

gatorback® MORTARBOARDS



PLYWOOD IS FOR CARPENTERS GATORBACK[®]s ARE **FOR MASONS**

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GATORBACK[®] mortarboards increase the workability of mortar by as much as 30 minutes and cut retempering times and material waste because they don't pull water from your mortar. GATORBACKs keep moisture where it belongs—in your mortar—which keeps your crew busy installing units not wasting time, “shaking up” mortar. GATORBACKs are made of a new super-tough, UV treated polymer that is nearly indestructible. Leave the plywood for carpenters; GATORBACKs are made for masons.

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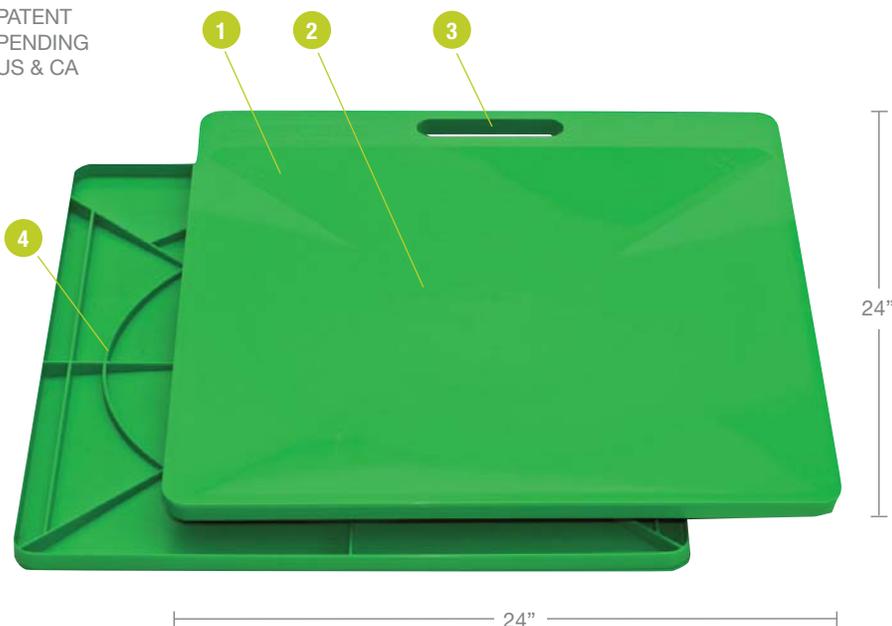
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1
**Water Resistant,
Contour Surface**

Impervious, Perma-Contour surface will not absorb water from mortar which increases boardlife and reduces the time and material wasted on retempering or discarding stiffened mortar. GATORBACKS ensure only good, workable mortar is used for higher production.

2
**Engineered,
Polymer Construction**

Made of specialized lightweight, impact and UV resistant polymer materials, GATORBACK mortarboards are tested to take the daily abuse of trowels, shovels and hammers in both hot and cold climates. They are not affected by muriatic acids.

3
**Integrated
Handle**

1.25" X 6" handle allows a mason or laborer to easily and safely carry multiple mortarboards for fast and efficient set up times. The handle makes daily job site clean up easy, quick and can be used to eliminate the theft of GATORBACKS.

4
**Reinforced
Ribbing**

Patent-pending rib structure enables GATORBACK mortarboards to hold as much as 150 pounds of material without flexing more than an inch. Due to their rigidity and strength, GATORBACKS work with steel stands, scaffold plank or masonry units without warping or denting like wood or steel mortarboards.

DESIGNED FOR PERFORMANCE

Stop wasting time and mortar! GATORBACK mortarboard's patent-pending design, specialized polymer material and impervious surface significantly extend the workability of mortar and increase daily production. GATORBACKS reduce the time masons and laborers waste on retempering mortar. What's more, GATORBACKS greatly decrease the amount of mortar, especially colored mortar, discarded every day from rapid drying and setting. The smooth, water-repellent, perma-contour surface allows a mason to maintain a consistent, natural range of motion to avoid wasted movements that detract from their daily production. Now contractors can control these hidden costs that continuously decrease productivity and profitability.

MANUFACTURED FOR DURABILITY

A good mortarboard must be tough. GATORBACKS are made from a hybrid blend of impact resistant, UV protected polymer materials to withstand the worst abuse in both hot and cold temperatures. When used with standard steel mortarboard stands or placed between CMUs, GATORBACKS are tested to hold 200 pounds of mortar while flexing less than 2 inches.

ENGINEERED FOR PORTABILITY & SAFETY

GATORBACKS are specifically engineered to reduce the chance of injury and strain common with masons and laborers. The integrated handle is specifically positioned to enable masons and laborers to carry GATORBACKS at their sides in a vertical, ergonomically correct manner, not perpendicular to their torso. With GATORBACKS weighing only 5.5 pounds and 0.75 inches thick, a mason or laborer can easily transport up to 8-10 GATORBACKS at one time (4-5 per hand) without back strain or wrist stress. Masons like the contoured smooth surface because it reduces the wear & tear of shoulders, elbows and wrists caused when their trowel snags an edge or divot common with wood boards.

MASONRY INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY

Mason contractors across the U.S., Canada and Europe will attest to the fact that GATORBACK mortarboards have increased their productivity and profitability. Significant research, development and material selection went into the design, strength and performance of this essential working tool giving masonry tradesmen the best equipment to get the job done. Mason contractors thrive when new technology and innovation improves their efficiency, GATORBACKS are proven to do that, EVERY DAY!