

0442/06 Lightweight Spackling – ½ Pint, 6-pack:

- **What is the base chemistry of Lightweight Spackling Compound?** Emulsion base is a proprietary blend of acrylic & vinyl acrylic polymers.
- **Is formula VOC Compliant for California, OTC & other regulated areas?** Yes.
- **Are any Prop 65 Ingredients added during the formulation of this product?** Yes (see MSDS).
- **How is lightweight & resistance to shrinkage accomplished?** Use of proprietary Microspheres enables the products lightweight & unusual resistance to shrinkage.
- **Will product provide adequate adhesion to all common spackling substrates?** Not recommended for Plastic or Metal surfaces.
- **How many applications are typically required?** One application is sufficient for most typical applications.
- **Is Lightweight Spackling Compound suitable for sanding when fully dried?** Yes; although sanding is not usually required, product sands very nicely should it be desired in a particular application or technique.
- **Is product paintable?** Yes – generally paintable within 30 minutes to 2 hours depending upon atmospheric conditions, size of patch & porosity of substrate. (Higher humidity & cooler temperatures can extend drying time & paint time)
- **Is Lightweight Spackling Compound generally resistant to shrinking & cracking?** Yes; in most applications product will exhibit no cracking & no shrinkage. (Very minimal shrinkage has been observed in larger holes in highly porous substrates, with no primer applied to highly porous substrate)
- **Is Lightweight Spackling Compound suitable for Interior or Exterior applications?** Yes; provided surface is sound, clean, dry, properly prepared & patch is protected from rain &/or water spray for 24 to 72 hrs. (Longer drying times may be required in conditions of cooler temperature & higher humidity) For best results in exterior applications, priming & painting or a couple of coats of a premium exterior paint is recommended.
- **Is product suitable for water clean up prior to cure?** Yes.
- **Can product be used on floors as a joint/crack filler?** No.
- **Can product be used as a skim coat?** No.
- **Can product be used as a joint compound?** No.
- **Can product be used in tuck pointing applications on brick?** No.
- **Should product be used in larger voids involving bare concrete?** No; for larger areas involving bare concrete a latex fortified Portland cement-based dry/powder mix is recommended.
- **Is formula sensitive to hydrostatic pressure?** Yes. Product should not be applied to surfaces that may have water behind them, resulting in hydrostatic pressure that can cause patches to pop out or swell (Example: walls that have recently been power washed or walls in buildings/structures with leaking roofs or windows as there will likely be moisture or water behind the walls)

- **Is product recommended for use on Cedar Siding or on other oily woods?**
No.
- **What is the standard packaging for Lightweight Spackling?** HDPE Tub.
- **If product in container, is slightly too dry, how can the material be made ready for use?** Wet stirring tool (spatula or putty knife) & stir Lightweight Spackling well until desired consistency achieved. Do not add water directly to container. Do not over thin the material.
- **Where can I learn more about this product?** See MSDS & TDS on this website (www.reddevil.com).