanical mortar type mixer. Adjust consistency if necessary but do not exceed 3 litres or add an amount that will cause segregation. Do not mix more material than can be placed in 15 minutes. Do not re-temper the mix by adding more water, this will cause strength reduction as well as shrinkage cracking.
- 2. Where pours are greater than 50mm thick, Pro-Struct 522 can be extended by the addition of 12,5kg (approximately 10 litres) of Pro-Struct 53-MC (6mm double washed) aggregate. This will increase the yield of the total product to 18 litres. Should other aggregate (locally sourced and washed) be used, then the product and aggregate must be submitted to a testing authority to determine performance prior to its use.

#### **APPLICATION:**

Place Pro-Struct 522 full depth from one side of the repair to the other, filling the prepared area to the desired level (do not place in layers). Where this is not practical, placement must be continuous to prevent cold joints between pours.

#### WET CURING:

After the patch has set (20 minutes), keep surfaces wet with clean potable water for 2 hours and protect from rain, wind and rapid evaporation for 24 hours after application.

#### **SPECIAL CONDITIONS:**

- Never exceed the maximum water content as stated on the packaging.
- The temperature of materials, equipment and surfaces must be between 2°C and 32°C at the time of placement.
- For cold weather patching, keep materials warm (approximately 22°C). For hot weather patching, use cold water to extend the working time and keep materials in a cool, dry place.
- Substrate shall be free of frost and ice.
- The required patch must be protected from freezing for a period of 3 hours after placement.

#### **PRECAUTION:**

Contains cementitious material and crystalline free silica. Take appropriate measures to avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes and contact with skin. In case of contact with eyes, immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a physician. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Keep product out of reach of children. PRIOR TO USE, REFER TO THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET.

**CAUTION: MAY CONTAIN FLAMMABLE SOLVENTS.** KEEP AWAY FROM SPARKS AND OPEN FLAMES. IN CONFINED AREAS WORKMEN MUST WEAR FRESH AIRLINE RESPIRATORS. HYPERSENSITIVE PERSONS SHOULD WEAR GLOVES OR USE PROTECTIVE CREAM. ALL ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT AND INSTALLATIONS SHOULD BE MADE AND GROUNDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE. IN AREAS WHERE EXPLOSION HAZARDS EXIST, WORKMEN SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO USE NON-FERROUS TOOLS AND TO WEAR CONDUCTIVE AND NON-SPARKING SHOES.





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