



Certificate number: FS453/04



SERVICE PENETRATIONS



# FS20 Firestop Compound

## Application

FS20 Firestop Compound is used to provide a fire rated seal around service penetrations in fire rated walls and floors. Tested in accordance with BS 476:Part 22, Fire Security Firestop Compound provides up to 6 hours fire protection.

General benefits:

- Smoke seal
- Good acoustic insulation
- Simple installation
- Load bearing seal
- Suitable to make good around most types of service penetrations
- Unaffected by humidity
- Maintenance free
- No smoke emission

## Fire Rating

Fire Rating	Thickness of Mortar
1-2 Hours	75mm
3-6 Hours	100mm

## Acoustic

Thickness of Mortar	Weighted Sound Reduction Index (Rw)
50mm	39dB
100mm	46dB
150mm	51dB

## Description

FS20 Firestop Compound is a specially formulated gypsum based mortar, which is mixed with water to be trowelled or poured around service penetrations. Plastic pipework must be protected with either Fire Security Firestop Collars or Intumescent Pipe Wraps (see data sheets).

In floors, permanent formwork panel (50mm) is cut and friction fitted between services and the edges of the floor slab. FS20 Firestop Compound is then trowelled over the formwork to a depth of 25mm thick. This is allowed to harden. The FS20 Firestop Compound is then mixed to a pouring grade and tops the seal up to the required depth.

In walls, FS20 Firestop Compound is mixed into a stiff consistency for trowelling into smaller openings. In larger openings, FS20 Firestop Compound can be cast into blocks which can be built into walls.

## Coverage

Thickness of Mortar	Number of Bags per m <sup>2</sup>
75mm	3.15
100mm	4.2
150mm	6.3

These are approximate calculations based on 22kg bags. The coverage does not take into account the percentage of the hole filled with services.

## Specification

Install FS20 Firestop Compound to provide 1,2,3 or 4 hour fire rating to all service penetrations through all fire rated walls and floors. Installation to be fully in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

## FIRE RATINGS



Tested to BS 476:Part 22



## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

You can request from our technical sales office the following information:

- Material Safety Data Sheets
- Installation Instructions
- Product Certification



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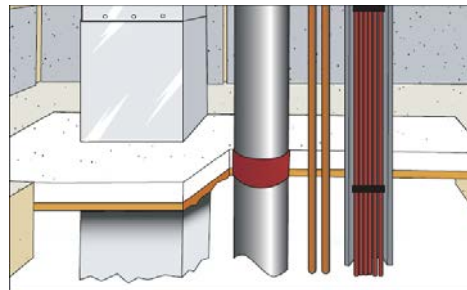


## Load Bearing Fire Seals

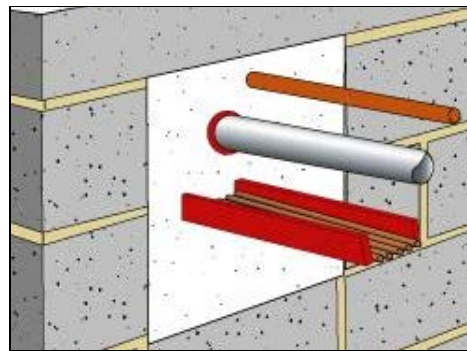
Thickness of Mortar	Load Bearing Area Free of Services
75mm	500 x 500mm *
100mm	750 x 750mm *

The open area free of services: thickness of seal ratios for non-reinforced seals given above, allow an ample safety margin for normal foot traffic e.g. loads of two men plus equipment with a combined weight of up to 200kg. FS20 Firestop Compound sets in 30-45 minutes and is capable of accommodating foot traffic in approximately 72 hours.

\* As a further safety margin, we would recommend that all floor seals with clear areas greater than in the above table must be reinforced. Please contact our technical department for details.



FS20 Firestop Compound poured onto permanent mineral fibre shutter in floor.



FS20 Firestop Compound trowelled into wall.

## ORDERING

When ordering this product you will need the following information:

- Size of opening
- Details of service penetrations
- Fire rating
- Quantity required

Please order from our technical sales office.

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