# STRONG HOLD



## StrongHold™ Bowing Wall Carbon Fiber Repair System (STR-KIT-BW-516-06)

The StrongHold™ Bowing Wall Carbon Fiber Repair System System is a high strength uni-axial carbon fabric designed to structurally strengthen basement walls to resist bowing.

#### **Advantages**

- Stops bowing in basement walls
- Structural repair
- Simple installation
- Adds only 1/16-th of an inch to the repaired surface
- Corrosion Resistant

### **Packaging**

64-ft kits (STR-BW-516-06-064)

#### **Accessories**

- Tack Coat Paste
- ShapeShift™ High Build Polymer
- Topcoats
- mixing sticks
- gloves
- mixing paddles
- paint trays
- \*Sold Separately

Typical Data & Physical Properties				
Storage Conditions	Store dry 65°F to 29°C), do not ove	`		
Color	Black			
Tensile Strength (ASTM D3039)	150,000 psi	1,034 MPa		
Modulus of Elasticity (ASTM D3039)	12,530 ksi	86,391 MPa		
Elongation @ Break (ASTM D3039)	1.17%			
Single Ply Thickness	0.047 inches	1.19 mm		
Compressive Strength (ASTM D695)	11,000 psi	75.8 MPa		
Shore D Hardness (ASTM D2583)	78			





### **Installation Procedure for StrongHold™ Bowing Wall Carbon Fiber Repair System**

DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS							
Certif	Certified Installer Company Name						
Certified Technician(s)							
Job#							
Proje	Project Name						
MATERIAL HANDLING & STORAGE							
	☐ Product was stored between 65°F and 80°F						
	Packing Slip has been verified against order and design calculations						
Reco	rd	Primer	Filler	ShapeShift	Saturant	Fabric	Topcoat
Item	Code						
QTY							
LOT :	#'s						
EXP							
ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS							
	Surface Temperature  Use an infrared thermometer to obtain value and record below: (°F)(°C)						
	Ambient Temperature  Use a digital temp gauge to obtain value and record below: (°F)(°C)						
	Surface Temperature is > (5°F/3°C) above Dew Point						
	Surface Temp(°F)(°C) - Dew Point(°F)(°C)						
	= VALUE(°F)(°C)						

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SURFACE PREP					
	Surface Repair Guidelines were followed	Remove concrete laitance and repair cracks & unsound concrete or masonry			
	Minimum surface profile was achieved & verified	Surface profile shall be flat and have a texture like 60-grit sandpaper			
	Surface is clean & dry	Confirm that surface moisture is < 5% Confirm surface is dust free by performing coin dust test			
	INSTALLATION				
	Prime the surface with 7-10 mils StrongHold™ Primer  Start by pouring the entire contents of Primer Polymer Part B into the container marked Part A. Mix for 3 minutes using a low speed drill at 400-600 RPM. Using a brush or roller, nap apply the primer to 100% of repair area. Make sure surface is saturated to rejection. No dry spots shall be visible in the prepared area after priming				
	Fill Mortar Joints, Pits, & Smooth Transitions StrongHold™ Tack Coat – if required* Start by pre-mixing the Part A for 3 mins until completely smooth and consistent. Then pour the entire contents of Filler Part B into the container marked Part A. Mix for 3 minutes using a low-speed drill at 400-600 RPM. Apply tack coat to fill mortar joints, pits, bug holes, and surface irregularities. Use tack coat to make transitions over high spots using a 3:1 transition.  *Tack Coat is sold separately – See Accessories				
	Saturate the carbon fabric using StrongHold™ Saturant Start by pouring the entire contents of Saturant Polymer Part B into the container marked Part A. Mix for 3 minutes using a low-speed drill at 400-600 RPM. Unwrap the carbon fabric from its packaging. Unroll the carbon and prepare for wet-out and keep foreign matter off the dry fabric. Use a brush, roller nap, or spatula to fully wet out the carbon fiber on both sides. Roll the wet carbon fiber onto a clean core.				
	Apply StrongHold™ Saturated Fabric to primed & prepared surface  After saturating, press the saturated fabric onto the substrate and using a roller, apply pressure to the surface of the fabric to ensure good bonding. Roll out any trapped air before the polymer sets. Smooth with roller in all directions to remove air pockets. Overhead applications will require tack coat between layers. All bubbles, voids, and fiber disruptions shall be removed while fiber is still wet.				
	Apply ChemSeal™ (or approved) Topcoats – if required*  After all layers of fabric have been installed, apply designated ChemSeal™ Topcoat or other preapproved coating. Topcoat shall cover 100% of surface area applied at designated minimum				





	thickness.				
POST-INSTALLATION INSPECTION & REPAIR					
	Visual Inspection	A visual inspection shall be performed to detect defects such as but not limited to dry fiber, voids, bubbles, insufficient overlaps.			
	Acoustic Tap-Test	An acoustic tap test shall be performed to detect voids and delamination between the composite repair and surface.			
	QC Repair	All anomalies requiring repairs shall be performed prior to return to service.			
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CURE					
	Surface Temps < 77°F / 25°C (Shore D of 78 required)		A minimum 72 hours of cure time has been achieved.		
	Surface Temps > 77°F / 25°C (Shore D of 78 required)		A minimum 24 hours of cure time has been achieved.		
NOTE: Cure times can be decreased by adding heat to the repair location. Consult with HJ3 for a specific cure schedule associated with elevated temperatures.					