

## MS CABLE GROUT

Neat, high performance, shrinkage compensated, anchoring grout.

MS Cable Grout is an unsanded, Portland cement based, expanding, shrinkage compensated anchoring grout containing silica fume and other carefully selected components. MS Cable Grout resists water washout, making it ideal for anchoring cables, tendons or bolts in rock or soil media.

### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Superior early strength gain, allowing early tensioning of anchors, (up to 5 tonnes after 12 hours).
- Excellent cohesive properties.
- Resistant to water washout and dilution by water in wet ground conditions.
- Excellent pumpability.
- Thixotropic properties reduce material loss in fractured ground.
- Reduced bleeding.
- Improved resistance to sulphate attack.
- Very low permeability.
- All King products are manufactured using ISO 9001:2000 Certified Processes.

### USES

- For most other grouted anchor requirements including, cable bolting, earth tie-backs for excavation or soil stabilization, grouting anchors in tunnel support systems, re-bar grouting and grouting soil or rock tendons for anchoring piles or foundation structures.
- Infill of pipe piles.

### PROCEDURES

#### Mixing:

Mix MS Cable Grout to the consistency required for placement. **The recommended volume of water is 7.5 – 10.0 L (2.0 – 2.58 US gallons) per 30 kg (66 lb.) bag.** A lower water/material ratio (7.5 litres, 2.0 US gallons) should be used for pumpable consistencies while a higher water/material ratio (10.0 litres, 2.58 US gallons) should be used for flowable consistencies. MS Cable Grout's thixotropic properties make the grout appear thick and cohesive when it is in fact very pumpable. Introduce potable water into a high shear mixer and then add MS Cable Grout while operating at medium speed. Increase mixer speed and continue mixing at high speed for 3 to 5 minutes. Mortar style mixers are not recommended for this purpose. Decrease mixer speed to low and continue mixing while placing the grout. The time between mixing and pumping of the batch should not exceed 15 minutes.

### TECHNICAL DATA

The following data is representative of typical values achievable under laboratory conditions. Results in the field may vary.

MASS DENSITY	
ASTM C 109	1875 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (117 lb./ft <sup>3</sup> )
COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH	
ASTM C 109	
1 Day	28 MPa (4060 psi)
3 Day	40 MPa (5800 psi)
7 Day	45 MPa (6525 psi)
28 Day	60 MPa (8700 psi)

EXPANSION		
ASTM C 940	3-6 %	(Volume unconfined)
FLOW		
ASTM C 942	20-30 seconds	
BLEEDING		
ASTM C 940-81	Nil	
SEGREGATION		
	Nil	

### OPTIMUM PERFORMANCE

- Not recommended for areas of extremely high vibration. Adhere to recommended water additions. Exceeding the recommended water/material ratio will result in reduced compressive strengths and inferior physical properties.

### YIELD

30 kg (66 lb.) bag contains approximately 0.020 m<sup>3</sup> (0.7 ft<sup>3</sup>).

### PACKAGING

MS Cable Grout is packaged in 30 kg (66 lb.) triple lined bags and poly wrapped on wooden pallets.

### STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

Material should be stored in a dry covered area protected from the elements. Unopened bags have a shelf life of 12 months.

### SAFETY PROCEDURES

MS Cable Grout contains Portland cement. Normal safety-wear such as rubber gloves, dust mask and safety glasses used to handle conventional cement based products should be worn. Material Safety Data Sheets are available upon request.

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