#### **Surface Protection Treatment**

#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

**PRODUCT** SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT

#### MANUFACTURER

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#### DESCRIPTION/USE/LIMITATIONS

SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT is a colorless liquid designed to impart water repellence to a wide variety of surfaces. SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT reacts by forming an insoluble filmless water resistant treatment within 24 hours after application.

# Basic Use: SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT

is primarily used as a surface treatment in applications that utilize its ability to impart water repellent surface and reduce water absorption. SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT is an aqueous penetrating treatment, which provides a tough breathable filmless barrier beneath and on the surface by preventing liquid/contaminant penetration. It improves bonding ability for subsequent treatments of paint, adhesive, aesthetic topping or other coatings. SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT eliminates or greatly retards efflorescence, while imparting additional resistance against cracking and spalling. SURFACE PRO- TECTION TREATMENT enhances surface traction quality. SURFACE PROTECTION TREAT- MENT is odorless, nontoxic, nonflammable and VOC/VOS free

**Limitations:** Spills or spray droplets in contact with any surface, other than the one being treated should be removed using water and a cloth or brush, not be allowed to air dry. Dried product is very difficult to remove.

**Physical:** Liquid Color: Clear Odor: None Specific Gravity: 1.02 Weight Per Gallon: 8.46 Boiling Point: 230 F **pH:** ±11 Solvent: Water Shelf Life: One Year Flash Point: None Flammability: None Environmentally: Safe **User:** Friendly Hazardous Vapors: None Disposal: Non-Hazardous Material Toxicity: None Freeze Harm: Possible Freeze Temperature: 32 F Clean Equipment: Soap and Water **U.V. Resistance:** Excellent Paintability: Excellent VOC/VOS Compliant: Yes **Composition:** Aqueous Siliconate

#### **INSTALLATION DIRECTIONS**

DO NOT ATOMIZE! Always spot test prior to use to determine suitability.

a. Remove coatings or buildups of any kind present on surface or else SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT cannot work properly.

b. Slightly dampen, removing any excess water.

c. Use a non-atomizing spray apparatus, such as a pump-tank sprayer or tree sprayer with a fan spray tip size between .026 and.072.

d. Hold spray tip 6 inches from surface.

e. Apply at the rate shown on chart at right with an overlapping spray pattern and a fanning motion.

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f. Begin applying at the lowest level of elevation. For example, walls and slopes should be applied side to side, from the bottom up.

g. Surface must be wet, but do not apply so much product that it puddles.

h. Drying time varies with temperature and environment. In good conditions at 70 F, this would take 24 hours or less.

#### **APPLICATION PRECAUTIONS**

a. Protect areas not intended for coverage, as product is very difficult to remove later. SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT will damage or kill vegetation and will stain or etch glass, plastic and aluminum. If contact should occur, wash immediately with water.

b. White precipitate may form if SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT is over applied. Surface should be washed and may need scrubbing if this occurs.

c. Do not apply when ambient temperature drops below 50 F.

d. Do not apply when rain is expected in next 24 hours.

e. Do not apply on extremely hot surfaces. On very hot days, apply in early a.m. or at night.

f. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Small amounts transferred to mouth by fingers should not cause injury. A local exhaust is recommended if spray mist is created in an enclosed area. We recommend the use of a painter's mask during application. Refer to MSDS.

### **Coverage Rate Chart**

Estimated square feet per gallon:

Adobe	250-350
Brick	300-550
Clay Tile	400-750
Concrete	200-300
Grout	300-750
Limestone	200-300
Man Made Stone	250-450
Pavers	300-500
Plaster	350-550
Slate	400-500
Stucco	300-750

(test area is recommended)

#### BENEFITS

- 1. Surface is more abrasion and crack resistant
- 2. SURFACE PROTECTION TREATMENT remains resilient
- 3. Increases density
- 4. Resists oil penetration and repels water
- 5. Enhances traction quality
- 6. Improves freeze-thaw damage
- 7. Makes ice removal easier from concrete
- 8. Improves fungus and mildew resistance
- 9. Enhances bonding of coatings, toppings, etc.
- 10. Eliminates or retards efflorescence
- 11. Other than normal maintenance not required.