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# TYPE S MASONRY CEMENT

Maxi-Mix Type S Masonry Cement is a pre-blended mixture of Portland cement, masonry cement and brick sand. It is available in bulk or small bags. It is a specially formulated mix that conforms to the CSA A179-14 standard and is suitable for loadbearing/non-loadbearing applications as well as below grade use. The mix is computer weighed and batched to meet the demands of the architects and the masons. It is available in natural grey or can be colored.

### USES

### SUITABLE FOR

- Suitable for laying block.
- For exterior or interior loadbearing.
- For non-loadbearing walls as well as below grade use.

### **MIXING PROCEDURES**

### BULK

### Maxi-Mix Built-In Auger Silo

Adjust the water faucet on the control panel to suit desired consistency.

#### Mason's Mixer

Add sufficient water prior to dispensing dry mortar into mixer. Add water and dry mortar to desired quantity and consistency.

### **BAG**

Add approximately 4 liters (1.0 US gal) per 66 lb. bag. Place 75% of water into empty mixer. Slowly add dry premix. Mix for 6-10 minutes. Add water to reach desired consistency.

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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### **PROPERTY SPECIFICATIONS**CSA A179-14

COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH (MIN)	LAB	JOBSITE
7 Days 28 Days	7.5 MPa 12.5 MPa	5 MPa 8.5 MPa
FLOW AIR CONTENT WATER RETENTION	100-115% <18% >70%	130-150%

### **APPLICATION**

Spread a uniform coat of mortar on the surface of the masonry unit to be applied. Apply mortar on one end of the free unit and position against unit in place. Tap unit down to be level with adjacent unit. Remove excess mortar off face of units, set level on top and tap level to ensure units are level. Ensure full head and bed joints. Tool joints with jointing tool when mortar reaches thumbprint hardness. Tooling too early will result in a mortar surface curing lighter in color. Tooling too late can burn the mortar and result in a darker shade.

**Note:** Mortar should be used up within 1½ hours following mixing if temperature is equal to or higher than 25 °C (77°F). If temperature is lower than 25°C (77°F), use within 2½ hours. Discard unused mortar.

### COVERAGE

One ton of Maxi-Mix Type S mortar yields approximately 240-275 concrete blocks (8").

A 66 lb. premixed bag will yield approximately 7-10 concrete blocks (8").

### **SAFETY**

Maxi-Mix Type S mortar is corrosive and may cause skin and respiratory system irritation. Wear rubber gloves, safety glasses and NIOSH approved respirators (N95 rating or greater) for dust, in particular when using the product from a bulk silo gravity operation using a mechanical mixer.

Refer to the SDS sheets on our website at **www.maximix.ca.** 

## WARRANTY AND DISCLAIMER

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Users should test this product to determine acceptability and suitability for their own intended use.