



# Product of the Month

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## U.S. COLD PATCH



**U.S. Cold Patch is a revolutionary ready-to-use recycled asphalt product for permanently repairing potholes, cracks, and other defects in asphalt and concrete surfaces.**

Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch is ready to drive on immediately after application. Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch is dry, odorless, and contains none of the hazardous volatiles found in typical cold asphalts.

Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch is stronger, easier to use, and much safer than other comparable products. Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch has many features including ready to drive on immediately, no odor, becomes hard as asphalt, long shelf life, and safe to use. The consistency of Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch is like potting soil, allowing it to be used in all weather conditions. It is available in 50 lb. bags.

More information is available including a video demonstration at [www.sakrete.com](http://www.sakrete.com).

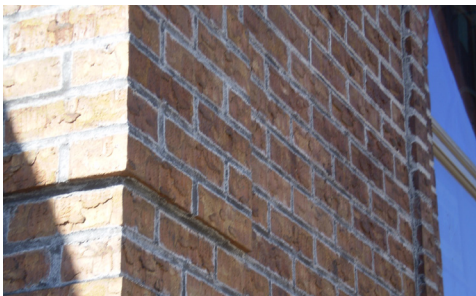
### Features, Benefits & Procedures

Sweep area to be repaired. Be sure to remove all loose material.

Fill area with Sakrete U.S. Cold Patch to a height that is 25% higher than depth. For patches deeper than 2 inches, apply in layers. Compact with a tamper, a shovel or by driving over the area with the wheels of your car.

For repairs over 2" deep, it is important to apply this material in 1-2" lifts (layers). Pour some material into the hole, compact it with a post or tamper and repeat until area is repaired.

Finished patch should be slightly crowned above the surrounding surface. One bag will cover approximately a 2 square feet hole at 2" thick.



### Efflorescence

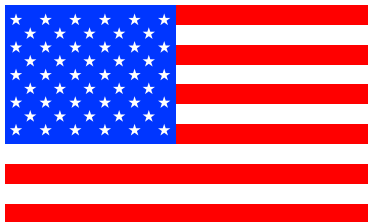
This time of year with the cooler weather and moisture, we will see the effects of efflorescence on mortar. Please follow our handouts for the use of Mortars & Grouts During cold weather construction.

### Special Points of Interest:

Closed for Christmas: December 22nd thru the 25th

Closed New Years Day, January 1st

Quality Masonry Conference: 1/24 Quarry Oaks, Ashland, NE



**Product of the Month for January:**

*Nature's Ice Melt*