

# PROSPEC<sup>®</sup>

## FLOOR PATCH

### Description

ProSpec<sup>®</sup> Floor Patch is a rapid setting polymer modified, unsanded, portland cement based patching compound used under a wide variety of floor covering installations.

### Features

- Featheredge to 2" (51 mm) in thickness
- Can be sanded to a smooth finish
- Accepts tile and stone installations in 1 hour and moisture sensitive floor coverings in 2 hours
- No additive required
- For interior or exterior use
- Contains no gypsum
- Can be used over cement terrazzo and cutback adhesives

### Uses

#### To be used under:

- Resilient flooring
- Ceramic tile
- Vinyl tile
- Wood flooring

#### To be used over:

- Concrete
- Plywood (interior only)
- Properly prepared cut-back adhesive
- Cement backerboard
- Cementitious terrazzo

### Technical Data

<b>Set Time</b>		<b>Tensile Strength (7d)</b>	
Initial	20-30 minutes	>260 psi (1.8 MPa)	
Final	40-50 minutes	<b>Flexural Strength (7d)</b>	
<b>Compression Strength</b>		>700 psi (4.8 MPa)	
2 hours	>600 psi (4.1 MPa)	<b>Tensile Adhesion (25 mil/24 hr)</b>	
24 hours	>1300 psi (9.0 MPa)	Plywood	>37 psi (0.3 MPa)
7 days	>1900 psi (13.1 MPa)	OSB-chip board	>22 psi (0.2 MPa)
28 days	>2650 psi (18.3 MPa)	Concrete	>260 psi (1.8 MPa)*

\* Substrate failure

NOTE: Test results obtained under controlled laboratory conditions at 72° (4° C) and 50% relative humidity. Tested using 1 gal. per 25 lb. bag. Reasonable variations can occur due to atmospheric and job site conditions.



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## Preparation

1. Clean area and remove all unsound concrete, grease, oil, paint and any other foreign materials that will inhibit performance.
2. Slick or sealed surfaces must be thoroughly roughened.
3. Concrete surfaces should be brought to a saturated surface dry (SSD) condition with clean potable water.

NOTE: It is the responsibility of the installer/applicator to ensure the suitability of the product for its intended use.

## Mixing

1. Add dry material to clean potable water per 25 lb. (11.3 kg) bag as recommended below:  
Thick applications 4 qts. (3.8 L)  
Skim coating 5 qts. (4.7 L)
2. Mix mechanically with a low speed electric drill not to exceed 350 r.p.m. to achieve a homogenous blend.
3. Slake one minute and re-mix for 30 seconds.
4. Re-temper, as pot life nears the set time, without additional water.

## Placement

1. Mix only the amount of material that can be placed in 10-15 minutes.
2. The floor covering can be applied once the ProSpec® Floor Patch has completely cured, typically after 1-2 hours.
3. Can be sanded after initial set.

## Refer to

- RFCI (Resilient Floor Covering Institute publication MRP - Nov 95) [Addressing Moisture Related Problems Relevant to Resilient Floor Coverings Installed Over Concrete](#)
- NOFMA (National Oak Flooring Institute) publication [Installing Hardwood Flooring, Re. March 98/10](#)

## Color

Gray

## Yield

1 lb. (0.45 kg) covers approximately 1.5 sq. ft. (0.14 m<sup>2</sup>) @ 1/8" (3.17 mm) or 1 lb. (0.45 kg) covers 8-10 sq. ft. (0.7-0.9 m<sup>2</sup>) as a skim coat.



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## Packaging

25 lb. (11.3 kg) bag

## Shelf Life

One year from the date of manufacture.

## Best Performance

- Apply when air or substrate temperature is between 40° F (4° C) and 100° F (38° C) within 24 hours of application. For applications outside this range of temperatures, contact ProSpec® Technical Service.
- Use only clean mixing container and tools.
- Not a wearing surface.
- Do not over trowel.
- Do not add any materials other than clean potable water.
- Do not apply over concrete cured less than 7 days.
- Do not use over concrete slabs where hydrostatic pressure exists.

NOTE: Proper application and installation of all ProSpec products are the responsibility of the end user.

## Caution

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND ANIMALS. Product is alkaline and may burn or irritate upon contact with eyes or skin. Do not take internally. Use of safety goggles, rubber gloves and dust respirator is recommended. Avoid prolonged

contact with clothing. This product contains crystalline silica. Take measures to contain and reduce dust. Prolonged exposure to crystalline silica may cause silicosis or other serious delayed lung injury.

Avoid breathing dust. For prolonged exposure wear a respirator approved for protection against crystalline silica dust. Crystalline silica has been classified by IARC and NTP as a carcinogen.



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### First Aid

In case of eye contact, flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes and SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. For skin contact, wash thoroughly with soap and water. If swallowed,

SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION. For additional information, call Bonsal American at 704-525-1621 or CHEMTREC at 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 outside of the USA.

Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for further information.

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