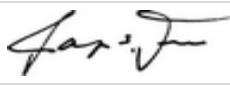




# COMPLIANCE TESTED by berkeley analytical

## VOC Emission Test Certificate

**Product Name: QuietPutty®**

Product Sample Information		Certificate Information	
Company:	PABCO Gypsum	Certificate No:	231110-04
Company Website:	www.pabco gypsum.com	Certified By:	 Raja S. Tannous, Laboratory Director
Product Type:	Acoustical Putty	Date:	November 10, 2023
Date Produced:	7/7/2023		

**Reference Standard:** California Department of Public Health CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method Version 1.2, 2017 (Emission testing method for CA Specification 01350)

### Acceptance Criteria and Results Demonstrating Compliance of Product Sample to Referenced Standard:

Exposure Scenario <sup>1</sup>	Individual VOCs of Concern <sup>2</sup>		Formaldehyde <sup>3</sup>		TVOC <sup>4</sup>
	Criterion	Compliant?	Criterion	Compliant?	
School Classroom	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	YES	≤ 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Private Office	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	YES	≤ 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Product Coverage<sup>5</sup>:** Non-full spread application – see attached letter

1. Exposure scenarios & product quantities for classroom & office are defined in Tables 4-2 – 4-5 (CDPH Std. Mtd. V1.2-2017)
2. Maximum allowable concentrations of individual target VOCs are specified in Table 4-1 (*ibid.*)
3. Maximum allowable formaldehyde concentration is ≤9 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, effective Jan 1, 2012; previous limit was ≤16.5 µg/m<sup>3</sup> (*ibid.*)
4. Informative only; predicted TVOC Range in three categories, i.e., ≤0.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, >0.5 – 4.9 mg/m<sup>3</sup>, and ≥5.0 mg/m<sup>3</sup>
5. Informative and applicable only to tests of wet-applied products; grams of sample applied per square meter of substrate

### Standards & Codes Recognizing CDPH Standard Method V1.2 (partial list)

- USGBC LEED Version 4/4.1, BD&C, ID&C, Residential BD&C Multifamily
- The WELL Building Standard, WELL v2, Feature X06
- ANSI/GBI 01-2019 Green Globes Assessment Protocol

**Narrative:** PABCO Gypsum selected a sample representative of its QuietPutty® - an acoustical putty product and submitted it on 10/19/2023 for testing. Berkeley Analytical measured and evaluated the emissions of VOCs from this sample following CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method V1.2-2017. The results of the test are presented in Berkeley Analytical report, 418-032-04A-Nov1023.

**Berkeley Analytical** is an independent, third-party laboratory specializing in the analysis of organic chemicals emitted by and contained in building products, finishes, furniture, and consumer products. We are an ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory (IAS, [TL-383](#)); all standards used in performing this test are in Berkeley Analytical's scope of accreditation.

**DISCLAIMER:** THIS CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE AFFIRMS THAT: 1) A SAMPLE OF THE LISTED PRODUCT WAS TESTED ACCORDING TO THE REFERENCED STANDARD; 2) THE MEASURED VOC EMISSIONS FROM THE SAMPLE WERE EVALUATED FOR THE DEFINED EXPOSURE SCENARIO(S); AND 3) THE RESULTS MEET THE ACCEPTANCE CRITERIA OF THE REFERENCED STANDARD(S). BERKELEY ANALYTICAL IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY CLAIMS REGARDING A PRODUCT OR PRODUCTS ENTERED INTO COMMERCE THAT MAY BE BASED ON THIS TEST. BERKELEY ANALYTICAL PROVIDES THIS CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE "AS IS" WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR ANY PURPOSE.



October 27, 2023

Subject: RE: VOC Emission Testing; CDPH Standard Method V1.2; non-full spread application calculations

Below are the rational and the calculations for quantity of Quiet Putty® product by QuietRock® by PABCO Gypsum, that would be used in the standard school classroom and the standard private office defined in CDPH Standard Method V1. 2.

Classroom:

Placing electrical outlets on the walls of classroom at 6' intervals (worst case), the number of outlets for a classroom 40' x 24' x 8.5' would be:

40' wall = 5 x 2 sides of wall = 10

24' wall = 3 x 2 sides of wall = 6

Total outlets = 16

Apply one (1) QuietPutty pad to cover electrical outlet box

Dimension of each pad: 7" x 7" x 1/8" = 6.1 cubic inch x 16 pads= 98 cubic inches

Weight of one (1) pad (7" x 7" x 1/8") = 7 oz (198 g)., Weight of 16 pads= 112 oz (3.17 kg)

Note: As the electrical box is inside the cut-out wall and covered by a wall plate, the putty is not generally exposed in the classroom

Office:

Placing electrical outlets on the walls of an office at 6' intervals (worst case), the number of outlets for an office 12' x 10' x 9' would be:

12' wall = 2 x 2 sides of wall= 4

10' wall = 1 x 2 sides of wall= 2

Total outlets = 6

Apply one (1) QuietPutty pad to cover electrical outlet box

Dimension of each pad  $7'' \times 7'' \times 1/8'' = 6.1$  cubic inch x 6 pads = 36.6 cubic inches

Weight of one (1) pad ( $7'' \times 7'' \times 1/8''$ ) = 7 oz., Weight of 6 pads = 42 oz (1.19 kg)

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