



# PYROCAST XP

## PRECAST HIGH STRENGTH REFRACTORY

Pyrocast XP is a high strength, fused silica castable refractory that exhibits excellent thermal shock resistance. It is resistant to liquid aluminium and its alloys, and offers excellent resistance to erosion and mechanical damage.

### COMPOSITION

Material	Approximate Weight
SiO <sub>2</sub>	75.0%
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	22.1%
CaO	2.0%

### BENEFITS

- Dimensionally stable
- Thermal shock resistant
- Easy clean-up
- Extremely durable
- Smooth cast surface
- Non-wetting



### APPLICATIONS

- Transfer and stub troughs
- Launder linings
- Filter boxes
- Sheet ingot spouts

### AVAILABILITY

- Precast shapes
- Relines with steel work components



Property	Temperature	Value
Density—kg/m <sup>3</sup> (lb/ft <sup>3</sup> )	110°C (230°F)	2050 (127.7)
	500°C (932°F)	2060 (128.3)
	955°C (1750°F)	2060 (128.3)
Linear Expansion	110°C (230°F)	0.0%
	500°C (932°F)	-0.1%
	955°C (1750°F)	-0.1%
Modulus of Rupture—MPa (psi)	110°C (230°F)	10.4 (1505)
	500°C (932°F)	8.6 (1245)
	955°C (1750°F)	8.6 (1250)
Cold Crushing Strength—MPa (psi)	110°C (230°F)	79.6 (11,554)
	500°C (932°F)	53.4 (7750)
	955°C (1750°F)	58.8 (8525)
Hot Modulus of Rupture—MPa (psi)	815°C (1500°F)	19.0 (2762)
Abrasion Resistance—cm <sup>3</sup> (in <sup>3</sup> )	955°C (1750°F)	8–10 (0.49–0.61)
Thermal Conductivity— W/m·K (BTU·in/ft <sup>2</sup> ·hr·°F)	110°C (230°F)	1.20 (8.3)
	500°C (932°F)	1.15 (8.0)
	955°C (1750°F)	1.20 (8.4)
Porosity	500°C (932°F)	15.7%
	955°C (1750°F)	15.4%
Grain Size—mm (in)	5 (0.20)	
Maximum Use Temperature	1370°C (2500°F)	

