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# CAULK-MATE DECORATORS FILLER

**60 Minute Decorators Caulk** 

**Technical Data Sheet** 

# MATE SEALANT & ADHESIVE RANGE

#### **Description:**

An easy to apply, quick drying, interior decorators filler that can be smoothed and over painted within 1-2 hours of application.

#### Uses

Bond It **CAULK-MATE** has good adhesion to most building materials and can be used for repairing small cracks and joints with no movement in plaster and wood.

It is ideal for use on:

- Wood.
- Light fittings.
- Stair risings.
- Plaster.
- Brick.
- Concrete.
- Plasterboard.

#### Preparation

All surfaces must be clean, dry, sound and free from dust, oil or any other contaminants that may hinder adhesion. If necessary, in addition to mechanical means, cleaning with a solvent such as acetone is recommended for degreasing.

#### Priming

Bond It **CAULK-MATE** does not require a primer on most common construction surfaces. However, in some cases it may be necessary to prime concrete or other surfaces for optimum adhesion. To determine whether a primer is required a sample should be tested.

Contact Bond It Technical Service Department for recommendations.

#### **Application**

Apply using a standard sealant gun. Cut tip from cartridge, be careful not to damage the screw thread. Cut the nozzle at an angle of 45° to an opening slightly larger than the gap to be sealed, and

fix to cartridge. Smooth down within 10 minutes using a slightly wetted spatula, sponge or SEALANT APPLICATOR TOOL. Do not tool down after the skin has started to form. Do not saturate the surface with water as this will



delay the curing process. **CAULK-MATE** can be over painted with emulsion paint as soon as a skin forms, approx after 1 hour. For oil

based paints, allow to dry completely for 24-48 hours before over painting. Remove excess product with a damp cloth.

#### Limitations

This product is not a silicone sealant! Not suitable when:

- applied externally during rainy weather.
- applied at temperatures below +5°C.
- used in joints constantly immersed in water.
- used in contact with bituminous products.
- used in areas of high abrasion, e.g. floor joints.
- joints that are subject to movement.

#### **Container Size**

EU3 and EU4 plastic cartridges.

### Colours

CAULK-MATE is available in white only.

#### **Shelf Life**

Minimum 2 years from date of manufacture when stored in unopened tubes.

#### **Storage Conditions**

Store in cool, dry conditions at a temperature between +5 to  $+15^{\circ}$ C. Protect from frost.

#### **Disposal of Containers**

Do not leave empty containers where residue could be harmful to children, animals or the environment. Remove any containers to a central disposal point in accordance with local regulations.

#### **Health & Safety**

Please refer to separate material safety data sheet for full handling, use and storage instructions. Keep out of reach of children. It is the users responsibility to determine suitability for use. If in doubt contact our Technical Department for advice.

Note: this information is for general guidance only, since site conditions and labour are beyond our control. It is recommended that users make their own tests to determine suitability.



## **Specification Summary**

Fast Cure		Tools within 5 minutes	
Skinning Time @ 20°C and 50%RH		Skins after 20 minutes	
Full Cure	24 hours, dependant on bead thickness and temperature		
Waiting Time Before Painting		1 hour for thin beads	
		24 hours for larger beads	
	Minimum	24 hours for oil-based paints	
Sag		None	
Clean Up		Water	

# **Product / Order Details:**

Code	Colour	Size	Barcode
BDOHC300	White	EU3	5060021364951
BDOHC400	White	EU4	5060021364968



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