

# **SOFT ROCK MINING / HARD ROCK MINING**

# **CARBOTHIX 1:2 SLOW SET**

# TWO COMPONENT GROUTING RESIN

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Carbothix Slow Set consists of two resin/hardener components, A and B. Component A is a specifically designed sodium silicate in water solution. Component B is a modified polyisocyanate.

When intensively mixed together via a specialised static mixer from the metered pumping system the mixture thickens very quickly to form a tough interpenetrating network of non-porous elastic silicate or organomineral resin. This minimises leakage from the bolt hole, displaces drilling water helping to ensure full encapsulation. After the two components have been effectively mixed, the resulting viscous emulsion will not absorb any water.

#### **ADVANTAGES**

- Immediate thickening minimizing leakage from bolt hole
- Injection quantity can be adjusted when fractured ground is encountered
- Carbothix is resistant to dilute acids and alkalis as well as fats
- German LOBA approval
- High flash point of each component
- Can be pumped long distances
- No fillers reduced pump wear
- Less dependent on operator no specific spin time required
- ▶ Effective mixing of both components guaranteed
- Improvement in productivity
- Safer

#### **APPLICATION AND USES**

Grouting resin used for anchoring bolts/cables used for strata/rock support and reinforcement in coal and hard rock mines.





Figure 1: Carbothix A and B

#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

	Component A	Component B	Standard
Density Kg/m²	1445+/-50	1150+/-25	DIN 12 791
Colour	Light brown	Dark brown	-
Flash point °C	-	> 140	DIN 53 213
Viscosity @ 25°C mPas	320-420	250-350	ISO 3219

#### **Test Data**

Tests performed at 22°C

Punched Shear Strength (MPa)	15 mins 1 hour	12 20
Gel Time (secs)	49	
Cure Time: Penetrometer hardness test (secs)	86	

Note: The properties listed are an indication only, and may vary with temperature, mining conditions, strata conditions, equipment, bolt hole annulus, injection quantity etc.



# **APPLICATION METHOD**

The two components are pumped by a dual component SK90 gear pump or PHP Pump, with volume flow of 4-6 litres/minute, at the volumetric ratio of 2:1 Part B: Part A, usually through a specially designed grouting head to keep both components separated and mixed thoroughly via a specially designed static mixer.

# PACKAGING AND TRANSPORTATION

#### **Pack Size**

Carbothix- Component A
19 litres per steel pail (weight 24 kg)

Carbothix – Component B 19 litres per steel pail (weight 19 kg)

Above steel pails are normally supplied in bunded, lockable steel PODS.

Other packaging options available on request.

#### STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

At least six months from date of delivery or twelve months from date of production when stored in dry conditions.

If this time is exceeded, it is recommended having the material checked by Minova for compliance with specification.

### STORAGE CONDITIONS

Part B is packed under nitrogen, and after opening should be purged with nitrogen before storage.

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

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