

# **PROTITE Fibreglass Repair KITS**

Codes: PF-FKIT0250, PF-FKIT0500, PF-FKIT1000

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## INTRODUCTION

#### DESCRIPTION

**Protite Fibreglass Repair Kits** come with everything you need to get the job done. Use these ready-to-use DIY kits for repairing cracks, dents, holes and imperfections in fibreglass, metal and timber surfaces.

## **TYPICAL USES**

- Caravans, boats, trailers, bikes and cars
- Fibreglass surfboards, water skis, pools and water tanks
- Down pipes, leaky gutters, metal roofs and rusted panels
- Steel, iron, timber, masonry and aluminium
- Smooth polyester or wooden surfaces

#### **FEATURES**

- Strand-chopped fibreglass matting for reinforcement
- Up to 5% paint tint can be added to the resin to achieve a solid colour
- Available in 3 sizes 250g Kit, 500g Kit and 1kg Kit

## FIBREGLASS REPAIR KIT INCLUDES:

- Fibreglass Resin (Small kit 250g/ Medium kit 500g/ Large kit 1kg)
- Fibreglass Chopped Strand Matting (Small kit 0.25m²/ Medium kit 0.50m²/ Large kit 1.0m²)
- Fibreglass Resin Catalyst Hardener 15ml (Small / Med Kits) , 30ml (Large Kit)
- Nitrile Gloves, Measuring Cup, Applicator Brush, Mixing Stick and Mixing Bucket

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

Pack Size	250g Kit, 500g Kit, 1kg Kit	
Catalyst Specific Gravity 1.14		
Catalyst Flash Point	58°c	
Resin Flash Point	23°c to 33°c	
Clean up	Protite Cleanup Solution	

## **AVAILABLE SIZES**

Barcode	Code	Pack Size	Description
9312219541016	PF-FKIT0250	250gm	PROTITE FIBREGLASS REPAIR KIT SMALL - 0.25M2/250G
9312219541023	PF-FKIT0500	500gm	PROTITE FIBREGLASS REPAIR KIT MEDIUM - 0.50M2/500G
9312219541030	PF-FKIT1000	1kg	PROTITE FIBREGLASS REPAIR KIT LARGE - 1.00M2/1KG





# **APPLICATION**

## How to use this product:

#### Safety:

a. Wear suitable protective clothing, rubber gloves, eye & face protection when using and handling fibreglass, resins and hardener.

#### 2. Surface Preparation:

- a. Prepare the surface with Protite Clean-Up Solution. Surfaces should be clean and dry and free from paint, grease and rust.
- b. Cut the fibreglass mat to shape, allowing approximately 3cm overlap of the required size. Tease out the fibres along the edge of the mat to give a feathered edge.
- c. For larger holes you may need to glue a piece of cardboard to the back of the hole to form a base.

#### 3. Mixing:

- a. Only mix the required amount of Resin and Hardener the job requires as product will start to gel and cure in 30min at 20°C.
- b. Typical ratios would be: 1kg resin = 1m<sup>2</sup> matting; 500g resin = 0.50m<sup>2</sup> matting; 250g resin = 0.25m<sup>2</sup> matting.
- c. Mix the resin and hardener as per the ratio instructions (Cold Day 2.5ml to 3.0ml of Hardener for every 100ml of resin, Hot Days 1.5ml to 2.0ml of Hardener for every 100ml of resin 1ml of Hardener = 45 drops)

#### 4. Application:

- a. Brush a wet coat of resin onto the prepared surface.
- b. Position the fibreglass mat onto the wet resin.
- c. Lightly dab (do not brush in) another coat of Resin onto the Fibreglass Matting remembering not to displace or move the Fibreglass Matting from its position.
- d. Ensure you have thoroughly 'wet out' the fibreglass before moving to the next step.
- e. Using a Fibreglass Roller (sold seperately), gently roll out the fibres to remove any trapped air, do not push roller aggressively as this may move and displace the fibreglass matting.

#### 5. Cure Time:

 a. Full cure of resin is 24hrs. You may add additional layers after 24hrs, light sanding may be required to improve bonding performance between fibreglass layers.

## 6. Clean Up:

a. Clean up with Protite Clean Up Solution

**NOTE:** When using or working on virgin foam ensure the foam is sealed prior to use as application of fibreglass (polyester) resin may dissolve the foam. Not suitable for epoxy surfboards.

## SAFETY

Wear suitable protective clothing, rubber gloves, eye & face protection when using and handling fibreglass, resins and hardener. Also refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) before use.

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