

# **Rasco Joint Filler and Sealing Compound**

Hot-processable, highly elastic compound made with polymermodified bitumen. For filling joints in landscaping and road construction

For filling joints in level areas, for example in landscaping or road construction. For waterproofing structures against ground moisture (capillary- and retained water) and non-standing seepage water.

Also applicable to metals if sufficient grip is evident. Suitable for waterproofing of cellar walls, concrete- and sand-lime brick foundations as well as all known and suitable mineral substrates.





PRODUCT FEATURES	TECHNICAL DATA	
<ul> <li>Solvent-free and environmentally friendly</li> <li>Permanent high flexibility</li> <li>Resistant to chemicals</li> </ul>	Consumption*	Depending on joint width and depth 3 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
<ul> <li>Good elasticity even at low temperatures</li> <li>May be subjected to load immediately after cooling down</li> <li>Impervious to water</li> <li>Frost-free at least 24 months shelf-life</li> </ul>	Density Flash point Elongation at break Softening point Working temperature**	approx. 1.0 kg/l > 250 °C < 600 % 105°C +5°C to +30°C

\* The consumption rates shown are minimum values. These may increase according to the manner of application.

\* Temperature: component, installation and ambient temperature.

## **DELIVERY UNITS**

25 kg block / carton | 24 cartons / pallet | pallet weight approx. 640 kg 10 kg block/ carton | 48 cartons / pallet | pallet weight: approx. 510 kg

#### **GENERAL NOTES**

In case of sealing or maintenance work the relevant standards and guidelines must be followed.

## SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

- The substrate must be sufficiently dry, level, stable, frost-protected, clean and without traces of oil, grease, tar, honeycombing, cracks, dust, dirt, residue mortar or other potential contaminants.
- Joint cross section: minimum depth 20 mm, maximum depth 150 mm, minimum width 10 mm, maximum width 50 mm.



## SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

High absorbent substrates should be prepared using Rasco Bitumen Primer (approx. 0.1-0.2 l/m<sup>2</sup>).

## **APPLICATION**

Melt Rasco Joint Filler and Sealing Compound in an indirectly thermostatically controlled bitumen melting furnace with stirring unit at temperatures of +150 °C to +180 °C.

#### Joint filling:

- Pour hot sealing compound into joint using a suitable vessel.
- Observe joint cross section (as mentioned above). Deeper joints are to be filled in accordingly.
- · Remove excess material using a suitable tool (for example a spatula or trowel).
- Sand the filler subsequently using fine quartz sand.
- Unused material may be melted again.

#### Surface coating:

- Two coats with a thickness of 1.5 mm, so that complete coat is 3.0 mm thick.
- In areas at risk of cracking, for example wall-floor-connection, it may be necessary to apply additional layers or add enforcing fabrics, sealing tapes or similar as a precautionary measure.

#### **SPECIAL NOTES**

- The given layer thickness should not fall short in any place.
- Grouts are to be protected against UV-rays with quartz sand.
- When working with hot bitumen all relevant safety measures are to be followed at all times.
- Mechanically stressed parts of the grout are to be protected by suitable measures (for example metal runners).
- Please note the Safety Data Sheet (accessible at <a href="http://www.rasco-bitumen.com/">http://www.rasco-bitumen.com/</a>)

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