

SPARKL-SEAL VOC

Transparent, solvent based, high gloss acrylic copolymer sealer for concrete, masonry and stone.

HOW IT WORKS

SPARKL-SEAL VOC forms a tough, hard, non-yellowing film for both interior and exterior applications. Enhances the beauty of all treated surfaces by producing a "wet look" appearance with a high gloss sheen. Applied to freshly placed and finished concrete, it creates a vapor seal that retains moisture for proper curing.

APPLICATIONS

- ◆ Use to seal and protect all types of horizontal and vertical surfaces.
- ◆ Ideal for beautifying and protecting stamped concrete, acid stained concrete, integrally colored concrete, exposed aggregate and cementitious overlays.
- ◆ Use as an anti-graffiti coating to protect concrete and masonry surfaces from most aerosol spray paints.

ADVANTAGES

- ◆ Contains special U.V. inhibitors designed to maximize resistance to ultra-violet degradation from the sun.
- ◆ Dries rapidly and has excellent recoatability characteristics.
- ◆ Protects sealed surfaces from the damaging effects of water, deicing salts and acid rain.
- ◆ Minimizes spalling due to moisture absorption and freeze/thaw related damage.
- ◆ Prevents unsightly absorption of dirt, oil and grease.
- ◆ Prevents staining and deterioration from airborne dirt, food products, urine and feces.
- ◆ Minimizes the occurrence of efflorescence or white lime deposit staining on brick and block walls.
- ◆ May be used as a cure on freshly placed concrete and meets the requirements of ASTM C 1315 Type 1, Class A; ASTM C 309; AASHTO M-148; Navdock 13 YF; and, CRP C-300.
- ◆ Protects subsequent applications of carpeting or tile from efflorescence, attack by alkaline salts and dusting.
- ◆ Meets all federal VOC requirements.

PRECAUTIONS

- ◆ Do not use on concrete slabs with inadequately drained subgrade, treated surfaces to be covered with concrete or plaster, and/or surfaces subject to hydrostatic water pressure.
- ◆ Coating delamination (blistering) may occur if applied prior to allowing all surface bleed water to fully evaporate. A moisture saturated subgrade or a moisture barrier placed beneath the slab to be cured and/or sealed may increase the risk of coating delamination.
- ◆ Do not use with other floor sealers, treatments, bondbreakers or adhesives without prior site test to determine compatibility and adhesion.
- ◆ Any variations in concrete surface density may be highlighted by surface mottling after product application. Make test application to determine performance and appearance acceptability.
- ◆ Do not use around sparks or open flame. Provide adequate ventilation.
- ◆ Treated surfaces may be slippery prior to drying and when wet with water or liquids after drying.
- ◆ When used in exterior applications, coated surfaces will slowly oxidize in time, necessitating reapplication.

USE INSTRUCTIONS

- ◆ Request current product literature, labels and material safety data sheets from manufacturer and read thoroughly before product use.
- ◆ Site environmental conditions, substrate conditions and construction have a major effect on product selection, application methods, procedures and rates, appearance and performance. Product literature provides general information applicable to some conditions. However, an adequate site test application by the purchaser or installer in advance of field scale use is mandatory (irrespective of any other verbal or written representations) to verify that product and quantities purchased can be satisfactorily applied and will achieve desired appearance and performance under intended use conditions.



chemical solutions to concrete problems

- ◆ Low pressure spray application provides the best results, however, product can be applied with brushes or rollers. Spray apparatus should be equipped with chemically resistant hoses and gaskets. NOX-CRETE'S PERFECT FORM & CONCRETE SPRAYER is recommended for smaller areas. Larger areas are most economically treated with power sprayers.
- ◆ Do not thin or dilute.
- ◆ Application rates vary with substrate conditions. Approximate rate for curing is 250 sf/gal. (6.1 sm/l) per application. Approximate rate for sealing is 300 sf/gal. (7.4 sm/l) per application.
- ◆ Application equipment should be cleaned with aromatic solvents such as xylene or aromatic 100. (Read vendor's MSDS before use.)

For Freshly Placed Concrete

- ◆ Apply immediately following final finishing and after disappearance of surface water sheen.
- ◆ Apply to the point of saturation and appearance of continuous surface film.
- ◆ Concrete should be damp but not wet. Avoid over application, puddles or runs.
- ◆ For maximum sealing and dustproofing benefits, apply a second coat of SPARKL-SEAL VOC after final clean-up and when the concrete is dry.

Previously Cured Concrete

- ◆ Remove all dirt, oil, grease, paint or foreign cure residue with NOX-CRETE'S BIO-CLEAN OR BIO-STRIP and clean with a 10% caustic solution, exercising normal precautions for handling such materials.
- ◆ Rinse thoroughly with clean water and squeegee off excess water.
- ◆ Allow surface to dry 24-48 hours prior to first application.
- ◆ Use moisture meter or adequate material test to verify satisfactory adhesion and appearance.
- ◆ Apply a second application in 24 hours.

Maintenance

- ◆ Wipe up all chemical, solvent or petroleum spills as soon as possible.
- ◆ Remove dirt and debris by sweeping.
- ◆ Wash and buff periodically to help maintain surface luster.
- ◆ Clean damaged coating areas promptly and recoat.

TECHNICAL DATA

Color, ASTM D2300	<0.5
Clarity	Clear
Odor	Solvent
VOC	<700 g/l
VP	<2.0 mmHg @ 20° C
Bulk Density	7.46 lbs./gal. (896 g/l)
Freeze Point	Below -20° F (-29° C)
Dry (Dust/Tack Free)	2 hours
Dry (Light Traffic)	12 hours
Dry (Normal Traffic)	24 hours

PACKAGING

Packaged in 1 gal (3.8 l) / 8 lbs (4 kg) jugs, 5 gal (19.0 l) / 40 lbs (18 kg) pails and 55 gal (208 l) / 446 lbs (202 kg) drums.

SHELF LIFE

One year from date of manufacture. Use product before expiration date indicated on container.

HANDLING/STORAGE

Store away from excessive heat and open flame and prevent any moisture from contacting container top.

AVAILABILITY & TECHNICAL SERVICES

In addition to corporate offices in Omaha, Nebraska, NOX-CRETE Products Group maintains regional offices and distribution centers in principal markets throughout the world. For source or technical information, phone (800) 669-2738 or (402) 341-1976.

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