

INFORMATION BULLETIN

Fedcast 96

DESCRIPTION: Fedcast 96 is a low moisture, tabular alumina castable

bonded with high purity cement. This product's

exceptional hot strength provides for maximum resistance

to impact and abrasion. Available dry or precast.

USES INCLUDE: Degasser snorkels, ladle lips, wellblocks, burner blocks,

etc.

CHEMICAL ANALYSIS: (TYPICAL CHEMICAL ANALYSIS)

(Approximate % by weight)

Al_2O_3	96 %
SiO ₂	0.1 %
Fe ₂ O ₃	0.1 %
CaO	3.0 %
Alkalies	0.1 %

The optimum amount of water to be added before casting is 6.0 - 7.0%.

TYPICAL AS RECEIVED PROPERTIES:

Temperature °F (°C)	Linear Change %	Cold MOR (psi)	Cold Crushing Strength (psi)	Bulk Density pcf (g/cc)
300 (149)	0	2250 (15)	6500 (45)	188 (3.01)
1500 (815)	-0.1	1750 (12)	5500 (38)	188 (3.01)
2800 (1538)	0.2	4750 (33)	-	185 (2.96)
3000 (1649)	-0.1	4750 (33)	-	-

Material installed weight, lb/ft (g/cc) 185 (2.96)
Recommended water range, % 5.5 - 6.0
Service temperature °F (°C) 3300 (1815)
Maximum grain size 4 mesh

The values reported above are average values derived from production data encompassing many different sizes and shapes. Actual data will vary to a small degree naturally, and as a function of size and shape. This form is not intended to be used for purposes of specification, it is informational only.

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