

# KingRep<sup>®</sup> 55T

**One component high strength polymer modified cementitious repair mortar.**

## DESCRIPTION

KingRep 55T is a one component polymer modified cementitious repair mortar. KingRep 55T is a blend of dry powders and selected aggregates when mixed with water produces a thixotropic mortar suitable for vertical and overhead application.

## APPLICATIONS

- ☐ Repair of all types of structural concrete where high strength and extremely low shrinkage properties are required.
- ☐ For the repair of vertical and overhead elements.
- ☐ As a repair mortar for all structural elements in buildings, water retaining structures, industrial plants, bridges, etc.

## ADVANTAGES

- ☐ Shrinkage controlled polymer modified cementitious repair mortar.
- ☐ Easy to apply, single component, requires only addition of water.
- ☐ Extremely low permeability to water, providing excellent protection to steel reinforcements and host concrete.
- ☐ Thixotropic properties allowing extra high build for vertical and overhead applications.
- ☐ Suitable for internal and external application. Water vapor permeable.
- ☐ Cost effective, hand applied no formwork is required.

## METHOD OF USE

### Substrate Preparation

All damaged and weak concrete should be cut back to reach sound concrete and/or to a minimum depth of at least 10 mm.

Corroded steel reinforcement should be grit blasted to remove all rust traces. In case of significant loss in the steel reinforcement cross section, the steel should be replaced. Remove all concrete from around exposed steel reinforcements by 10 mm thickness.

The perimeters of the repair area should be saw cut to a minimum depth of 10 mm. The prepared area should be cleaned thoroughly by brush and/or compressed air.

## TECHNICAL PROPERTIES

Compressive strength: ASTM C109/109M-02	> 30 MPa @ 3 days > 55 MPa @ 28 days
Fresh wet density:	2.2 ± 0.05 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Tensile strength: ASTM C307	> 2.5 MPa @ 28 days
Flexural strength: ASTM C348	> 6 MPa @ 28 days
Mixing ratio:	4.5 litre of water for 25 kg bag of KingRep 55T
VOC: ASTM D2369	< 10 g/ltr

### Priming

All grit blasted steel reinforcements should be primed within 2 - 4 hours with one or two coats of zinc rich epoxy coating KingRep ZR.

Areas to be repaired with KingRep 55T should be soaked with clean water before applying the repair mortar. All excess water should be removed prior to applying KingRep 55T.

### Mixing

To ensure proper mixing, a mechanically powered mixer or drill fitted with suitable paddle should be used.

4.5 litre of clean water should be added to clean container. The powder is then added slowly to the water while mixing continuously with low speed mixer/drill (400 - 600 rpm).

Mixing time should be continued for 5 minutes until a uniform consistency is obtained.

## PLACING AND FINISHING

KingRep 55T can be applied by trowel or hand. The mixed mortar should be applied using firm pressure to fully compact the mortar and ensure good adhesion with the steel reinforcement and substrate.

Finishing and leveling should be carried out initially by wooden or plastic float. Final finishing should be carried out using steel float.

## CURING

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As KingRep 55T is a cementitious based material, it should be cured in a similar method to concrete. Curing can be conducted by using KingKure 100A or by wet Hessian sheets covered with polyethylene sheets.

## CLEANING

All tools shall be cleaned immediately after application using fresh water. Hardened materials must be cleaned mechanically.

## PACKAGING

KingRep 55T is available in 25 kg bags.

## THICKNESSES AND SIZE LIMITATIONS

KingRep 55T can be applied in a single application for sections up to 30 mm thick in overhead applications and 50 mm thick in vertical applications. Thickness should not be less than 10 mm deep in all applications.

KingRep 55T repair area should not exceed 2.5 m<sup>2</sup> in single application.

## YIELD

13.4 litre per 25 kg bag.

## STORAGE

Shelf life is 1 year when stored under cover, out of direct sunlight and protected from extremes of temperature.

Failure to comply with the recommended storage conditions may result in premature deterioration of the product or packaging. For specific storage advice consult KingKrete's Technical Services Department.

## HEALTH AND SAFETY

As with all chemical products, care should be taken during use and storage to avoid contact with eyes, mouth, skin and foodstuffs. Treat splashes to eyes and skin immediately. If accidentally ingested, seek medical attention. Reseal containers after use. Use in well ventilated areas and avoid inhalation.

## NOTE

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KingKrete Inc. reserves the right to have the true cause of any difficulty determined by accepted test methods.

## QUALITY AND CARE

All products originating from KingKrete's manufacturing facilities are manufactured under a management system independently certified to conform to the requirements of the quality standard ISO 9001.

\* Properties listed are based on laboratory-controlled tests.

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