



**ZINSSER® BLOCK FILLER  
2X HIGH BUILD PRIMER FOR CONCRETE**

**DESCRIPTION AND USES**

Zinsser® Block Filler 2X Primer is a high-build acrylic primer designed for interior and exterior residential, commercial and industrial applications. It has twice the thickness of other primers to fill pinholes and seal voids in concrete block and masonry, resulting in a smoother and more uniform topcoat. Block Filler 2X tolerates high pH levels (up to 13) in new concrete and masonry and provides excellent alkali and efflorescence resistance. It can be applied to new masonry surfaces prior to full 30 day cure. Block Filler 2X high hiding formula seals semi-porous surfaces to provide better topcoat coverage and consistent sheen without pinholing.

Block Filler 2X provides excellent adhesion on all types of bare or previously painted surfaces, such as concrete, concrete/cinder block, brick, stucco, fiber cement siding, plaster, mortar, concrete masonry units (CMU) and other cementitious surfaces. Block Filler 2X fills voids in concrete, resolves mortar burns, delamination and film void issues. Block Filler 2X may be used with most water or solvent-based topcoats, including Rust-Oleum High Performance 9100 system DTM Epoxy mastic and High Performance 9800 System DTM Urethane Mastic.

**PRODUCTS**

SKU	DESCRIPTION
293245	1 Gallon
293248	5 Gallon Pail

**PRODUCT APPLICATION**

**SURFACE PREPARATION**

Surfaces should be clean, dry, sound and free of any contamination, mildew, loose rust, efflorescence (concrete salts) or unsound coatings that may interfere with adhesion. If unsure, wash surface with a low suds cleaning solution like ammonia or a TSP substitute. Rinse thoroughly and allow to dry.

**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 Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).

**PRODUCT APPLICATION (cont.)**

**APPLICATION**

Apply only when air, material, and surface temperatures are between 50-90°F (10-32°C) and the relative humidity is below 85%. Thoroughly mix to ensure any settled pigment is re-dispersed before using.

Apply with a synthetic bristle brush, roller, or airless sprayer. Follow manufacturer's instructions when using spray equipment. For airless spraying use a 0.017" (517 tip) at 1500 to 2000 psi. Thinning is not recommended. Do not mix with any other primer. Wear NIOSH approved respirator and provide adequate ventilation.

**TINTING**

Block Filler 2X may be tinted with up to 2 ounces (59 mL) of universal colorant per gallon to improve the hiding power of the topcoat.

**COVERAGE**

One gallon will cover approximately 100 square feet on unpainted masonry surfaces and up to 300 square feet on previously painted surfaces. Coverage may vary due to differences in porosity and application method.

**DRY TIME**

Dries to the touch in 30 minutes and can be recoated in 1 hour. Full adhesion and hardness develops in 7 days. Lower temperatures and higher humidity will prolong dry and cure time. Allow more time at cooler temperatures.

**CLEAN-UP**

Clean up using warm water and liquid detergent. Wipe up splatters before they dry. Wash application tools in detergent and warm water immediately after use. Follow equipment manufacturer's directions to clean spray equipment. Dispose of unused or unwanted product in accordance with local laws regulating water-based coatings.

**LIMITATIONS**

Not recommended for application to floors, decks or to surfaces subject to radon gas, immersion or prolonged contact with water, moisture or water pressure or below grade applications.



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**PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

		<b>BLOCK FILLER 2X HIGH BUILD PRIMER FOR CONCRETE</b>
<b>Resin Type</b>		Modified Acrylic
<b>Pigment Type</b>		Titanium Dioxide, Calcium Carbonate, Clay
<b>Solvents</b>		Water, Glycol Ethers
<b>Weight</b>	<b>Per Gallon</b>	11.6 lbs.
	<b>Per Liter</b>	1.40 kg
<b>Solids</b>	<b>By Weight</b>	59.3%
	<b>By Volume</b>	50.0%
<b>Volatile Organic Compounds</b>		<100 g/l
<b>Recommended Dry Film Thickness (DFT) per Coat</b>		6.0-7.0 mils (150-175µ)
<b>Wet Film to Achieve DFT (Unthinned material)</b>		12.0-16.0 mils (300-400µ)
<b>Practical Coverage at Recommended DFT (assume 15% material loss)</b>		Approximately 100 sq.ft./gal. on unpainted masonry surfaces and up to 300 sq.ft./gal. on previously painted surfaces depending on application method and surface porosity
<b>Dry Times at 70-80°F (21-27°C) and 50% Relative Humidity</b>	<b>Touch</b>	30 minutes
	<b>Recoat</b>	1 hour
	<b>Full Cure</b>	7 days
<b>Shelf Life</b>		3 years
<b>Flash Point</b>		>200°F (93°C)
<b>Safety Information</b>		For additional information, see SDS

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