



FIVE STAR® VERTICAL PATCH

Vertical/Overhead Concrete Repair

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Five Star Vertical Patch is a one component, fast setting, easy to use, enhanced hydraulic cement mortar used for repair of vertical and overhead concrete surfaces without formwork. Five Star Vertical Patch provides a durable chloride resistant repair with a low chloride ion permeability.

ADVANTAGES

- Can be troweled vertically or overhead
- One product for thin or thick applications
- Freeze/thaw resistance
- One component/ease of use

USES

- Repair of concrete walls, ceilings and other concrete infrastructures

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Five Star Products maintains the industry's foremost Engineering and Technical Support Group:

- Over 30 years of experience in concrete repair
- Technical Center staffed with experienced engineers available for consultation
- Design-A-Spec™ for engineering specification assistance
- Experienced representatives for field service
- Corporate research laboratory available to customize products for unique applications

PACKAGING AND YIELD

Five Star Vertical Patch is packaged in heavy-duty polyethylene lined bags each weighing 50 lb (22.7 kg) yielding approximately 0.41 cubic feet (11.6 liters).

SHELF LIFE

One year in original unopened packaging when stored in dry conditions. Higher humidity will reduce shelf life.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES AT 73°F (23°C):

Compressive Strength, ASTM C 109	
3 Hours	2000 psi (13.8 MPa)
1 Day	3500 psi (24.1 MPa)
28 Days	6000 psi (41.4 MPa)
Bond Strength, ASTM C 882	
1 Day	1500 psi (10.4 MPa)
7 Days	2000 psi (13.8 MPa)
Length Change, ASTM C 157	
28 Days Wet	+0.03%
28 Days Dry	- 0.05%
Time of Set, ASTM C 266	
Initial Set	20-30 minutes
Final Set	30-40 minutes
Chloride Ion Permeability, ASTM C 1202	
28 Days	Very Low (< 1000 Coulombs)

The data shown above reflect typical results based on laboratory testing under controlled conditions. Reasonable variations from the data shown above may result. Test methods are modified where applicable.



PLACEMENT GUIDELINES

1. **SURFACE PREPARATION:** All surfaces in contact with Five Star Vertical Patch shall be free of oil, grease, laitance, and other contaminants. Concrete must be clean, sound and rough to ensure a good bond. Remove all oxidation from exposed reinforcing steel and for additional protection coat reinforcing steel with Five Star® AC Coat. A perimeter edge and minimum depth of 1/4 inch (6 mm) should be provided for a durable repair. Soak surfaces prior to application with liberal quantities of potable water, leaving the concrete saturated and free of standing water. Surfaces shall be conditioned to between 45°F and 90°F (7°C and 32°C) at the time of placement.
2. **MIXING:** Mix Five Star Vertical Patch for approximately three to five minutes to a uniform consistency with a mortar mixer or heavy-duty drill and paddle mixer. Do not exceed maximum recommended amount of mixing water as stated on the package or add an amount that will cause segregation. Do not mix more material than can be placed in 15 minutes.
3. **PLACEMENT PROCEDURES:** Work a small amount of Five Star Vertical Patch into damp concrete surface. Then apply with trowel taking care not to leave air pockets. Application is from one side of the repair to the other, filling the repair to the desired level. Roughen surface between lifts. Lifts may be placed in approximately 45 minutes. Finish as necessary.
SPECIAL CONDITIONS: For use in cold temperatures, Five Star Vertical Patch must be maintained at a temperature of at least 45°F (7°C). Protect from freezing until a compressive strength of at least 1000 psi (6.9 MPa) is obtained. Faster strength gain will occur when the Five Star Vertical Patch and mixing water have been conditioned to a higher temperature prior to placement.
In hot temperatures, Five Star Vertical Patch should be kept as cool as possible, but not exceeding 90°F (32°C). Chilled water should be used for mixing to help maintain sufficient working time.
4. **POST-PLACEMENT PROCEDURES:** Five Star Vertical Patch shall be protected until initial set. Immediately coat with an approved curing compound meeting water retention properties of ASTM C 309 or wet cure for a minimum of three days. In-service operation may begin immediately after the required strength has been reached.
NOTE: PRIOR TO APPLICATION, READ ALL PRODUCT PACKAGING THOROUGHLY. For more detailed placement procedures, refer to DESIGN-A-SPEC™, or call the Five Star Products Engineering and Technical Center at 800-243-2206.

LIMITATIONS

- Never exceed the maximum water content as stated on the package or add an amount that will cause segregation.
- Temperature of surfaces must be between 45°F and 90°F (7°C and 32°C) at time of placement.
- Repair material shall be protected from freezing until it reaches 1000 psi (6.9 MPa).

CAUTION

Contains cementitious material and crystalline silica. International Agency for Research on Cancer has evaluated that there is sufficient evidence for the carcinogenicity of inhaled crystalline silica to humans. Take appropriate measures to avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes and contact with skin. In case of contact with eyes, immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Immediately call a physician. Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Keep product out of reach of children. **PRIOR TO USE, REFER TO MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET.**

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