

STOPAQ® 4200 FILLER

Product Information

Product description: Stopaq® 4200 Filler is a highly viscous, single component, non-reactive injection filler with corrosion preventative properties. It has a wide service temperature range, excellent adhesion to many types of substrates and penetrates deeply into surface irregularities.

The non-curing, surface tolerant Stopaq® 4200 Filler is designed for filling and protecting hard-to-clean corrosion sensitive areas where water can accumulate. It can be applied in narrow spaces that are difficult to access like gaps between flanges, around bolt threads in bolt holes, tank chime areas and around flange seals.

The material is suited for application with a hand operated, electric or pneumatic injection tool, equipped with a flexible nozzle. It does not cure and is unable to build-up internal stresses. Due to the permanent liquid properties at indicated operational temperatures, Stopaq® 4200 Filler will tend to flow out of the filled voids. Therefore they should be covered with additional Stopaq® materials like Stopaq® Wrappingband and Stopaq® Outerwrap materials. Depending on type of application, additional mechanical protection can be installed like Stopaq® Flangebelt, Stopaq® Outerglass Shield or Stopaq® Polyester.

Features:

- Adheres on many types of dry substrates
- Compatible with various types of coatings like PE, PP, and FBE
- Surface tolerant
- Fills the finest pores of the substrate

Benefits:

- Permanent sealing of spaces that are difficult to access
- Only minor surface preparation required
- No primer required
- Fast and easy to apply by injection tool

Application examples

Flanges: For protection against external corrosion of internal flange surfaces, gaskets, bolts and bolt holes.

Storage tanks – Chime area: Protection of steel surfaces in gaps between the tank skirts and the concrete foundations.

Bolt connections: For protection of bolt threads and shafts in bolt holes (in steel as well as concrete constructions).

Product properties of Stopaq® 4200 Filler		
Colour	Green	
Density	1,5 g / cm ³ [12.5 lb/gal] (ISO 1183-1)	
Temperature range	Operational: -45 to +100 °C [-49 to +212 °F]	
Water absorption	≤ 0,1% (ASTM D570 modified)	
Adhesion	Adhesion test on steel, PP, PE and FBE:	
	 Cohesive separation mode, no signs of adhesive 	
	failure.	

General order information		
Product		Stopaq® 4200 Filler is available in various packing sizes:
	Art. Nr.:	Product dimensions and contents:
	4224	Cartridge 0,62 kg [21.9 oz] , 20 pcs/box, 720 pcs/pallet
	4225	Tubular bag 2 kg [4.4 lbs], 9 pcs/box, 324 pcs/pallet
Handling		Handle with care. Keep boxes upright.
		See safety data sheet for further details.
Storage		Store indoor, clean and dry.
		Storage temperature is not critical.
		Unlimited shelf life.

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Application instruction	on - Job preparation
Tools, equipment and auxiliaries	 Temperature probe, Dew point tester Injection tool with flexible nozzle
	 Scissors, Knife, Putty knife, Measuring tape Abrasive cleaning pads, Wire brushes, Tube brush, Masking tape SFL™ Cleaning Wipes or Isopropyl alcohol, cas. nr. 67-63-0 Personal protective gear
Additional coating materials	Depending on type of application, various additional coating materials are needed: - Stopaq® Wrappingband (various types available) - Stopaq® Outerwrap (various types available) Optional additional mechanical protection: - Stopaq® Outerglass Shield, Stopaq® Polyester or Stopaq® Flangebelt
Work area and substrate	The substrate must be dry, clean and protected against negative weather influences.
Product conditions	Stopaq $^{\circ}$ 4200 Filler must be dry and the temperature should preferably be between +20 $^{\circ}$ C and +40 $^{\circ}$ C [68 to 104 $^{\circ}$ F] for the ease of application.

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The area to be coated must be clean, dry, and free
from oil, grease, dust, poorly adhering old coating
and loose particles. All contamination including mill-
scale must be removed.
Several methods are suitable for cleaning purposes
e.g. by scraping, wire brushing, high-pressure water
jetting, vacuum cleaning, compressed air, etc.
Degrease surfaces with SFL™ Cleaning Wipes or
Isopropyl alcohol and e.g. a lint-free cloth.
Prior to and during the application, the temperature
of the substrate(s) must be at least 3 °C [6 °F] above
the dew point. Temperature of the substrate(s)
should preferably be between +20 °C and +40 °C [68
to 104 °F] for fast and easy application. Preheating
may be required.
Clean the surfaces thoroughly by scraping, brushing,
vacuum cleaning, etc. and remove loose particles
(e.g. corrosion products).
In order to keep surrounding surfaces clean e.g. for
application of additional Stopaq® materials, it is
recommended to apply masking tape on these
surfaces prior to application of Stopaq® 4200 Filler.
The surfaces must be clean, dry and free of dust
prior to application.

Application instruction – Brief version		
Detailed application instructions are available from Seal For Life Industries.		
Preparing injection tool	Insert a cartridge or tubular bag of Stopaq® 4200 Filler into the injection tool prior to application. Apply the flexible nozzle at the opening of the cartridge.	
Injection	Shape the flexible nozzle in order to fit it into the gap to be filled. Push the nozzle as deep as possible into the gap and start injection of the Stopaq® 4200 Filler. Avoid air inclusions by keeping the tip of the nozzle in contact with already injected Stopaq® 4200 Filler. Gently pull out the nozzle while injecting. When the Stopaq® 4200 Filler becomes visible at the boundaries of the opening, the gap is filled completely.	
Levelling and smoothening	Use the putty knife for smoothening the surface and removal of excess filler. If applicable, remove the masking tape afterwards.	
Application of covering materials	Dimensions of additional coating materials should be sufficient to cover at least 50 mm $[2^n]$ of the adjacent substrate on all sides of the filled gap. See specific application instructions for further details.	
Visual inspection	The Stopaq® 4200 Filler and the coating materials must look smooth and tight and should be shaped around all details and into corners.	

Handling and commissioning		
Exposure to loads	Objects filled with Stopaq® 4200 Filler should not be exposed to loads e.g. from supports or lifting equipment.	
Commissioning	Areas filled with Stopaq® 4200 Filler can be commissioned immediately after installation of additional materials is completed.	

Information	
Documentation	Extensive information is available on our web-site. Application instructions and other documentation can be obtained by contacting our head office, from our local distributor or by sending email to info@sealforlife.com
Certified staff	Application of the described materials should be carried out by certified personnel.



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