# READY MIX JOINT COMPOUND

PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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## DESCRIPTION

Ready Mix Joint Compound is an easy-working material ideal for the filling of joints, and embedding the joint reinforcing tape in gypsum wallboard construction. Furnished in cans ready to use, this stable, all purpose compound is also excellent for use in covering nailheads and forming interior and exterior angles. Ready Mix Joint Compound assures a standard mixture for uniform workability throughout the job. It has a long wet life and will not spoil even when the pail is opened. Ready Mix Joint Compound is completely compatible with Bestwall 1-Day Wallboard Joint Compound and may be used for the topping coat over Bestwall 1-Day Wallboard Joint Compound. Ready Mix Joint Compound produces an excellent surface for any type of decoration. For best results, surface should be primed before being decorated.




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## ADVANTAGES

• No water needed — overcomes job mixing • Convenient for touchup work where only a small amount of material is needed • Very little consistency change • Does not have tendency to spoil • Fast tool clean-up • Smooth, easy-sanding finish • Low shrinkage • No waste — use only what's needed • No paint discoloration • Neater jobs — will not stain wood flooring • Provides smooth, seamless beauty

## PRODUCT USE

Reinforcement and concealment of joints to produce smooth, unbroken wall surfaces in gypsum wallboard construction. Also used for covering nailheads and forming interior and exterior angles.

## DATA

**Packaging:** 5 gallon pails

**Application:** Apply to joints, leaving a uniform thickness of material under the tapes. Apply first coat over tapes as soon as compound is completely dry. Fill corner bead. Treat nailheads at same time. Apply any further coats after previous coats are completely dry.

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# JOINT SYSTEM PRODUCTS

Bestwall offers a complete line of Joint System Products, designed to conceal joints and nail heads, and to "surface-weld" Bestwall Gypsum Wallboard panels together. Properly used, these products assure smooth, seamless appearance of walls and ceilings, with joints made as strong as the wallboard itself. When application is completed, the surface is ready for priming and decoration as desired with no further preparation necessary.

Bestwall Joint System products are easy to use. Instructions are included on each container. These products are economical and versatile.




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**The Bestwall line includes:**

1. Joint System (Compound and Tape)
2. Joint Compound
3. Bedding Compound
4. Topping Compound
5. Tape
6. Laminating Compound
7. Grabit
8. 1-Day Wallboard Joint Compound

and the newest addition to the Bestwall line:

9. Ready Mix Joint Compound

**Plus these products for special finishing use:**

1. Bestex #1 and Bestex #2
2. Spackling Compound
3. Patching Plaster

## PRODUCT USES

All building and remodeling wherever gypsum wallboard is used.

## DESCRIPTION AND PACKAGING

### 1. BESTWALL WALLBOARD JOINT COMPOUND

This is a plasticized adhesive, used for bedding and topping Bestwall Tape and for spotting nail heads. Also forms a strong, durable bond between layers of gypsum wallboard, in 2-ply laminated construction. The compound, a dry powder, is easily mixed with water. Shrinkage is low. Easy and economical to use, this Bestwall compound is available as follows:

**In Bags:** 25 lb.; and 18 lb. with 250′ roll of Bestwall Tape.

**In Cases:** 5 lb., packed 6 per carton; 4 lb. with 60′ roll of Bestwall Tape; or 4 lb. with 60′ roll of Bestwall Tape; and plastic knife.

**Approximate requirements:** 60 lbs. of compound per 1,000 sq. ft. gypsum wallboard.

### 2. BESTWALL BEDDING COMPOUND

Specially formulated for bedding tape, providing maximum adhesion to joints. Spreads smoothly and evenly, to assure best appearance. This economical compound can be applied easily, using a standard hand tool or Ames Applicator.

Bestwall Bedding Compound can be used to best advantage on large projects or custom work, as part of a 2-material treatment in combination with Bestwall Topping Compound. Use approximately 20 lbs. Bestwall Bedding Compound and 40 lbs. Bestwall Topping Compound per 1,000 sq. ft. of gypsum wallboard.

Available in 25 lb. bags only.

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## JOINT SYSTEM PRODUCTS (Continued)

### 3. BESTWALL TOPPING COMPOUND

This compound is designed for finishing taped joints and for spotting nail heads. It leaves surfaces smooth, ready for final finishing. When necessary, sanding is easy. 2-material use is recommended, in combination with Bestwall Bedding Compound.

Available in 25 lb. bags only.

(Note: Do *not* use Bestwall Topping Compound for embedding tape)

### 4. BESTWALL TAPE

Full-width, center-creased tape with skived edges. Bonding qualities are excellent. Porosity permits rapid drying of joint compound. Easy to use, economical, low expansion. Stabilized against varying conditions of humidity.

Width 2".

Available in 60', 250' and 500' rolls as follows: 250' rolls packed 20 per box, approx. 29 lbs.; 500' rolls packed 10 per box, approx. 28 lbs.; 60' rolls packed 60 per box, approx. 24 lbs.

### 5. BESTWALL LAMINATING COMPOUND

(See separate sheet)

### 6. BESTWALL GRABIT

(See separate sheet)

### 7. BESTWALL 1-DAY WALLBOARD JOINT COMPOUND

This new wallboard joint compound, developed through Bestwall research, is to be used for taping, topping, concealing nail heads and corner bead in gypsum wallboard construction.

This product, which mixes easily with water, is formulated to set and harden in 2½ to 3 hours. Working life is approximately 2 hours. When set, Bestwall 1-Day Wallboard Joint Compound *will not shrink.*
Final tight coat should be Bestwall Topping Compound, or other Bestwall Finishing Compounds as desired. Where joint system textures are to be used as part of the decorating scheme, a vinyl primer sealer or equivalent must be applied to the entire surface prior to texturing.
Available in 25 lb. bags.

### 8. BESTWALL READY MIX JOINT COMPOUND

(See separate sheet)

## PRODUCTS FOR SPECIAL FINISHING

### 1. BESTWALL BESTEX

A special texturing compound, designed to produce white decorative finishes with excellent light-reflecting qualities.

**Bestex #1** is excellent for hand application. For light texture, use approximately 12 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. of gypsum wallboard; for heavy texture, 50 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. of gypsum wallboard.

**Bestex #2** is designed for spray application. Perlite may be added in quantities from 2 lbs. up to 13 lbs. per 25 lbs. of Bestex #2. Gives widest possible range of textures desired. For light texture, use approximately 16 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. of gypsum wallboard; for Simulated Acoustic texture, use 90 lbs. of Bestex #2 plus 45 lbs. of fine Perlite per 1,000 sq. ft. of gypsum wallboard.

Both products are available in 25 lb. bags.

Bestex #1 is also available in 5 lb. boxes, packed 6 to the carton.

### 2. BESTWALL SPACKLING COMPOUND

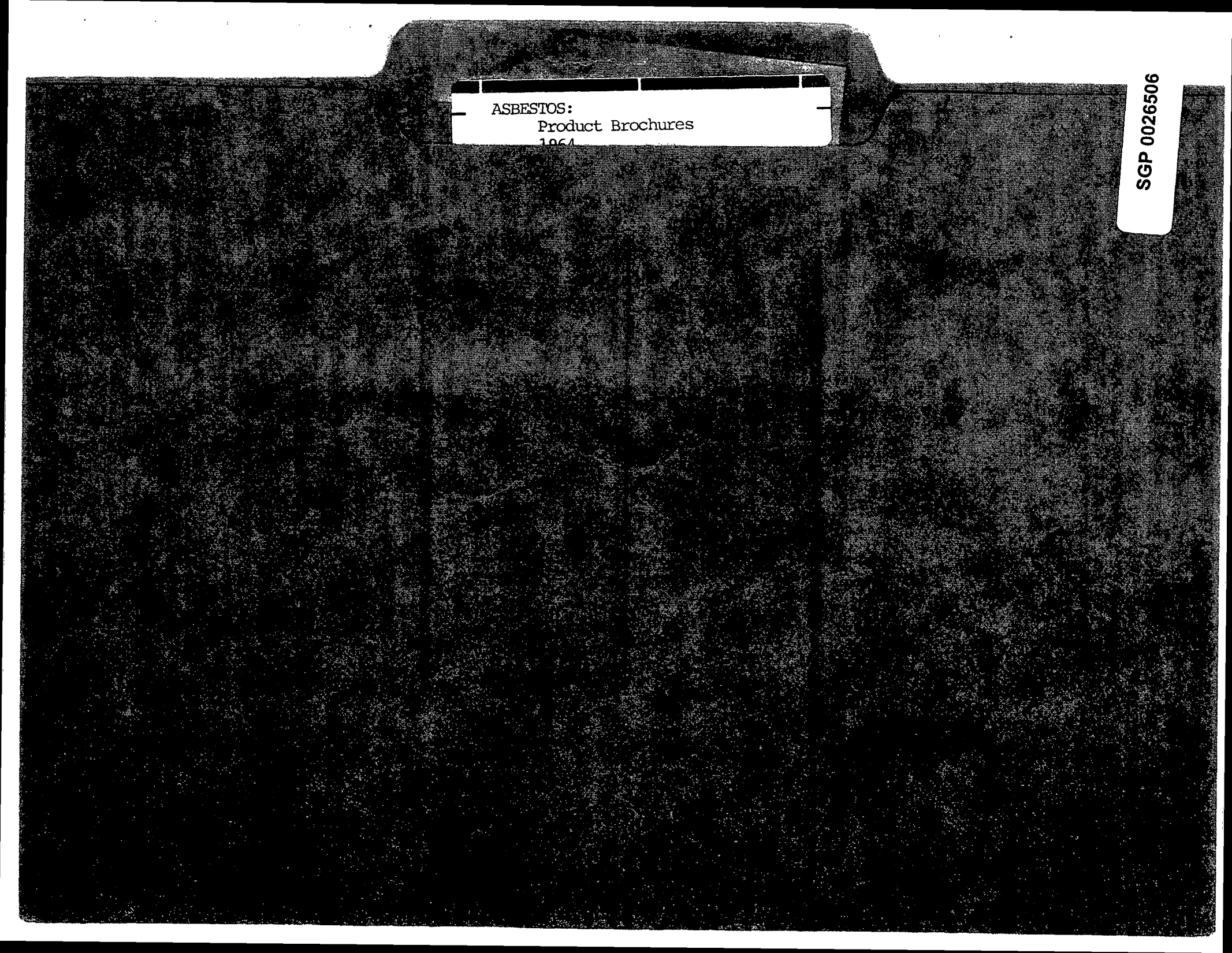
Fills small holes and cracks in plaster and other surfaces before decorating.

Available in 25 lb. bags, or in 5 lb. boxes packed 6 to the case.

### 3. BESTWALL PATCHING PLASTER

Used for repairing large areas and cracks before painting.

Available in 25 lb. bags, or in 5 lb. boxes packed 6 to the case.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