



# TRADE MORTAR

## FOR MASONRY, BRICK & STONE



AVAILABLE SIZE:  
**30KG**

**YIELD**



**30kg bag  
0.014m<sup>3</sup>**

Check out our app to calculate bags required for your brick or block size

Dricon® Trade Mortar is specially designed for trade brick and block mortar jobs. It consists of a uniformly blended mixture of graded sands, Portland cement and specialised admixtures for a high level of workability and coverage. Endorsed by the brick and block layers federation and complies with NZS4210; 1989 for masonry construction.

Dricon® Trade Mortar is grey in appearance but can be coloured using selected Dricon® Oxitone® Oxides. It can also be further enhanced by using Dricon® Concrete Treatment and Dricon® Moisture Repellent Sealer.

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### COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH

12.5Mpa after 28 days

### WATER CONTENT

3.8 – 4.2 litres per bag

### EQUIPMENT

Trade Mortar is designed to be mixed in a concrete mixer and applied with a mason's trowel.

### JUST ADD WATER

Pour 3.8 to 4.2 litres of water into the mixer then slowly add the bag of Trade Mortar (water quantities will vary according to seasonal conditions and outside temperature).

### MIXING

Allow 5-6 minutes of mixing time to get the correct Trade Mortar consistency.

### TOPPING UP

It may be necessary to add small quantities of water to bring the mix up to its final desired level of workability.

### LAYING

The board life of Trade Mortar under normal weather conditions is on average 30–35 minutes. Trade Mortar meets NZS 4210:2001 Masonry Construction Standard of 12.5MPa after 28 days.

### SUITABLE PROJECTS

- Brick Laying
- Block Laying
- Stone and Rock Walls
- Small Plaster repairs
- Pave Bedding

### BENEFITS

- Minimises waste
- Has consistent material calculations from bag to bag
- Contains a dry plasticiser accepted and endorsed by key trade users
- 30kg bag size for ease of use



## DANGER

- Causes skin irritation
- May cause respiratory irritation
- Causes serious eye damage
- If medical advice is needed, have product container or packaging at hand

## PREVENTION

- Only use outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
- Avoid breathing dust
- Wear protective clothing – safety goggles and a P2 dust mask must be worn
- Contaminated clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace

## RESPONSE

**IF ON SKIN:** Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated cloth and wash before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs, get medical advice/attention.

**IF INHALED:** Move to fresh air and keep resting in a position comfortable for breathing.

**IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if worn and easy to do. Continue to rinse.

**Immediately call the NATIONAL POISON CENTRE 0800 764 766 or doctor/physician.**

## GENERAL INFORMATION

If only part of the bag is required, mix the entire contents of the bag together first in a dry state, return the unwanted portion to the bag or alternatively a dry sealed container, then follow the instructions.

All mortars and concrete products may exhibit a temporary 'whitening', otherwise known as efflorescence which neither affects strength nor durability.



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