





# FM NB [basic]

## Cement-lime jointing mortar for new buildings



Colour	Strength	Grain size	Availability	
			Quantity per pallet	42
			Size / Quantity	25 kg
			Type of container	PE bag
			Container code	25
			Art. no.	
FM NB [basic], not hydrophobic				
antique white	M10	≤ 1,0 mm	1027	
grey	M10	≤ 1,0 mm	1033	
anthracite	M10	≤ 1,0 mm	1034	
beige	M10	≤ 1,0 mm	1035	
special colours	M10	≤ 1,0 mm	1036	

Application rate	Approx. 1.6 kg/l joint space Apply to a large enough trial area to determine the precise amount required.
Range of use	<ul> <li>Initial pointing</li> <li>Brick and natural stone masonry</li> <li>Mortar joints from 5 to 30 mm</li> </ul>
Property profile	<ul><li>Good flank adhesion</li><li>Special colours (UV-resistant pigments) available</li></ul>

Characteristic data of the product





Water requirement	Approx. 11%, equivalent to 2.8 l/25 kg		
Compressive strength (28 d)	≥ 10 N/mm² (M10)		
Dynamic E-modulus (28 days)	≥ 10,000 N/mm²		
External surveillance	GG-CERT		
Maximum grain size	Approx. 1 mm		
Open porosity	Approx. 30 vol%		
The values stated represent typical characteristic data of the product and are not to be understood as binding			

#### Certificates

#### > Initial testing according to DIN EN 998-2

#### Possible system products

> Clean AC [basic] (0672)

product specifications.

> ZM HF [basic] (0220)

#### **Preparation**

#### ■ Substrate requirements

Clean, dust-free and capable of supporting a load.

#### Substrate preparation

Joint depth min. 2 cm or double the joint width. Sanded joint sides can lead to lateral detachment.

# Production of the mixture





#### Mixing

Pour water into a clean container and add dry mortar.

Mix thoroughly and uniformly with a mixer for approx. 2 minutes until the proper consistency for working has been achieved.

Mix again and, if needed, add a small quantity of water.

### Directions





#### Conditions for use

Temperature of the material, air and substrate: from min. +5 °C to max. +30 °C. Low temperatures increase, while high temperatures decrease the working and setting time.

#### ■ Working time (+20 °C)

Approx. 2 hours

Apply the grouting in two layers if possible. Inject the jointing mortar (strength class M10, maximum grain size 1 mm) and level off but do not press down.

Only mix as much mortar as can be used within approx. 2 hours.

Pre-wet the open, cleaned joint.

Application of thin layers at the edges of defective areas can be facilitated by adding Remmers Haftfest to the mixing water (mixing ratio 1:10). In this case, hardening will be somewhat delayed but the bonding strength will be increased.

After application, work with a profiling tool (e.g. tubing).

Wait at least 24 hours before applying subsequent layers.

#### Tips on use

Once it has hardened, mortar must not be made workable again by adding either water or more wet mortar.







The type and duration of the reworking and surface treatment will influence the colour. Slight deviations in colour between different batches are possible.

Protect wet mortar surfaces against frost, rain and drying out too quickly for at least 4 days.

The flank adhesion can be increased by adding ZM HF [basic] to the mixing water (ratio 1:10).

#### **Notes**

May contain traces of pyrite (iron sulphide).

Do not use on gypsum-based substrates.

Low chromate content in accordance with Directive 2003/53/EC.

The characteristic data of the product were calculated under laboratory conditions at 20°C and 65% relative humidity.

The mixing water must be of drinking water quality.

Special colour according to colour number (MF no., colour swatches, NCS etc.) or submitted sample (in the case of changing or alternating colours, clearly mark the desired colour).

The colour that is obtained after drying and hardening depends on the ambient conditions and the processing method. For instance, a freshly smoothed surface will be lighter than one that is smoothed later or roughened. Different grain sizes of the same product may lead to slight differences in colour. Substrates soaked from the back may cause discolouration.

Always set up a trial area/trial areas first.

Alkaline binders may cause a dissolution process on non-ferrous metals.

Deviations from applicable regulations must be agreed separately.

The relevant test certificates must be observed when planning and carrying out work.

### Tools / Cleaning

Mixer, trowel, jointing iron, profiling tool (e.g. tubing)



Clean tools and equipment with water before the mortar sets.

### Storage / Shelf life

If stored in an unopened container and in a dry place, the product will keep for approx. 12 months.



#### Safety data / Regulations

For further information on the safety aspects of transporting, storing and handling the product and on disposal and environmental matters, please see the current Safety Data Sheet.

#### Disposal

Larger quantities of leftover product should be disposed of in the original containers in accordance with the applicable regulations. Completely empty, clean containers should be recycled. Do not dispose of together with household waste. Do not allow to enter the sewage system. Do not empty into drains.

# Declaration of performance

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CE marking



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Designed general purpose masonry mortar for external use in elements subject to structural requirements

 $\mu 15/35$ 

Compressive strength: M10

Bond strength (Initial shear strength): 0.15 N/mm² (tab. value EN 771)

Chloride content: ≤ 0.1 M.-% Reaction to fire: class A1

Water absorption:  $\leq 0.70 \text{ kg/(m}^2 \text{min}^{0.5})$ 

Water vapour permeability (tab. value EN

1745).

Thermal conductivity ( $\lambda$ 10,dry) (tab. value EN  $\leq$  0.82 W/(m•K) P = 50% 1745):  $\leq$  0.89 W/(m•K) P = 90% Durability (against freeze-thaw): Resistant, by use acc. TDS

Please note that the data and information given above have been calculated as guidelines in the laboratory and from real-life experience and are therefore not binding as a basic principle.

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