Choose the W. R. MEADOWS Family of Foam Backer Rods to Save Time & Provide Joint Sealant Stability & Structure





**Construction professionals** use foam backer rods to fill inside any grooves that are present prior to the application of other sealant or mortar. Backer rods are not only a handy and incredibly useful tool for construction workers that save considerable time, but also serve to provide improved and enhanced stability to the structure that they are used on—and make all parts of the construction process more precise and accurate.

For more information on any of these products, including data sheets, safety data sheets, samples, and more, visit www.wrmeadows.com.

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## CERA-ROD<sub>IM</sub>

CERA-ROD is a closed-cell, round, flexible, continuous-length, non-absorbent, non-gassing, non-staining, non-shrinking material extruded from a cross-linked polyethylene. Compression/deflection is approximately 8 psi (55.2 KPa) at 25% deflection.

- Works equally well in concrete joints/cracks or asphalt cracks
- Use with hot-applied joint sealants will not melt, shrink, evaporate, or stain
- Retains its original diameter when exposed to high sealant temperatures

## KOOL-ROD<sub>m</sub>

KOOL-ROD is a closed cell, polyethylene, flexible, rope-like foam joint backing material for cold-applied sealants. This material is virtually non-absorbent and chemically inert to most solvents. KOOL-ROD will not stain or adhere to sealant materials. It is fully compatible with acrylic, butyl, polyurethane, polysulfide, silicone, and most other cold-applied sealant compounds.

- Now available in a handy bag that offers smaller quantities for smaller jobs
- For vertical and horizontal applications
- Forces sealant against joint sidewalls for maximum adhesion

## **KOOL-ROD SOFT**

KOOL-ROD SOFT is a soft, expandable backer rod for cold-applied sealants. This special SOFT formulation features enhanced compression attributes, and is also non-gassing and non-bubbling. KOOL-ROD SOFT's compressibility allows the product to fit into a greater variety of joint sizes.

- Commonly used in glazing operations, copings, between precast panels, and around door and window perimeters
- Provides the perfect backing for all types of construction, expansion, isolation, control, and pavement joints

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