

General Description

Block Filler is designed specifically for application by airless spray, although it may also be applied by brush or roller. It is packaged at a sprayable viscosity and is formulated using raw materials selected to minimize tip clogging.

- Creates a smooth, uniform finish
- Interior and exterior use
- Ready to spray out of the can
- Low VOC
- Minimizes tip clogging

Usage

Use on interior or exterior cementitious substrates in commercial, residential and institutional applications. Designed for spraying, it can be brushed or rolled.

Colors	White (11)
Bases	N/A

Technical Data

Vehicle	Vinyl Acrylic
Pigment	Titanium Dioxide
Volume Solids	50 ± 2%
Spread Rate Per Gallon	75 – 100 Sq. Ft.
Recommended	Wet: 16.0 – 21.4 mils
Film Thickness	Dry: 8.0 – 10.7 mils

Depending on surface texture and porosity. Be sure to estimate the right amount of paint for the job. This will ensure color uniformity and minimize the disposal of excess paint.

Dry Time @ 77 °F (25 °C) @ 50% RH	To Touch:	30 Minutes
	To Recoat:	8 hours

High humidity and cool temperatures will result in longer dry, recoat and service times.

Surface Temperature	Min:	50 °F
During Application	Max:	100 °F
Viscosity		113 ± 4 KU
Flash Point		None
Sheen / Gloss		0 – 1 @ 85°
Clean Up		Warm, soapy water
Thinner		Clean water
Weight Per Gallon		14.1 lbs.
Storage Temperature	Min:	50 °F
	Max:	90 °F
VOC		< 50 g/L

Surface Preparation

Block Filler 958 is for rough masonry only; the recommendations below are for various substrates. Surfaces to be painted must be clean, dry, and free of dirt, dust, grease, oil, soap, wax, scaling paint, water soluble materials and mildew. Remove any peeling or scaling paint and sand these areas to feather edges smooth with adjacent surfaces. Glossy areas should be dulled. Drywall surfaces must be free of sanding dust. Spot prime before and after filling nail holes, cracks, and other surface imperfections.

New plaster or masonry surfaces must be allowed to cure (30 days) before applying base coat. Cured plaster should be hard, have a slight sheen and maximum pH of 10; soft, porous or powdery plaster indicates improper cure. Knife off any protrusions and prime plaster before and after applying patching compound. Remove any powder or loose particles.

Primers: New surfaces should be fully primed. Previously painted surfaces should be primed or spot primed as necessary. There are a number of specialty primers available in our family of brands that can be used on difficult substrates such as bleeding woods, hard glossy surfaces, or other substrates where paint adhesion or stain blocking is a problem. Your dealer can recommend the right problem-solving primer necessary to meet your needs.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Informational Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead.

Primer Systems

NOTE: When filling extremely porous block, or block with large voids, a second coat may be necessary to achieve proper fill.

Compliance & Certifications

FEDERAL	✓
OTC	✓
OTC II	✓
CARB	✓
CARB07	✓
CARB19	✓
UTAH	✓
AZMC	✓
SCAQMD	✓

Eligible for LEED® v4	✓
CDPH Emissions Certified	✓
Eligible for CHPS low emitting credit (Collaborative for High Performance Schools)	✓
MPI	4
MPI X-Green™	4

Suitable for use in USDA inspected facilities

Limitations

- Do not apply when surface or ambient temperature is less than 50 °F (10 °C)
- Not recommended for below grade application or for use under solvent based epoxy coatings
- Not recommended for use in car washes

Technical Assistance

Available through your local authorized independent Benjamin Moore retailer.

call 1-866-708-9180
 visit www.benjaminmoore.com

Application

Stir product with a circular lifting motion. Apply generously as it comes from the can. Care must be taken to ensure that large voids are filled during spray application. Back rolling is recommended for a more uniform fill. When rolling, use a synthetic nap cover with a nap proportioned to the texture and porosity of the surface being filled. Do not apply when surface or ambient temperature is less than 50 °F (10 °C). Block Filler may be thinned sparingly with clean water if required for spraying.

Spray, Airless:

Pressure / 2,000 – 3,000 PSI

Tip / 0.031 – 0.035

Clean Up

Wash brushes, rollers, and other painting tools in warm soapy water immediately after use. Spray equipment should be given a final rinse with mineral spirits to prevent rusting.

USE COMPLETELY OR DISPOSE OF PROPERLY. Dry, empty containers may be recycled in a can recycling program. Local disposal requirements vary; consult your sanitation department or state-designated environmental agency on disposal options.

Environmental Health & Safety Information

Use only with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe vapors, spray mist or sanding dust. Ensure fresh air entry during application and drying. Avoid contact with eyes and prolonged or repeated contact with skin. Avoid exposure to dust and spray mist by wearing a NIOSH approved respirator during application, sanding and clean up. Follow respirator manufacturer's directions for respirator use. Close container after each use. Wash thoroughly after handling.



WARNING Cancer and Reproductive Harm— www.P65Warnings.ca.gov
Refer to the product label & Safety Data Sheet for product specific information.

FIRST AID: If affected by inhalation of vapors or spray mist, remove to fresh air. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention immediately; for skin, wash thoroughly with soap and water. If symptoms persist, seek medical attention. If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

IN CASE OF SPILL – Absorb with inert material and dispose of as specified under “Clean Up”.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

PROTECT FROM FREEZING

**Refer to Safety Data Sheet for additional health
and safety information.**