

# Harris Construction Grout

## 50 lb. Bag

Non-shrink, Non-metallic grout

### DESCRIPTION

Harris Construction Grout is a non-shrink, non-metallic multipurpose cement-based grout. Harris Construction Grout is formulated for a wide variety of grouting applications, from damp pack to flowable through a controlled, positive expansion.

### USE

Recommended applications include grouting of pump and equipment based column base plates, anchor bolts, pre-cast and tilt-up walls.

### FEATURES / BENEFITS

- Controlled positive expansion for maximum effective bearing
- Non-metallic / non-corrosive
- Pourable / pumpable versatility
- Excellent freeze / thaw resistance
- Can be extended with pea stone for deep applications

### SPECIFICATIONS / COMPLIANCES

Corp of Engineers CRD-C-621 Grade A, B & C  
ASTM C-1107. Grade A, B & C

### APPLICATION

**Preparation:** Remove all dirt, oil, and loose or foreign material. Any metal in contact with grout must be free of rust, oil, grease, and other foreign matter which would limit bond. Concrete surface must be sound and roughened to insure proper bonding. Prior to placing grout, surface should be saturated for a minimum period of four hours and preferably for twenty-four hours. Remove all excess water before placement of grout. Bolts, base plates and equipment must be secure and rigid before placement of grout.

**Forms:** Allow for the continuous placement of grout. Provisions for venting to avoid air entrapment must be made. Placing from one side, provide a 45° angle in the forms to a height suitable to provide a head of grout during placement. On all sides, provide a minimum 1" (2.54 cm) horizontal clearance between the base plate and forms. Forms should be at least 1" (2.54 cm) higher than the bottom of the base plate.

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**Mixing:** Small quantities of grout may be hand mixed in a concrete mixing pan until lump free. For large quantities and continuous pours, mix using a mortar mixer with rubber tipped blades or appropriate grout pump for a minimum of 5 minutes. Start with minimum water requirements.

Always add water to mixer first, then slowly add powder. Use only the amount of water required for the desired placement consistency. Mix in two steps: Add 2/3 of the water, add grout, after partial mixing add the remaining 1/3 of the water for desired consistency. Thoroughly mix total quantity for an additional 2 to 3 minutes. Do not mix more than can be placed in 30 minutes. Test data and recommended water amounts are based on laboratory conditions. Actual field results may vary based on jobsite conditions.

Plastic/Dry Pack 55 lbs grout 6.93-7.54 pints (3.28-3.57 liters)	Flowable 55 lbs grout 7.54-8.52 pints (3.57-4.03 liters)	Fluid 55 lbs grout 8.52-9.18 pints (4.03-4.34 liters)
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**Placing:** Place continuously and quickly. Start from one side to avoid air trapment. Be sure grout fills spaces and remains in contact with plate. DO NOT VIBRATE. A minimum of 1" (2.48 cm) vertical clearance should be maintained for base plate grouting applications. Thinner vertical clearances may require the use of another type of grout.

**Curing:** Immediately cover with clean, wet rags (do not use burlap) and keep moist until final set. After final set, remove rags and apply an ASTM-C-309 curing com-

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### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid
<b>Water / 50 lb.</b>	6.30-6.85 pints	6.85-7.75 pints	7.75-8.35 pints
<b>Compressive Strength</b>			
	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid
<b>1 day</b>	4,000 psi	3,100 psi	2,100 psi
<b>3 days</b>	5,500 psi	5,000 psi	4,000 psi
<b>7 days</b>	8,100 psi	6,900 psi	5,100 psi
<b>28 days</b>	10,200 psi	8,400 psi	7,000 psi
<b>Expansion Percentage</b>			
	Plastic	Flowable	Fluid
<b>1 day</b>	0.07	0.03	0.03
<b>3 days</b>	0.07	0.03	0.02
<b>14 days</b>	0.07	0.03	0.02
<b>28 days</b>	0.07	0.03	0.02

**Note:** the data shown is based on controlled laboratory testing. Reasonable variation from test results shown can be expected. Field and laboratory testing should be controlled on the basis of the desired placing consistency, rather than strictly on water content.

pound, such as Harris Emulsion Kurseal 309.

#### Special Conditions:

**Deep application:** Pre-washed and graded 3/8" (1 cm) pea gravel must be used in applications thicker than 3" (7.62 cm) as follows:

- 3"-5" (7.62-12.7 cm): Add 25% of 3/8" (1 cm) pea gravel per 50 lb bag of grout.
  - 5" (12.7 cm) and over: Add 50% of 3/8" (1 cm) pea gravel per 50 lb bag of grout.
- Place in 6" lifts with proper reinforcement

**Hot weather conditions:** Provide shade for area to be grouted. Use cool or chilled mixing water. Protect grout from direct sun exposure for up to 24 hours after grouting. The maximum temperature (ambient and substrate) for grouting is 85°F (29°C). The maximum grout temperature should not exceed 80°F (27°C). For additional information, refer to ACI 305 (Recommended Practices for Hot Weather Concreting).

**Cold weather conditions:** Raise the temperature of the area to be grouted with space heaters or steam. Warm the mixing water. Cover and insulate the grout to retain warmth. The minimum temperature (ambient, substrate, and grout) for grouting is 40°F (5°C). For additional information, refer to ACI 306 (Recommended Practices for Cold Weather Concreting).

## PACKAGING / YIELD

50 lb (22.7Kg) multiple plastic lined bag will yield approximately 0.45 cu. ft. in a fluid condition.  
50% by weight extension (25 lbs) of 3/8" pea stone will yield approximately 0.59 cu. ft.

## LIMITATIONS / PRECAUTIONS

DO NOT place at temperatures below 40°F (5°C) or if the temperature is expected to fall below 40°F (5°C) in the next twenty four hour period. At low temperatures, water requirement should be field tested.

When nearby equipment causes vibration of the grout, such equipment should be shut down for a period of 24 hours (at 73°F (23°C)). DO NOT mix over 5 minutes. DO NOT over water; this can cause bleeding or separation. DO NOT retemper. DO NOT add cement, sand, aggregate, or admixtures.

Avoid hazards by following all precautions found in the Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS), product labels, and technical literature

## SHELF LIFE / STORAGE

Harris Construction Grout should be stored in a cool, dry interior area. At no time should material be exposed to high moisture, rain, or snow conditions. When stored in the original, tightly closed container, the shelf life is one year from the date of manufacture.

## TECHNICAL SERVICES

For assistance, contact technical services at:  
860-665-9494  
www.ahharris.com

### 24 HOUR EMERGENCY CONTACT:

CHEMTREC - 800-424-9300

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