

ROMPOX® - EASY

Easiest to use pavement jointing mortar

ROMPOX® - EASY is a mixed and ready to use 1-component pavement jointing mortar. After application it hardens/cures with air/oxygen and thus comes vacuum packed. Thanks to it's ease of use, this highly water permeable jointing mortar is ideal for DIY enthusiasts. ROMPOX® - EASY is used all around the house such as patios, footpaths and surfaces that have occasional light vehicle loads (with non settling, water permeable foundation beds). The pavement jointing mortar can be used with almost all natural stones, natural and concrete stone slabs as well as clinker stone surfaces.



Properties

- joint widths from 5 mm | 1/4"
- joint depths from 30 mm | 1 1/4"
- mixed ready to use, vacuum packed
- · also for DIY use
- suitable for coated and sensitive stone surfaces as well as ceramic slabs
- frost and de-icing salt resistant
- water permeable
- regional sand
- · can be applied during a drizzle
- · no need to cover the area during drizzle



















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APPLICATION

Construction site requirements: The foundation needs to be prepared according to the expected traffic loads. Regulations and leaflets regarding construction of paved stone surfaces should be heeded. Loads that later go over the surface must not cause the surface to sink or loosen stones. Ideally, you would use ROMEX® Trass-Bed products as well as the ROMEX® SYSTEM-GUARANTEE (RSG). For optimum application it is recommended using ROMEX® application tools. Do not use in "permanently wet areas" (swimming pools, fountains, drains, drip edges etc.) Only use with water permeable superstructures (bed and base course) or on a slope of at least 2 %.

Preparation: Clean out joints to a depth of at least 30 mm | 1 1/4" (in case of traffic loads 2/3 of stone height, minimum joint width 5 mm | 1/4"). For tile thicknesses less than 30 mm (e.g. 2 cm thick ceramic tiles), the tiles must be laid using a bonded, water-permeable construction method and the entire joint must be completely filled with ROMPOX® - EASY. The surface to be jointed should be cleaned of all impurities before work commences. Adjacent surfaces that are not to be jointed must be taped off to avoid resin contact.

Pre-wetting: It is important to pre-wet the surface and keep it moist during the install. More porous surfaces as well as hotter surface temperatures, will require more and consistent pre-wetting. Ensure water is not collecting in the

Application: Open the bucket, take out vacuum bag, cut open and pour the pavement jointing mortar evenly and completely onto the well moistened surface. Subsequently, work the pavement jointing mortar into the joints using a broom or rubber squeegee, ensuring it compacts deep into the joints and fills them completely. All tools as well as work shoes should be regularly cleaned with a water spray during jointing, to avoid impurities by binding agent and footprints on the stone surface.

Tip for narrow joints: In order to compact the joints even better, the freshly applied pavement jointing mortar can be elutrified using a water spray jet. Sunken joints are re-filled with more pavement jointing mortar. Avoid any standing water in the fresh joints, ensure there is sufficient slope.

Final cleaning: Use a soft, hair broom to carefully sweep the stone surface until all residual mortar has been removed. Chamfered edges on slabs and clinker surfaces must be exposed, as sufficient adhesion in this area cannot be guaranteed. Sweeping should be done diagonally to the joint. Do not re-use swept off material. Residual material on the stone surface can still be swept off with a street broom after 24 hours.

Subsequent treatment: No rain protection is necessary in the case of drizzle. In continuous or heavy rain, the freshly jointed surface should be protected against rain for approx. 24 hours. The rain protection (construction sheeting / tarpaulin) can be laid directly onto the surface. Initially, a very thin synthetic resin film can remain on the stone surface, which intensifies the color of the stone and protects it from soiling. However, this film disappears when the surface is exposed to weathering and as a result of abrasion over time.

Important information: ROMPOX® - EASY has a unique odour. This will disappear after time as the product fully hardens. We thus recommend only using the product in well-ventilated areas outdoors. In case of doubt, please lay a sample surface before commencing entire jointing. Work tools can be cleaned with water after jointing. During work, it is recommended that impermeable and resistant protective gloves, tightly closed protective glasses and protective work clothing are worn. Moss, leaves and weeds that can store water should be removed from the jointed surface regularly. Due to raw materials, the joint may sand off slightly. All filler materials are natural products which are subject to natural colour deviations.

TECHNICAL DATA

Test report, audited colour "neutral", goo	ds in buckets.				
System	1-component-Polybutadiene				
Compressive strength	7.1 N/mm² 1 030 psi Laboratory value 5.9 N/mm² 856 psi Building site value	DIN 18555 part 3			
Bending tensile strength	3.4 N/mm² 493 psi Laboratory value 3.6 N/mm² 522 psi Building site value	DIN 18555 part 3			
Static elasticity module	820 N/mm² 118 931 psi Laboratory value 690 N/mm² 100 076 psi Building site value	DIN 18555 part 4			
Hard mortar raw density	1.54 kg/dm³ 0.89 oz/in³	DIN 18555 part 3			
Application time at 20 °C 68 °F	approx. 25 minutes	ROMEX®-norm 04			
Application temperature	5 °C up to max. 30 °C 41 °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 6 days fully load bearing				
Water permeability	$7.5 \times 10^{-4} = 2.3 \text{ l/min/m}^2 \text{ for a joint fraction of } 10 \%$				
Storage life	min. 24 months				
Storage	Protect container against direct sunlight, do not stack pallets frost-resistant				

Consumption table in kg/m² lb/sq ft - Basis for calculation: joint depth Ø 30 mm 1 11/4"								
Joint width	Stone size	80 × 40 cm 31 ¹ / ₂ " × 15 ³ / ₄ "	60 × 60 cm 23 ½"× 23 ½"	40 × 40 cm 15 ³ / ₄ " × 15 ³ / ₄ "	32 × 24 cm 12 ½ "× 9 ½"	24 × 16 cm 9 1/2" × 6 1/4"	9 × 11 cm 3/8" × 3/8"	
	5 mm 1/4" (min.)	0,9 kg 1.9 lbs	0,8 kg 1.7 lbs	1,2 kg 2.6 lbs	1,7 kg 3.7 lbs	2,4 kg 5.2 lbs	4,4 kg 9.6 lbs	
	10 mm 3/8"	1,7 kg 3.8 lbs	1,5 kg 3.4 lbs	2,3 kg 5.0 lbs	3,2 kg 7.1 lbs	4,5 kg 9.9 lbs	7,9 kg 17.5 lbs	
	Polygonal slabs	We recommend ROMPOX® - D1						









GENERAL NOTES

Limitation of use, use category and load classes Indicates the load-bearing capacity of a substruc

ture and superstructure manufactured according to German standards in accordance with RSt0 12, ZTV-Wegebau, DIN 18318. These are terms from German standards, regulations and guidelines for road construction, civil engineering and pavement

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Water permeability coefficient

Water permeable according to "Leaflet on surfaces that allow for seepage" (MVV), Issue 2013

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