## **XLBrands**<sup>®</sup>

# Stix<sup>®</sup> Seam







### SUPERIOR WET TACK • RAPID SET • COMMERCIAL & RESIDENTIAL USE

**Stix Seam** is a strong, solvent-free adhesive designed for joining carpets to eliminate seam unraveling in commercial and residential installations. **Stix Seam** has superior wet tack and rapid speed of set, making it an ideal candidate for solvent-based adhesive replacement. **Stix Seam** can be used on all carpets, including vinyl-backed types, for seaming and to prevent raveling on cut edges. This product is based on a high-strength water-based polymer designed specifically to seal the seam of most broadloom carpets. **Stix Seam** does not contain ammonia, is non-flammable, and dries to a clear film that is alkali and water resistant. **Stix Seam** has very low odor and "zero" (calculated) VOC. Contains MicroSept™ Antimicrobial System Protection for enhanced resistance to mold and mildew.

**Stix Seam** is Carpet & Rug Institute (CRI™) Green Label Plus approved.

#### **USE WITH**

- ActionBac<sup>®</sup>
- Foam rubber back
- Latex unitary
- Woven carpets

#### **CERTIFICATIONS**

- CRI™ Green Label Plus
- LEED v4 Credits: IEQ Credit 2.1, 2.2: Low emitting materials
- SCAQMD Rule 1168 Compliant
- California Section 01350 compliant

#### **LIMITATIONS**

- Do not allow product to freeze
- Store indoors at a temperature between 65-95°F.
- Shelf two years from date of manufacture, in unopened container

#### **BEFORE YOU BEGIN:**

Read XL Brands Technical Bulletin titled Substrate Preparation for complete instructions before beginning installation.

This document may be found at www.xlbrands.com/resources/technical-bulletins/substrate-preparations. If you have questions, contact XL Brands Technical Department at 706-508-5907 Mon-Fri, 8:00am - 5:00pm EST before you begin.

#### USAGE:

Directions for Use:

- 1. Prepare the carpet according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- 2. Apply continuous 1/8" bead of seam sealer to the edge of the backing of the first piece of carpet where it meets the carpet pile.
- 3. Immediately place the edge of the second piece of carpet into contact with the first piece which has the seam sealer on it. To achieve a good bond, it is essential for the two pieces of carpet to have a tight fit, and traffic on the seamed area should be restricted for at least 24 hours.
- 4. Clean any smears of seam sealer or adhesive with water while material is in the wet state. However, dried or tacky residues will require the use of an adhesive remover.

#### **COVERAGE**:

Approximately 400 linear feet per quart

#### **CLEAN UP:**

To clean up while wet, use soapy water. Dry residues may require the use of a solvent remover. Containers must be kept tightly closed when not in use.

#### **USE WITH:**

ActionBac®, foam rubber back carpets, latex unitary, woven carpets

#### **DISCLAIMER:**

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