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Perfect sealant every time - only with CornerTape

- Quick and easy with no mess and a top quality finish to be proud of

The award-winning brand, CornerTape is delighted to have launched in Ireland with a range of its sealant-taming products now available from an increasing number of merchants and trade outlets.

Invented by a Norwegian kitchen and bathroom contractor in 2007, CornerTape is proving a global success.

CornerTape provides a complete system of products designed to guarantee a quick and easy method of removing, preparing, applying and finishing all types of sealant in kitchens and bathrooms; it is great for apprentices too as it is the only product range on the market which achieves a first class finishing touch of perfection that will please every customer every time.



The CornerTape Professional range contains a heavy duty Silicone & Grout Remover Tool. The Tool comes with its own sharpening stone for years of continued use and features three blades, specially angled to push, pull and scrape off old grout and sealant in one fast and easy motion while protecting delicate surfaces, and the CornerTape Residue Remover Brush ensures entire removal of old grout and silicone from uneven surfaces.

CornerTape Preparation Wipes are unique. Almost all traditional cleaning wipes contain Aloe and/or other detergents, which are greasy and leave a residue on the surface. CornerTape Wipes guarantee a clean, grease-free surface for absolute adhesion and they kill bacteria to ensure a hygienic sealant joint, which lasts twice as long.

CornerTape itself is at the heart of the system. Available in rolls of various lengths and widths to create a bead of sealant to suit any job, CornerTape is completely unlike traditional masking tapes. Using the roll as the application tool, it is super fast to apply the tape onto one of the surfaces. The tape is then unfolded and the clear film removed to reveal perfectly straight, ultra-thin parallel tapes –

one on either side of the joint – into which the sealant is applied. The sealant is then smoothed with the forming tool, which comes in the box.

The result is perfect every time; straight, with no edges or ridges – just a clean-edge bead of silicone, adding a show house finishing touch to any kitchen or bathroom.



The SiliconeKit bundles together a number of CornerTape products into one neat package as a complete toolbox and contains two Remover Tools, a Residue Remover Brush, specialist Preparation Wipes, a 5m roll of CornerTape, a Silicone Forming Kit and instruction DVD. All the tools in the kit can be used again and again.

And CornerTape's latest product - SiliconePro kitchen and bathroom sealant - is proving a winner. Easily identified with its distinctive black tube and multi-coloured nozzle, CornerTape SiliconePro is a durable and versatile silicone sealant available in a choice of four colours – white, translucent, cream and grey – and introduces the World's first Anti Drip Valve and Pre-Cut Nozzle System, designed & patented by CornerTape for easy use, to prevent waste and save mess.



The Anti-Drip Valve is conveniently positioned on the front of the tube – one simple quarter turn of the valve cuts the flow of sealant, preventing the traditionally inevitable overspill – and the Pre-Cut Nozzle System comes in four sections for beads of sealant in various sizes, each of which unscrews and is cut at an angle of 45° for greater control, and a lid. The Pre Cut Nozzle System can be used over and over again, the cured sealant easily cleared by simply unscrewing the nozzles.

Inside the tube, CornerTape SiliconePro is ready to use and suitable for a wide range of applications. SiliconePro is Anti-Mould; resistant to mildew, water and moisture as well as colour fade and is UV and weather resistant, making it ideal for both indoor and outdoor jobs. With its high elasticity rate and tensile strength, SiliconePro is ideal for applications where movement in the joint is expected and will perform in extreme temperatures, from -50°C to 120°C.

The complete CornerTape product range is now available throughout Ireland from a growing number of leading merchants, trade outlets and DIY retailers. For further information or to find your nearest stockist, contact McManus Group Ireland on (353) 87 246 2248 or visit www.cornertape.co.uk. To see the products in action, video demonstrations can be found online, at YouTube and at www.cornertape.co.uk.

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Users in the UK, comment on CornerTape:

"I used the tape yesterday, and it was the best silicone run I've ever done! Everyone noticed – it was such a tidy job, no-one could say anything but praise for the tape and now they all want some! Of all the tools and accessories I've tried over the years, nothing beats CornerTape for actually doing what it's described to do. The company I work with is interested in using the product too."

Neil Walters, kitchen fitter in Pembrokeshire, Wales

"The ideal opportunity came to try my CornerTape in the refurbishment of a new head office reception area involving some 60sqm of Clip-n-Fit pre-grouted porcelain floor tiles. One of my wood floor installers, who also specialises in the fitting of Clip-n-Fit tiles and is particularly proficient with the skeleton gun, used the CornerTape and his reaction was genuinely enthusiastic. He said the job, particularly on the long runs, was so much easier, quicker and the result was more even ie. better than can be achieved generally by the 'wet finger' method used by so many. Texfield will henceforth be using CornerTape on all types of flooring."

Malcolm Wingrove, Texfield Services Ltd, flooring contractors, London

"We use CornerTape on all of our buildings, to create a perfectly-finished seal in the internal corners. Our buildings are used as offices, studios, pool and spa rooms, media, hobbies and day rooms, every one finished to the highest achievable standard. The outside is lovely Cedar wood but we were struggling when it came to establishing an equally professional finish in the internal corners of our buildings. We have been using CornerTape for about a year now – it keeps sealant where it's supposed to be and leaves a perfectly straight fine line with a top quality finish. Everyone notices and asks how we do it!

Paul Raven, Inhus garden buildings, Suffolk (www.inhus.com)