

Sheetrock® Brand

FIRECODE®

Smoke-Sound Sealant

Frequently Asked Questions

Why choose FIRECODE® Smoke-Sound Sealant over other similar sealant products?

FIRECODE Smoke-Sound sealant is a fire and sound controller in one superior performance caulk. It offers superior performance as a fire caulk in a number of UL-Classified joint systems and through-penetration systems. It is a rust red color, making it easy for inspectors to identify and is easy to apply and clean up.

Does the product exhibit shrinkage?

The product will exhibit up to 30% shrinkage as it dries.

What surfaces does the product adhere to?

Firecode Smoke-Sound Sealant will adhere to a variety of common building materials including wood, metal, concrete, gypsum board and vinyl board. Ensure the surface is clean of any oils and/or debris. Product is not compatible with PVC or CPVC.

What is the temperature range of the cured product?

Not to be used in applications where the surrounding materials (partitions, floors, penetrations, etc.) will exceed sustained temperatures of 125°F. Do not allow product to freeze.

What is the typical cure time of the product?

Cure time depends on thickness of application and job site conditions. As with all drywall finishing, product should be applied in a minimum temperature of 55°F.

What is the average shelf life of the product under normal conditions?

Under normal conditions and in original, unopened container, product has a shelf life of one year. Product should be stored at a temperature neither below 41°F nor exceeding 80°F.

Is the product paintable?

No, product is not intended to be painted. It is a rust red color for easy identification.

Is the product water resistant?

No.

Is Firecode Smoke-Sound Sealant a low VOC product?

Yes, VOC content is <15g/L.

Product Information

What is the coverage rate per cartridge?	85 linear ft. of 1/4" bead/29 oz ctdg.; 37 linear fr. Of 3/8" bead/29oz. ctdg.; 22linear ft. of 1/2" bead/29oz. ctdg.; 11 linear ft. of 5/8" bead/29oz. ctdg.
Can the product be applied to both vertical and horizontal surfaces?	Yes, it can be easily applied on vertical and horizontal surfaces without sagging, even overhead. Application on 1/2" and 5/8" maximum gaps.

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Warning

Mist, vapors and/or dust may cause irritation to eyes, skin, nose, throat and upper respiratory tract. Avoid irritation by reducing exposure to mist, vapors and/or dust. Use in a well-ventilated area or provide sufficient local ventilation. If misty/high vapor levels/dusty, wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved mist, vapor or dust respirator. Long-term breathing of respirable crystalline silica dust can cause permanent lung damage and/or cancer. Prolonged and repeated breathing of respirable mica dust may cause lung disease (pneumoconiosis). Wear eye protection.

If eye contact occurs, flush thoroughly with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, call physician. Wash with soap and water after use. Do not ingest. If ingested, call physician. Do not use if material has spoiled, i.e., there is a moldy appearance or an unpleasant odor. Close container and discard properly. Product safety information: 800 507.8899 or usg.com. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

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