

OVERVIEW

Terraco Colourmix is a ready mixed masonry mortar used for laying clay bricks to create a coloured masonry joint. Terraco Colourmix is designed for both interior and exterior structures such as facades, partition walls and fireplaces, etc. It is available in a range of ten standard colours. Terraco Colourmix is available in 4 grades, designed for bricks with different water absorption rates.

PRODUCT GRADES/CODES

Colourmix A1	77380
Colourmix B1	77381
Colourmix C1	77382
Colourmix D1	77383

PROPERTIES

Terraco Colourmix is a blend of special cements, graded aggregates, plasticizers and lightfast pigments with the following properties:

- Ready to use
- Excellent workability
- Good bond strength
- Uniform finish
- Attractive colour range

AREAS OF USE

Terraco Colourmix is designed for use as a masonry mortar for laying clay bricks and as a pointing mortar for refreshing old joints in existing brickwork.

PREPARATION OF SURFACE

Ensure that bricks are dry and free from loose particles, dust, dirt and other contaminants.

MIXING

Mix thoroughly with the recommended amount of water, using a high speed mixer or hand agitator for 2 minutes. Let the material stand for 5 minutes prior to application. The consistency can be adjusted with powder or water if required.

APPLICATION & CLEANING OF TOOLS

Apply the Terraco Colourmix to the brick surface using a mortar applicator or trowel to approximately 10 mm thickness. Place the bricks into the mortar ensuring good contact. Check the level and continue with next brick. Remove excess material and smooth surface before setting. Use mixed material within one hour. Do not re-temper with water.

Terraco Colourmix can be used for pointing and refreshing existing mortar joints.

Clean tools and equipment with water after use.

HEALTH & SAFETY

Avoid prolonged contact with eyes and skin. For detailed information refer to relevant material safety data sheet.

PACKAGING & STORAGE

Terraco Colourmix is supplied in 25kg paper sacks.

Store containers in a clean dry area protected from direct sunlight and extreme heat and cold. Unopened containers can be stored for 6 months. Use oldest material first.

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TECHNICAL DATA

Product	Coloured masonry mortar.
Filler	Graded silica.
Additives	Plasticizers, adhesion promoting agent, lime and lightfast pigments.
Compressive Strength	>5.0 N/mm ²
Colour	Available in a range of 10 standard colours.
Mixing Ratio	3.5-4.0ltr water/25kg powder
Yield	25kg powder + 4ltr water will yield 14.5ltr mix.
Consumption	2.0kg/m ² /mm
Packaging	25kg paper sacks.
Storage	6 months in original unopened containers.

Grade	Brick Water Absorption Rate
Colourmix A1	>10%
Colourmix B1	8-10%
Colourmix C1	3-8%
Colourmix D1	<5%

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