# PostFast<sup>®</sup>



#### THE PRODUCT

Reader PostFast® is the ideal time and effort saving solution for domestic or commercial applications such as fixing posts, road signs or bollards, as no mixing with water is required before placing.

## **QUALITY**

All Reader special products are tested in accordance with specific procedures to ensure compliance to specification prior to despatch.

#### **PACKAGING & STORAGE**

Reader PostFast® can be supplied in Bulk Tanker, 20Kg plastic bags or 1 tonne bags, palletised and shrink wrapped.

The packaging is 100% water proof but for best results the material should be stored clear of the ground, sheeted and preferably under cover and unopened. The pallets should not be stacked more than two high with the material being used on a first in, first out basis.

For best results, store correctly and use within a 12 month period of manufacture.

#### **MIXING & USAGE GUIDE**

Do not use when air temperature is below +5°C or when ground is frozen. Do not mix this product with any other cement, cement admixture or similar products. Do not move the post for at least 10 minutes until after the product has set. For your comfort and convenience wear gloves to avoid any material contacting the skin.

- Dig a hole of sufficient depth for the post –
  As a useful guide a 3m post should have
  1m below and 2m above ground level. Avoid
  digging the hole in an ever widening neck.
  The width of the hole should be at least x3
  the diameter of the post.
- Place the post in the hole and fix in position.
   Check for alignment with a spirit level. Stake
  the post with supporting battens, leaving
  your hands free for the rest of the job.
- 3. Empty half the contents of the bag into the hole around the base of the post. Pour 1 litre of clean water onto the Reader PostFast®. The best results are obtained when the water is poured on the area directly surrounding the post. Stop pouring when the water ceases to soak away.

- 4. Now empty the remaining contents of the bag into the hole and again, pour a further 1 litre clean water onto the Reader PostFast® until the water ceases to soak away.
- 5. After setting (approximately 5-10 minutes dependent on ambient temperature), the batten supports can be removed. Ideally, allow a further hour before attempting to fix anything to the post as any movement may weaken the concrete.

NOTE: Ensure all tools and equipment are cleaned thoroughly with water prior to the material setting.

Reader Cement Products Ltd cannot accept responsibility for unsatisfactory concrete where workmanship has not been carried out in accordance with good practice.

# **HEALTH & SAFETY**

Cement powder when mixed with water releases Alkali which may cause skin and eye irritation. We therefore advise the use of barrier creams, gloves and protective eye-wear as a precaution when using these products.



# **APPLICATIONS**

- For fixing posts, road signs and bollards
- No requirement for mixing just add water after placing
- As a guide a 2.4m post should have 0.6m below and 1.8m above ground level. One 20kg bag of Reader PostFast® will secure a standard size fence post. Setting is normally in 10-15 minutes but may be longer in cold weather

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### **Danger**

Causes serious eye damage Causes skin irritation May cause allergic skin reaction May cause respiratory irritation



