

### **CAPPING CEMENT SPECIFICATION**

**Grade Name: K112** 

**Applications:** Grade for linear fluorescent lamps with additional humidity

resistance, standard incandescent and HEI lamps up to 100 watts with 1000 hours life. Ideal where customers wish to use one grade for both fluorescent and incandescent.

**Physical appearance:** 

Powder appearance: Fine off white powder

Paste appearance: Smooth dark green coloured paste

Cured appearance: Dark straw coloured expanded solid

**Physical properties:** 

Solvent: ethanol (94%)

Powder:solvent ratio: 11 L/100Kg powder @ 23°C

Viscosity: 275 - 325 (+/- 5) 10ths/mm paste penetration @ 23°C

Powder density: 1.05 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (tapped)

Paste density: 1.9 - 2.1 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Average expansion: 70 - 90 %

Moisture resistance: excellent

Paste storage life: 6 weeks Stored in sealed containers @ 21°C

(Note - Higher temperatures <u>reduce</u> life)

Powder storage life: 12 months

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#### Health and Safety data sheets are available upon request

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# **Recommended cleaning** Ethanol, isopropanol

Capping cement information

solvent:

#### Recommended mixing sequence:

- 1. Place alcohol in mixing vessel
- 2. Add half of powder
- 3. Mix for 5 minutes\*
- 4. Add remainder of powder 5. Mix for a further 15 minutes\*
- 6. Allow to stand for 1 hour before use

\*mixing times vary

## Recommended mixing machines:

Hobart Winkworth Z Blade type Bowers Molteni

## Recommended quantity of paste by cap type\*: (for quidance only)

B22d	1.5 - 1.7 g
E27	1.6 - 1.8 g
B22d	1.2 - 1.4 g
E14	0.9 - 1.0 g
B15d	0.9 - 1.0 g
T8	0.8 - 1.2 g
T10	1.3 - 1.5 g
T12	1.6 - 2.0 g

#### **Curing Parameters:**

As cement curing is influenced by paste weight, curing temperature and time, precise figures cannot be given. For guidance purposes:

2 grams of paste @200°C will cure in 35 - 40 seconds 2 grams of paste @160°C will cure in 150 - 160 seconds

Prolonged exposure of curing cement to temperatures above 250°C should be avoided

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