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RATINGS:
Excellent + + + + +
Very Good + + + +
Good + + +

MIXPAC™ T-Mixer

96%

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Description

MIXPAC™ T-Mixer automix tips are a new generation of mixing tips designed to minimize material waste while providing a consistent, high-quality mixing result. The innovative design allows for a more compact shape by incorporating a higher number of mixing layers internally. **MIXPAC T-Mixer** tips are available in five sizes with the colored trademarked domes that are consistent with the domes on standard MIXPAC mixing tips. The green, yellow and pink sizes fit 1:1 or 2:1 cartridges; the blue size fits 4:1 or 10:1 cartridges; the brown size fits 1:1 handheld syringes. **MIXPAC T-Mixer** tips in yellow, pink and blue sizes were evaluated by 30 consultants in 985 uses. This automix tip received a 96% clinical rating.

Product Features

MIXPAC T-Mixer mixed materials as reliably as standard tips with significantly less waste. Attachment of the tips to the cartridges was a little stiff but secure. Being able to conserve material was the most highly rated feature of **MIXPAC T-Mixer**, and many dentists commented that it was very important to them. Testing by THE DENTAL ADVISOR confirmed that 25%-40% less waste occurred by using **MIXPAC T-Mixer** compared to longer, standard mixing tips. It should be noted that the **MIXPAC T-Mixer** tips did not adversely affect the critical mechanical properties of elastic recovery and strain-in-compression for impression materials or flexural strength and modulus for the restorative materials tested. Sixty-seven percent of consultants rated **MIXPAC T-Mixer** better than other mixing tips they were using and 20% rated it equivalent. Eighty-three percent would switch to **MIXPAC T-Mixer** and 87% would recommend it to a colleague.



Consultants' Comments

"Homogeneous mix and less waste."

*"I found the **MIXPAC T-Mixer** tips to be an excellent product, providing a savings to the office without changing procedures."*

"Seemed to be easier to extrude material."

"Got a good mix every time."

"Shorter tips are easier to handle."

"Tight fit onto some cartridges."