

## **Flexible Resin Jointing**

The world's first flexible and permeable jointing mortar is made from a combination of sand, rubber and visco elastic resin and is perfect for unbonded surfaces. This innovative product is a perfect replacement for loose grit and allows for regular pressure washing. Simply mix with water in a cement mixer or directly in the bucket with a drill mixer on smaller projects. FLEX JOINT is compatible with any joint width over 3/8" | 8mm or 1/4" | 5mm with extra work and is perfect for use on permeable pavers or control joints in bonded construction.

Ideal for parking lots, permeable pavers, and large joints.

- Vehicle loading up to 25 T
- Ideal for unbonded construction
- Bonded performance on unbonded application
- Used in combination with our ISATec 5-year warranty displacement protection system



Extremely Flexible









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## **APPLICATION**

**Construction Site Preparation:** Prepare the foundation considering expected traffic loads and adhere to regulations and guidelines for paving stone surfaces. Avoid settling or loose stones. Utilize the ROMEX® SYSTEM-GUARANTEE with ISATec anchors (RSG - 5) for optimal results and consider using ROMEX® application tools.

**Joint Preparation:** Clean joints to a depth of at least 30 mm  $|1\frac{1}{4}|$ " (or  $\frac{1}{2}$ s of stone height for traffic loads, minimum joint width 5 mm  $|\frac{1}{4}|$ "). Clean the joint-fixed surface of all impurities before starting work. Tape off adjacent surfaces not to be joint-fixed.

**Pre-wetting:** Pre-wet the surface, especially for porous surfaces or higher temperatures, which require more intense pre-wetting.

**Mixing:** Open the bucket and bottles, pour contents into the filler material. Add 0.6 gal | 2.5 liters of water if used as a normal paving joint mortar; (no water needed if product is used in bonded construction as a control joint). Rinse resin/hardener bottles with 0.025 gal | 100 ml of water and add to the mixture. Mix for at least 6 minutes using a professional drill mixer with helical paddle or rotary-drum mixer

**Application:** Apply the mixed mortar onto the pre-wetted surface and work it into the joints using a squeegee/rubber slider. Pour mortar at several spots or in small doses within the jointing area to maximize fluidity. Clean tools and work shoes regularly during jointing to prevent impurities.

**Final Cleaning:** After approximately 10 minutes, carefully sweep excess mortar off the stone surface with a large, coarse broom. Then use a soft broom for final cleaning until all residual mortar is removed. Sweep diagonally to the joint and avoid reusing swept-off material.

**Subsequent Treatment:** Rain protection is unnecessary during short periods light drizzle. For permanent or heavy rain, protect the freshly jointed surface for 12-24 hours. Avoid direct placement of rain protection to ensure proper air circulation.

**Important Note:** Initially, a thin film of epoxy resin remains on the stone surface, enhancing color and protecting from dirt. This film is temporary and will diminish over time. Test a sample surface if uncertain before jointing. A resin film does not indicate an application fault, and surface quality is not compromised.

System	2-component epoxy resin pavement jointing mortar				
Deflection at breaking load *2, *3	12.6 mm   0.496" Laboratory value	DIN EN 1015-11			
Bending tensile strength *2	1.2 N/mm²   174 psi Laboratory value	DIN EN 1015-11			
Hard mortar raw density	1.34 kg/dm³   0.77 oz/in³ Laboratory value	DIN EN 1015-10			
Tensile strength	0.295 N/mm²   43 psi Laboratory value	DIN EN 527-1			
Max. expansion ε	9.26 % Laboratory value	DIN EN 527-1			
Application time at 20 °C   68 °F	20-30 minutes	ROMEX®-norm 04			
Application temperature	> 7 °C up to max. 30 °C   > 44,6 °F up to max. 86 °F At lower temperatures slow hardening, At high temperatures quick hardening				
Re-opening of surface at 20 °C   68 °F	after 24 hours can be walked on, after 7 days fully load bearing				
Water permeability coefficient "1	16.29 × 10 5 m/s = approx. 1,6 l/min/m² for a joint fraction of 10 % 23.1 iph = approx. 0.04 gal/min/sqft for a joint fraction of 10 %				
Storage life	12 months resin/hardener components: frostfree, filler components: dry				

Consumption table in kg/m²   lb/sq ft - Basis of calculation: joint depth Ø 30 mm   1 $\%$ "										
: width	Stone size	80 × 40 cm 31 ½" × 15 ¾"	60 × 60 cm 23 ½" × 23 ½"	40 × 40 cm 15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " × 15 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "	32 × 24 cm 12 ½ "× 9 ½"	24 × 16 cm 9 ½" × 6 ¼"	9 × 11 cm 3/6" × 3/6"			
	5 mm   1/4" (min.)	0,8 kg 1.7 lbs	0,7 kg 1.5 lbs	1,0 kg 2.2 lbs	1,5 kg 3.2 lbs	2,1 kg 4.5 lbs	3,8 kg 8.4 lbs			
Joint	10 mm   3/6"	1,5 kg 3.3 lbs	1,3 kg 3.0 lbs	2,0 kg 4.3 lbs	2,8 kg 6.2 lbs	3,9 kg 8.6 lbs	6,9 kg 15.2 lbs			
	Polygonal slabs	We recommend ROMPOX® - D1								

