



# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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## DAP® DRYDex® Spackling

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**DAP® DRYDex® Spackling**, from America's #1 seller of spackling\*, provides a unique dry time color indicator that verifies when the patched surface is dry and ready to be sanded and painted, eliminating the guesswork & reducing the chance of error. DAP DRYDex Spackling may be used to fill holes and cracks in surfaces such as drywall, plaster, wood, brick, and stone. Its ready-to-use formula spreads easily for fast, professional repairs that will not crack, crumble, or flake. DRYDex dries hard, sands easily and can be painted.



PACKAGING	COLOR	UPC
<b>5.5 oz Tube</b>	Pink to White	7079812337
<b>½ Pint</b>	Pink to White	7079812328
<b>Pint</b>	Pink to White	7079812348
<b>Quart</b>	Pink to White	7079812330
<b>Gallon</b>	Pink to White	7079812347

### KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

- From America's #1 Seller of Spackling\*
- Dry Time Indicator – Goes on Pink Dries White
- Patch & Prime in One Step
- Won't Shrink or Crack
- Durable
- Eliminate Errors
- Interior/Exterior use

*\*based on US home improvement market dollar sales in the spackling category.*



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## SUGGESTED USES

Ideal for filling holes, cracks, dents, and defects on:

- Drywall
- Plaster
- Wood
- Masonry (to cover, brick, block, concrete, stone)

## FOR BEST RESULTS

- Apply when temperatures are between 50°F - 90°F.
- **DO NOT USE AS A SKIM COAT.**
- **Do not use on floors or as a caulk, sealant, or joint filler over cracks and joints where expansion and contraction may occur**
- For exterior/moisture exposed applications, first apply waterproof primer, then apply waterproof coating (prior to moisture exposure).
- If a textured finish is desired, add clean sand to spackling compound prior to application.
- Do not use for tuck pointing applications on brick
- For larger areas to be patched on bare concrete, use a latex fortified Portland cement-based dry mix.

## APPLICATION

1. Surface must be clean, dry, structurally sound, and free of all foreign material.
2. Apply in temperatures above 50F.
3. Stir thoroughly before use.  
(When using the 5.5 oz squeeze tube, knead tube prior to use. Remove cap and cut nozzle to desired opening size.)
4. Apply with a clean putty knife.
5. One application is usually sufficient for small repairs less than 1/8" in depth.
6. Press spackling into hole/crack with putty knife, drawing firmly across the surface, removing excess material.
7. For repairs > 1/8" in depth, apply multiple thin layers allowing for full drying between each layer.
8. Spackling will change color to white when surface can accept a second application or is ready to be sanded or painted in approximately 1 to 5 hours (depending on temperature, humidity and depth of fill).
9. For a smoother finish, dip putty knife in water and lightly smooth spackling.
10. For exterior/moisture exposed applications, apply waterproof coating prior to moisture exposure.
11. Immediately clean up wet product with water. Dry product must be scraped or sanded away.
12. Wet sanding is recommended to avoid generation of dust.

**NOTE:** To retain the effectiveness of the dry time indicator, keep the container tightly closed after use & store away from extreme heat or cold.



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## TYPICAL PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Consistency	Paste
Vehicle	Latex Polymer
Volatile	Water
Filler	Inert Filler
Odor	Mild
Weight/Gallon	15.7 pounds
Solids	77% by weight
Application Temperature	50°F or higher
Service Temperature	0°F to 150°F
Shelf Life	12 months
Freezing	Freeze/thaw stable 5 cycles at 0°F
Dry Time	1 to 5 hours depending on temperature, humidity, and depth of fill
Flash Point	100°C (212°F)

## CLEAN UP & STORAGE

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## SAFETY

See product label and Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for health and safety information. You can request an SDS by visiting our website at [dap.com](http://dap.com) or by calling **888-DAP-TIPS**.



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## LIMITED WARRANTY

If product fails to perform when used as directed, call 888-DAP-TIPS within one year of date of purchase with your sales receipt and product container available for replacement product or sales price refund. DAP Global Inc. will not be responsible for incidental or consequential damages.

## COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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**Usage Information:** Call **888-DAP-TIPS** or visit [dap.com](http://dap.com) & click on "Ask the Expert"

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**Also, visit the DAP website at [dap.com](http://dap.com)**