

SITE GUIDE

DRY SILO MORTAR

SITE GUIDE No.9: BULK BAGS

STORAGE

- Tarmac Bulk Bags are weather resistant; however, they should still be stored in a way that protects them from the elements as a precaution. i.e. on pallets/off the floor and covered with a waterproof material such as a tarpaulin.
- Tarmac Bulk Bags contain an inner liner, when loading/unloading and moving the bags around site, care should be taken not to damage this inner liner. If the liner is damaged, moisture will pass freely into the dry material causing it to set.
- Once a bulk bag is opened for use, then it is advisable to re tie the top to prevent any water ingress.
- If the dry mortar is exposed to water or moist air then it's likely the material will start to set, and lumps may form, in this instance the whole bag should be disposed of.

DELIVERY

- Tarmac material will be generally delivered on articulated vehicles with offload facility's however, a limited number of smaller vehicles can be made available on request and dependent upon site location.

TERMS AND CONIDITIONS

- A minimum order of coloured and specialist bags will be applied, this minimum can be confirmed with Tarmac's Sales Office.
- Tarmac always recommend that a sample bag is taken prior to ordering material in bulk to ensure the colour is as expected/required*.
- Sample bags are 25kg as standard and these are supplied via collection only (couriers are accepted). Please allow 48 hours' notice with the sales office prior to collection and a charge may be levied for there provision.

Tarmac cannot be held responsible for any dissatisfaction with the mortar colour if a sample bag is not taken prior to bulk

ORDERING

- All bags including natural M4, M6 & M12 and special mixes are on a 5-day lead time**.

***Please note these lead times may be subject to change during extremely busy periods*

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Full PPE must be worn; approved glasses or goggles, full length trousers, a Hi-Viz Jacket and an appropriate face mask.
- There is a risk of serious burns if skin comes into contact with wet lime and cement mixes like fresh concrete, mortar or screed.
- Where skin contact occurs either directly or through saturated clothing, wash immediately with soap and clean water.
- For eye contact immediately wash out eyes thoroughly with clean water, if swallowed wash out mouth and drink plenty of water.
- Please refer to the Tarmac Material Safety Data Sheet for Mortars and Technical Data Sheet for Dry Silo Mortar 100/02 for more information.