### **Technical Data**



# **CRACK-FLEX°PRO**

**CRACK-FLEX** PRO is a hot applied joint and crack sealing compound formulated with selected asphaltic resins, synthetic polymeric rubber, plasticizers, stabilizers, and a blend of organic reinforcing fillers. This economical material is a one-part sealant that provides excellent results. GemSeal **CRACK-FLEX PRO** is designed specifically for today's asphalt and concrete pavements.

## **Specifications**

ASTM D 3405 ASTM D 6690 Types 2 & 3 AASHTO M 301 AASHTO M 324 Types 2 & 3

Exceeds
ASTM D 1190
ASTM D 6690 Type 1
AASHTO M 173
AASHTO M 324 Type 1

Fed. Spec. SS-S-164 SS-S-1401C FAA P605

#### **TYPICAL PROPERTIES:**

Safe Heating Temperature
Application Temperature
Heating Time
Penetration 77 F
Resiliency 77 F
Flow 140 F
Bond -20 F / 50 % Extension
Bond 0 F / 100 % Extension
Softening Point

375 F

Softening Point Viscosity Specific Gravity Asphalt Compatibility Flash Point 410 F Max.
370-390 F
12 Hours Max.
90 dmm Max.
60 % Min.
3 mm Max.
3 Cycles Passed
3 Cycles Passed
176 F Min.
50 Poise Max.
1.19 Approximately

Pass 400 F Min.

#### **APPLICATIONS:**

GemSeal CRACK-FLEX PRO is recommended for sealing of

joints and cracks in asphaltic and concrete pavements. It is designed for use in sealing expansion and contraction joints as well as random cracks.

**SURFACE PREPARATION:** To facilitate proper adhesion, the joint or crack should be dry and clear of any dirt, dust or other contaminates. Substrate and ambient temperatures must be 40°F or above. Proper sizing of the joint will cause the maximum extension/compression to not exceed 50% of the width. Joints or random cracks of ½" or less are difficult to properly clean prior to applying the sealant.

#### **EQUIPMENT:**

Use an agitated oil-jacketed unit that has separate temperature gauges for both the sealant and the heat transfer fluid. Take the polybag of sealant and load into the kettle one at a time. Melt only enough material for the day's activities. Once melted, additional material can be added as needed. Material can be safely reheated within the sealants service life.

NOTE: Prolonged heating of the sealant above the maximum safe heating temperature may cause it to gel in the kettle.

#### **SERVICE LIFE:**

The service life (pot-life) at application temperatures is approximately 12 hours. Adding fresh material to the melter as sealant is being used will extend the service life.

Material that has been overheated can thicken and gel in the melter. Any material that has exceeded the service life should be removed from the melter and discarded.

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#### **CAUTION:**

This product is heated to high temperatures during application. Skin contact with heated material can cause severe burns. Wear protective clothing, safety glasses and gloves always while using this product.

## CRACK-FLEX PRO Coverage

is packaged in a 30 lb. polybag inside a high strength corrugated box. Each pallet contains 75 boxes or 2,250 pounds

Width	Depth	Pounds per Linear Ft.
3/8"	3/8"	7.2
3/8"	1/2"	9.6
1/2"	1/2"	12.8
1/2"	1"	25.7
3/4"	1/2"	19.3
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### MANUFACTURING & CUSTOMER SERVICE: Call (866) 264-8273 to find the nearest GemSeal location to purchase Crack-Flex Pro.

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