



# ChemMasters®

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# Crystal Clear

High Solids, Solvent-Based,  
Non-Yellowing, Highest Gloss,  
Siliconized Acrylic Cure & Protect  
for Concrete

## P R O D U C T                      D A T A

### DESCRIPTION

**Crystal Clear** is a state of the art proprietary formulation which creates the highest gloss possible on concrete. This premium quality, solvent-based, super high gloss, non-yellowing, siliconized acrylic compound cures and protects concrete with a film that deepens the color and enhances the look of pigmented or decorative concrete. **Crystal Clear** is completely non-yellowing and keeps its high gloss finish much longer than standard concrete coatings. **Crystal Clear** will retard efflorescence while resisting contamination from oil, grease, food, and landscaping chemicals. **Crystal Clear** improves decorative concrete aesthetics while protecting concrete against damage caused by freeze/thaw cycles and deicing chemicals.

### USES

- Cure freshly poured exterior decorative, colored, stamped or exposed aggregate concrete to ASTM C1315 specifications where superior curing efficiency is required.
- Protect existing concrete particularly architectural or residential concrete exposed to freeze-thaw or deicing chemicals.
- Enhance the color and gloss of decorative concrete.

### ADVANTAGES

- **Crystal Clear** is much tougher than traditional acrylic sealers. The high gloss created by **Crystal Clear** lasts up to 70% longer.
- **Crystal Clear** is completely non-yellowing.
- **Crystal Clear** cures concrete to ASTM C1315 standards to minimize cracking and increase the strength of concrete.
- Protects surfaces against freeze/thaw damage, deicing chemicals, fertilizers, salts, grease, oil, mild acids and other contaminants.

- ASTM C1315, Type I, Class A, (upon request ID & II) *Standard Specification for Liquid Membrane-Forming Compounds for Curing and Sealing Concrete*
- ASTM C309, Type 1, Class A & B (upon request 1D & 2) *Standard Specification for Liquid Membrane-Forming Compounds for Curing Concrete*
- AASHTO M-148, Type 1, Class A & B (upon request 1D & 2) *Standard Specification for Liquid Membrane-Forming Compounds for Curing Concrete.*
- Complies with National Volatile Organic Compound (V.O.C.) Emission Standards for Architectural Coatings, Federal EPA Regulation 40 CFR Part 59 and lower V.O.C. regulations @ < 700 g/L
- Meets USDA requirements for incidental food contact when fully cured

Packaging Product Number		
5 gal (18.9L)	36 per pallet	F1335.05
55 gal (208L)	4 per pallet	F1335.55

Gloss Retention 1,000 hours QUV Exposure All panels begin with Gloss Rating = 95		
Product	Gloss Rating E.O.T.	% of Initial
<b>Crystal Clear</b>	89.8	95
Moisture Cure Urethane	79.1	83
Pure Acrylic	73.6	77
Styrene Acrylic	55.4	58

Yellowing Index 1,000 QUV Exposure, Simulates approximately 10 yrs of Florida Sunlight. Visible yellowing begins at 3.0 Index	
Product	Yellowing E.O.T.
Initial Rating All Products	0
<b>Crystal Clear</b>	0
Moisture Cure Urethane	3.0
Pure Acrylic	4.77
Styrene Acrylic	9.48

### TECHNICAL DATA

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### Physical Properties

ASTM C156 Moisture Retention	0.035 g/cm <sup>2</sup>
PMCC Flash point °F (°C)	100 (38)
V.O.C. Content	<700 g/L
Drying Time @ 70°F (21°C) Tack Free Light foot traffic Maximum hardness	2 hours 8 hours 7 days

### Estimating Guide

#### Coverage rates vary with concrete condition

	ft <sup>2</sup> /gallon	m <sup>2</sup> /liter
Cure Fresh Concrete	300	7
Protect Existing Concrete	350-450	8 to 11
Optional 2nd Coat	450	11

### DIRECTIONS

**Mixing:** Do not dilute. **CRYSTAL CLEAR** is packaged ready to use. Gently stir or agitate prior to use.

**Surface Preparation:** If using to cure fresh concrete, apply as soon as all bleed water has dissipated. If applying as a protectant for older concrete, clean thoroughly with high-pressure water and allow the concrete to thoroughly dry.

**Application:** Apply uniformly leaving no pinholes or gaps. Do not allow the material to puddle.

**Spray Apply** with a low pressure, solvent resistant, airless, sprayer equipped with a fan nozzle orifice of 0.030 to 0.035" at 1 gpm. The optimum spray pattern is an 8" to 12" fan. Hold sprayer tip 8" to 12" from the surface of the concrete.

**Roller Apply:** Use a short nap (1/4" max) solvent resistant roller.

**Clean-up:** Clean tools with solvent such as xylene immediately after use.

### STORAGE

Store tightly sealed containers in cool, dry area away from direct sunlight and sources of heat. Shelf life is three years from date of manufacture. Store locked up.

### DISPOSAL

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, and national regulations.

### LIMITATIONS

- For outdoor use only.
- Do not use on surfaces to receive concrete overlays or toppings. Always test for compatibility and adhesion.
- Do not use as a bond breaker for tilt wall construction or on surfaces requiring rubbing.
- Do not apply to joints or channels scheduled to receive elastomeric caulks.
- Do not use if ambient or substrate temperature is below 40°F (4°C). For best results condition material to a minimum of 50°F (10°C) prior to application.
- Do not apply in the presence of foodstuffs. USDA compliance pertains to fully cured coating.
- Coating may be softened and lifted by gasoline or other strong organic solvents such as xylene, toluene, or lacquer thinner. Solvent, gasoline, hydraulic fluids, peanut oil, and cooking oils must be cleaned quickly to prevent damage.
- Safety Data Sheet and all label precautions must be fully understood before using product.
- Quality curing or sealing compounds may darken or highlight the color variations naturally present in concrete.

### PRECAUTIONS: Not for indoor use.

#### Use outdoors only in a well ventilated area.

**Danger:** Flammable Liquid and Vapor. Harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects. **Precautionary Statements:** Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Ground and bond container and receiving equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment. Use non-sparking tools. Take action to prevent static discharges. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

**All label precautions and Safety Data Sheet must be fully understood before using this product.**

**Keep out of reach of children.  
For professional use only.**

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