



# PL® 530 Mirror, Marble & Granite Construction Adhesive

**Description:** Loctite® PL® 530 Mirror, Marble and Granite Construction Adhesive is a premium-grade solvent-based adhesive engineered specifically for use in kitchen and bath applications. It provides superior bonding capabilities in wet and humid areas, and will not stain or damage mirrors or solid surfaces. Loctite PL 530 adheres to common materials found in kitchen and bath areas including mirrors, marble, granite, concrete, brick, glass, tile, ceramic, fiberglass, metals, drywall and backsplashes. Use only on electrocopper plated glass mirrors.

#### Available As:

Item #	Size	Package
1693636	10 fl oz (295 ml)	Paper Cartridge

#### Features & Benefits:

- Bonds to Common Materials Found in the Kitchen & Bath
- Won't Stain or Damage Materials
- Forms Strong, Permanent Bonds
- Long Lasting Adhesion in Wet and Humid Areas
- Low VOC Formulation

#### **Recommended For:**

Loctite PL 530 adheres to common materials found in kitchen and bath areas including mirrors, marble, granite, concrete, brick, glass, tile, ceramic, fiberglass, metals, drywall and backsplashes. Use only on electro-copper plated glass mirrors conforming to US Federal Specification DD-M-00411against silver spoilage. Mirror must be supported at bottom with mechanical fasteners.

#### For Best Results:

Not recommended for the following applications:

- Not recommended for polystyrene foam, tub surrounds, installation of ceramic or stone floors
- Polyethylene (PE), polypropylene (PP), polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE)
- Do not use in areas subject to water immersion
- Acrylic mirrors
- Not recommended for installation of floor tiles or thresholds (ceramic, porcelain or stone)
- Overhead applications

## Coverage:

For a 10 fl. oz. (295 ml) cartridge:

- A 1/4" (6 mm) bead extrudes approximately 30.6 ft. (9.3 m)
- A 3/8" (9.5 mm) bead extrudes approximately 13.6 ft. (4.1 m)



Typical Uncured Physical Properties:

Color:	Light Tan	
Appearance:	Thick paste	
Base:	Synthetic Rubber and resins Formaldehyde free	
Solvent:	Acetone	
Odor:	Acetone-like	
Specific Gravity:	1.44	
Flashpoint:	1.4°F (-17°C)	
Viscosity:	210,000 cps	
VOC Content:	0.22% by weight	CARB
	5.67 g/l	SCAQMD rule 1168
Shelf Life:	18 months from date of manufacture (unopened)	
Lot Code Explanation:	YYDDD	
Stamped on bottom plunger of cartridge for 295 ml	YY= Last two digits of year of manufacture DDD= Day of manufacture based on 365 days in a year	
Stamped on plastic nozzle for 825 ml	Example: 14061 = 61st day of 2014 = March 2, 2014	

Typical Application Properties:

Application Temperature:	Apply and cure between 1.4°F (-17°C) and 120°F (49°C). See mirror instructions For best results, use at 70°F (21°C)	
Open Time:	15 minutes*	@ 78°F (25°C) and 50% R.H.
Repositioning Time:	30 minutes*	@ 78°F (25°C) and 50% R.H.
Cure Time:	2 to 7 days*	@ 78°F (25°C) and 50% R.H.
	*Time is dependent on temperature, humidity, porosity of substrate and amount of adhesive applied	

Typical Cured Performance Properties:

Color:	Light Tan
Cured Form:	Non-flammable solid
Service Temperature:	-20°F (-29°C) to 150°F (66°C)
Water Resistant:	Yes

#### **Directions:**

#### **Tools Typically Required:**

Utility knife, caulking gun and a long, thin tool to puncture cartridge seal

#### **Safety Precautions:**

Ventilate to the outside during application and cure. Wear gloves. Wash hands after use.

#### **Preparation**

<u>General application:</u> The temperature of the adhesive, the surfaces and the working area must be between  $1.4^{\circ}F$  (- $17^{\circ}C$ ) and  $120^{\circ}F$  ( $49^{\circ}C$ ). For smooth, fast, easy application during cold weather, store adhesive at room temperature ( $70^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}F$  /  $22 \pm 2^{\circ}C$ ) 24 hours prior to use. Ensure surfaces to be bonded are clean, dry, free of dust, grease, oil or other contaminants and structurally sound. Do not apply over wallpaper, vinyl or foil wall coverings. To increase adhesion, sand glossy or painted surfaces to a dull finish. Pre-fit all materials prior to applying product. Cut off tip of cartridge at  $45^{\circ}$  angle to desired bead size. The recommended bead size is  $3/8^{\circ}$  (9.5 mm). Puncture seal inside of nozzle.

<u>Mirror:</u> For best adhesion the mirror, substrate and adhesive should be at room temperature  $(70 \pm 5^{\circ}\text{F}/22 \pm 2^{\circ}\text{C})$  for 24 hours before use. Do not use on a painted surface, wall coverings or treated wood. On porous substrates such as drywall or wood, apply a primer or sealer (not paint) on the substrate and allow it to dry. Painted surfaces should be sanded to the original surface and the substrate cleaned and sealed with a primer. Wall covering must be removed where the adhesive is to be applied, cleaned and sealed.



### **Application:**

<u>General application:</u> Using a caulking gun, apply 3/8" zigzag bead to one surface to be bonded or apply a continuous broken bead around the perimeter and in the center of the object. One surface must be porous. Ensure that all outer edges and centers are adequately supplied with adhesive to ensure a complete and total bond. Bracing or nailing is recommended for vertical applications. Use nails sparingly for support and as an aid to alignment during installation. Surfaces must be joined within 15 minutes after application. Repositioning time is approximately 30 minutes. If work is delayed, remove excess adhesive and begin again. After use, wipe off nozzle tip and recap immediately.

Mirror bonding: This product must be used with a permanent support system. Be very careful not to scratch or damage the back coating of the mirror. Apply the adhesive to the back of mirror or the substrate in ½ inch thick globs approximately 2- 3 inches in diameter every square foot. Place the adhesive mounds so that space will be left between them when the mirror is installed. This will allow the adhesive to dry. Do not place the adhesive too close to the edge to prevent "squeeze out". Place mirror into support channels or hangers and press in place within 10 -15 minutes. The adhesive should be compressed to 1/8" to 3/16". Tape or brace the top of the mirror until the adhesive has set at least 48 hours. For non porous surfaces longer curing time will be required. Do not try to reposition the mirror once in place. If sealing the edges wait a minimum of 7 days. Curing time will depend on temperature, humidity, type of substrate and amount of air that can reach the adhesive.

#### Clean-up:

Clean tools and uncured adhesive residue immediately with mineral spirits or paint thinner in a well-ventilated area to the outdoors. Cured adhesive may be carefully cut away with a sharp-edged tool.

#### Storage & Disposal:

Not damaged by freezing. Store away from heat, flame and spark in a cool, well-ventilated area. For best results, store at 70°F (21°C). Use an approved hazardous waste facility for disposal. Hardened material may be disposed of with trash.

#### **Label Precautions:**

#### DANGER! EXTREMELY FLAMMABLE. VAPORS MAY CAUSE FLASH FIRE. HARMFUL IF INHALED OR SWALLOWED.

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WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

NOTICE: Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain, nervous system, liver and kidney damage or may cause cardiac arrhythmia. INTENTIONAL MISUSE BY DELIBERATELY INHALING THE CONTENTS MAY BE HARMFUL OR FATAL.

Refer to Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for further information.

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