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# THE GIST The only silicone you may ever need!

### **Description**

A low modulus, neutral curing silicone sealant, designed to replace all other silicones. It will not react with natural stone or bleed into porous stone. Also contains a fungicide to prevent mould growth when used in sanitary applications. Excellent adhesion properties, non-staining and resistant to UV.

#### Uses

Developed for most sealing applications this product is ideal for use in sanitary, window frame, ducting, high temperature and natural stone applications. Can be used on metals, mirrors, natural stone, granite, travertine, marble, stone, PVCu, concrete, plaster and VSG glass.

#### **Benefits**:

- Shower in 1 hour
- Ideal for natural stone
- Safe on metals
- Mould resistant for up to 10 years
- Ideal for PVCu and glass
- Non shrinking
- Up to 220°C
- Tested for use with VSG glass
- Ideal for mirrors
- Suitable for ducting

#### Preparation

Ensure surfaces are sound, clean, dust free and dry prior to application. If sealing deep joints use foam backer rods to optimise joint design. Remove any old sealant.

#### Application

Apply using a standard sealant gun. Cut the tip of the cartridge, screw on nozzle and cut to an angle of 45° at desired sealant width. Tool the sealant using an appropriate tooling aid within 10 minutes of application - do not use a wetted finger. *For bath surrounds:* 1/2 fill bath with water to allow sealant to be applied at joint mid point. If necessary masking tape may be applied. If large gaps are to be filled, polythene foam, rod or tape should be used to provide support and minimise sealant wastage. Tool down within 5 minutes using a wet spatula. Any trims should be bedded into the silicone within 5 minutes.

#### Limitations

Not suitable for aquaria and permanent immersion i.e.swimming pools.

#### **Container Size**

310ml plastic cartridge.

#### Colours

**THE GIST** comes in 6 colours: white, ivory, charcoal, limestone, translucent and sandstone.

#### **Shelf Life**

12 months in original unopened cartridges.

#### **Storage Conditions**

Store in cool, dry conditions.

#### **Disposal of Containers**

Do not leave empty containers where residue could be harmful to children, animals or the environment. Remove any containers to a central disposal point in accordance with local regulations.

#### **Health & Safety**

Contains Butanone Oxime - may cause an allergic reaction. Keep out of reach of children. Avoid eye contact and prolonged contact with skin. Always follow manufacturers recommendations when using this product. It is the users responsibility to determine suitability. Safety data sheet available on request for professional users.

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Skin Formation Time	12 minutes @ 23°C/ 50% relative
	humidity
Curing Speed	ca 1mm/ 24 hours
Application Temperature	+5°C to + 45°C
Shore A Hardness	25-40
Density @ 23°C	1.02 - 1.19
Elongation at break	500%
Movement Capability	ca 20%
Temperature Resistance	cured product -60°C to + 220°C
Conforms to:	BS EN 15651-1,2,3,4:2012.

Tested in accordance to ISO 846, DIN 18545, VDI 6022, VSG-GLAS.

## **Container Sizes:**

Colour:	lvory	White	Translucent
Code:	BDGISTIV	BDGISTWH	BDGISTT
Size:	310ml	310ml	310ml
Barcode:	5060021367396	5060021368799	506002136 9123

Colour:	Charcoal	Limestone	Sandstone
Code:	BDGISTCH	BDGISTLS	BDGISTSS
Size:	310ml	310ml	310ml
Barcode:	5060021367389	5060021367402	5060021367372

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EN15651-1,1,2,3,4:2012 F EXT-INT G 25LM XS1 PW EXT-INT CC Facade sealant for exterior and interior use. Sanitary sealant. Glazing sealant. Sealant for exterior and interior pedestrian walkways. Suitable for cold climates.		
Reaction to fire	E	
Release of chemicals	None	
Resistance to flow	<u>&lt;</u> 3mm	
Loss of volume	<u>&lt;</u> 10%	
Tensile properties at maintained extension	Pass	
Tensile properties secant modulus	<0.9MPa	
Adhesion/cohesion at variable temperature	Pass	
Adhesion/cohesion after water immersion	Pass	
Adhesion/cohesion after exposure to heat, water and artific	Pass al light	
Elastic Recovery	>70%	
Microbiological Growth	XS1	
Durability	Pass	
Tear Resistance	Pass	

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