DESCRIPTION:
KARNAK 79 Wood Block Mastic is prepared from carefully selected asphalts, solvents and mineral fillers. These components are mechanically mixed thoroughly and passed through a high speed homogenizer ensuring a smooth, trowel consistency product free from foreign matter and lumps.

USES:
79 Wood Block Mastic is a highly adhesive asphalt cement expressly designed for mastic use in cold application of wood block flooring.

APPLICATION:
The temperature of 79 Wood Block Mastic when applied should be above 70°F. If necessary, 79 Wood Block Mastic may be warmed by storing containers in a heated room prior to application. Concrete floors must be dry, sound, level, clean and at least 30 days old, with a good wood float finish or equal. Grease, oil stains and dust must be removed, and high spots levelled. Low areas should be filled with concrete patching mix. Let dry thoroughly after cleaning or patching. Dusty or very porous surfaces should be primed with KARNAK 108 Asphalt Primer at the rate of 1/2 to 1 gallon per 100 sq. ft. 108 Asphalt Primer must be fully cured, (dry to the touch), before application of 79 Wood Block Mastic.

COVERAGE:
79 Wood Block Mastic should be applied directly from the container. Spread at the rate of 1 gallon per 40 to 50 sq. ft. using a 1/16 inch serrated mastic trowel with a saw-tooth pattern. Apply 79 Wood Block Mastic only at recommended rates of coverage. An inadequate amount will result in poor bonding, while an excessive amount may cause bleeding of the mastic between the blocks.

79 Wood Block Mastic must be allowed to dry a minimum of at least 2 to 3 hours or until the surface is dry to the touch. Installation of the wood blocks to the 79 Wood Block Mastic may be safely delayed up to 24 hours if desired. Drying is hastened if adequate ventilation is provided. Do not apply blocks to wet or excessive 79 Wood Block Mastic.

Application instructions of the wood block manufacturer take precedence and should be followed in close detail to ensure a satisfactory application. Recommended application temperature of 79 Wood Block Mastic is 40°F to 120°F. If applying at temperatures lower than 40°F, the substrate must be free of moisture and/or ice crystals.
CAUTION:  

PACKAGING:  
Available in 5 gallon pails.

If further information is needed, contact KARNAK Technical Services at 1-800-526-4236.