
DECORATORS CAULK

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Technical Data:

Base	Acrylic Dispersion
Consistency	Pasta
Curing System	Physical drying
Skin formation (20°C/65% R.H.)	approx. 20 min.
Shrinkage (DIN 52451)	15%
Specific Gravity (DIN 53479B)	1.67g/mL
Temperature Resistance	-20°C to +80°C
Maximum allowed Distortion	10%

* This varies according to ambient conditions such as temperature, humidity, substrate etc.

Product:

Decorators Caulk is a plasto-elastic one-component joint sealant based on acrylic dispersions.

Characteristics:

- Easy to apply
- Colourfast and waterproof after curing
- Can be painted over after curing
- Good adhesion on many porous surfaces and aluminium

Applications:

- Joints with movements up to 10%.
- Joints between windowsills, between skirting-board and floor, between brickwork, etc.

Packaging:

Colour: white, grey, brown, black

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Shelflife:

At least 12 months in unopened packaging in a cool and dry storage place at temperatures between +5°C and +25°. Protect against frost!

Surfaces:

Type: all porous building surfaces

State of Surface: clean, dry, free of dust and grease

Preparation: prepare very porous surfaces with diluted Decorators Caulk (1 part Decorators Caulk and 2 parts water)

We recommend a preliminary compatibility test.

Joint Size:

Minimum Width: 1mm

Maximum Width: 10mm

Minimum Depth: 5mm

Recommandation: joint depth = joint width

Applying the sealant:

Method: Apply the sealant by means of a handheld or pneumatic caulking gun. Smoothen the sealant with a filling-knife.

Application temperature: +5°C to +30°C, do not apply when rain or frost are imminent

Clean: Uncured Decorators Caulk may be removed from tools with water. Cured sealant must be removed mechanically.

Finishing: with soapy water

Repair: with Decorators Caulk

Health- and Safety Recommendation:

Apply the usual industrial hygiene.

Consult the label for more information.

Remarks:

- Do not use in applications where continuous water immersion is possible.
- Do not apply when rain or frost is imminent
- Decorators Caulk can be painted over with most paints.
- The paint should be sufficiently elastic to be applied on a plasto-elastic sealant. A preliminary test is recommended.

Remark: The directives contained in this documentation are the result of our experiments and of our experience and have been submitted in good faith. Because of the diversity of the materials and substrates and the great number of possible applications which are out of our control, we cannot accept any responsibility for the results obtained. In every case it is recommended to carry out preliminary experiments.