

Gap Filler Acrylic Sealant

Premium Quality Acrylic Mastic Painters Caulk



DESCRIPTION:

Gap Filler is a high-quality acrylic sealant for sealing cracks and joints in timber and plaster around doors and window frames, wall and ceiling joints, masonry and around baths, sinks and sanitary fittings. Gap Filler can be painted and papered over.

FEATURES AND BENEFITS:

- Water wash up
- Fast Drying
- Easy Application
- Excellent Adhesion
- Can be used externally.

JOINT DESIGN:

Gap Filler may be used in static joints as found in many building applications. The recommended width of the joint is twice the depth. Gap Filler may be used in both regular and irregular joint profiles as well as in coving and fillet applications.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

Preparation

All contacted surfaces must be free of oil, grease or other contamination which may inhibit bond. Any loose paint or plaster should be removed prior to caulking. Gap Filler will bond to damp, but not wet surfaces. Loose or friable surfaces may require priming with Rendergrip A. A backing rod or bond breaking tape should be used in the bottom of the joint to prevent adhesion and set sealant depth.

Application

Apply the Gap Filler using a standard caulking gun. Cut the end of the threaded seal off the cartridge and attach the nozzle. Cut the nozzle to the size and diameter required and fit the cartridge into the caulking gun. Apply the Gap Filler by gunning the sealant firmly against the joint faces until the joint is slight overfilled. Tool the surface off to the desired profile using a smooth metal or wooden tool. Firm pressure on the surface while tooling the surface will assist the Gap Filler in adhering to the substrate.

Curing

Gap Filler is suitable for papering over or painting with water-based paints after drying for a minimum of 2 hours. Where oil-based paints are to be used, Gap Filler should be allowed to dry at least overnight. In all cases, optimum results will be achieved if Gap Filler is allowed to dry overnight.

CLEAN UP:

Spillages can be cleaned by wiping with a damp cloth whilst Gap Filler is still wet. Application tools should be cleaned immediately after use with warm soapy water. Once dry, Gap Filler can only be removed by mechanical means. It may be possible to sand Gap Filler off suitable substrates.

ESTIMATING:

Packaging Gap Filler is supplied in ready-to-use 300ml plastic cartridges. Each cartridge will seal approximately 6 metres of 5 x 10mm joint.

PRECAUTIONS:

- Allow for longer drying times in cool or humid weather and shorter tooling times in hot or dry weather.
- Do not use Gap Filler in joints subject to immersion or in joints subject to pedestrian or vehicle traffic.
- Do not use Gap Filler externally if rain is expected within 24 hours of application. Where Gap Filler is used externally, it must be finished with a suitable exterior grade paint system.
- Where temperatures less than 50C or greater than 350C are encountered, contact our Technical Staff for specific advice.

STORAGE:

Gap Filler is an acrylic emulsion-based product which must be stored in its original unopened containers. Ensure that Gap Filler is protected from freezing. When correctly stored, Gap Filler has a potentially long shelf life. However, for best results, Gap Filler should be used within 12 months of manufacture.

HEALTH AND SAFETY:

Gap Filler is non-toxic and is not hazardous product. Care should be taken to avoid contact with skin, eyes and mouth. For more detailed information, please read the SDS for this product.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES			
Skinning time @20°C	20 minutes		
Application Temp	5-40°C		
Time to painting	Initial	20 C	40 min
	Initial	30 C	25 min
Colour	White		

WARRANTY STATEMENT:

RLA Polymers guarantees this product against manufacturing defects and guarantees it to be manufactured to our published specification. We certify that this product is suitable for use when fully cured and will perform as described in our technical data sheet or other published materials.

RLA Polymers will replace the product free of charge when purchased from any legally verifiable source and where the a product is proven to have been stored, handled, and install according to instructions published on our packaging and within the stated shelf life. The Installation of all materials must be carried out in accordance with the relevant Australian Standards and the Manufacturer’s instructions.

Warranty doesn't apply if damage, loss, failure to follow instructions, or other circumstances are out of our control.

Sufficient time and access to investigate any complaint must be accorded to RLA Polymers.

The consumer is responsible for any expenses incurred in making a claim.

A claim form can be requested by:

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 MAIL: 215 Colchester Road Kilsyth Victoria 3137 (Attention Customer Service)
 WEBSITE: www.rlapolymers.com.au

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Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality, and the failure does not amount to a major failure. The benefits under our warranty are in addition to other rights and remedies available to the consumer under the law in relation to the goods and services to which the warranty relates.

DISCLAIMER:

All statements and technical information contained herein are based on tests we believe to be reliable, but the accuracy thereof is not guaranteed.

Users assume all risk and liability resulting from the use of the product and must confirm the suitability thereof by their own tests. Conditions of Sale contain a limited warranty against manufacturing defects.

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