



Color Coat

The Main Colored Coat for Preferred Epoxy

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TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

DESCRIPTION AND USE: Preferred Deck's **Color Coat** is a two-component, high solids aliphatic polyurethane that was designed as a high-performance colored coating for seamless flooring applications. It produces a very hard, yet flexible, protective coating that is extremely chemical resistant. This coating has high-abrasion and scratch-resistant properties, as well as being impact resistant. **Color Coat** is easy to maintain due to its durable and easy-soil-release properties. This coating is ideally suited for low-maintenance floors such as automotive repair facilities, aircraft hangars and other high traffic areas that require resistance to many types of chemicals. For exterior applications, a UV-stabilizer package is required for long term chalk-resistance and gloss retention. For rapid turnaround, a special accelerator is available.

CHEMICAL COMPOSITION: Saturated polyester crosslinked with aliphatic polyisocyanate.

COLORS: Three Standard Colors: Desert, Clay, Gray.

LIMITATIONS: Do not use on unprimed substrate

COVERAGE RATE: Each 1.5 gallon kit covers approx. 450 sq. ft. Coverage varies greatly depending on application technique, weather conditions, and type of substrate.

THE PREFERRED EPOXY SYSTEM: Use Preferred Deck's **Color Prime** (Step #1) and let dry overnight. Apply the **Color Coat** (Step #2) and while it's still wet, sprinkle **Color Chips** (Step #3 - Optional) onto the surface. Let dry 1 hour and sweep up chips. Scrape and clean surface and let dry overnight. If **Color Chips** were used, apply **Clear Poly Glaze** (Step #4) within 24 hours. Refer to the Application Instructions for the Preferred Epoxy Color Chip System for more details.

CLEAN UP: Isopropyl alcohol, MEK or acetone.

MOISTURE VAPOR EMISSIONS/ ALKALINITY PRECAUTIONS: All interior concrete floors not poured over an effective moisture vapor retarder are subject to possible moisture vapor transmission and related high levels of alkalinity that may lead to blistering and failure of the coating system. It is the coating applicator's responsibility to conduct calcium chloride and relative humidity probe testing to determine if excessive levels of vapor emissions or alkalinity are present before applying any coatings. Preferred Deck Systems and its sales agents will not be responsible for coating failures due to undetected moisture vapor emissions or related high levels of alkalinity.

Physical Properties

Mixing Ratio, by Volume: 2-1
Solids Content, by Weight: 73.5%
Solids Content, by Volume: 62.5%
Volatile Organic Compounds: 420 grams/liter
Viscosity, cps (77°): 500 average
Pot Life (77°, 1 quart mass): 2 hours. Pot Life (95°): 1 hour
Dry Times (77°):
Dry to Touch: 4-6 hours Recoat: 10-12 hours
Light Traffic: 24 hours Full Cure: 7 days

Note: Higher temperatures and lower humidity will accelerate cure times. Lower temperatures and high humidity will lengthen cure time.

Performance Properties

Gloss (60 degrees): 90-95
Gloss (satin material, 60 degrees): 50-60
Hardness (Sward): 30
Tabor Abrasion: 34 mg. loss
(1000 gm. load 1000 cycles, CS 17 wheel)
Flexibility (ASTM D-222): passes 1/8 inch
Impact Resistance (ASTM D-2794): passes 160 inch-pound

Chemical and Stain Resistance

(ASTM D-1308. 24-Hour Immersion)

Urine: No effect
Blood: No effect
Whiskey: No effect
Black Ink: No effect
Brake Fluid: No effect
Gasoline: No effect
Skydrol B-4: No effect
Hydraulic Fluid #83282: No effect
Mineral Spirits: No effect
Xylene: No effect
MEK: Film softened
50% Sodium Hydroxide: No effect
25% Hydrochloric Acid: No effect
25% Sulphuric Acid: No effect
25% Acetic Acid: No effect
25% Nitric Acid: Film blistered

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SURFACE PREPARATION: Do not apply **Color Coat** directly to concrete. Use Preferred Deck's **Color Prime** as a primer. Adhere strictly to the Preferred Epoxy Surface Preparation Guidelines. Fully cured, previously coated surfaces must be cleaned and sanded lightly with 80-100 grit sandpaper or otherwise mechanically abraded before recoating. If multiple coats of **Color Coat** are applied, apply additional coats as soon as possible. If more than 24 hours has elapsed (or if the coating cannot be indented with a fingernail) lightly sand the surface to insure inter-coat adhesion.

MIXING INSTRUCTIONS: Mix only the amount of material that can be used in a two hour period at 77°F. Higher temperatures and the addition of accelerator will reduce work time. In hot weather, mix smaller batches. Premix Part A well before adding Part B. Combining ratio is 2 parts A to 1 part B. Proportion the amounts carefully and mix for two full minutes using a slow speed drill, scraping the bottom and sides of the mixing container. Material is normally applied as is, but it can be thinned with up to 15% MEK. Avoid contamination with moisture. Reseal partially used containers completely after use.

APPLICATION RECOMMENDATIONS: **Color Coat** can be applied by brush, roller or airless sprayer at a rate of 275-350 sq. ft. per gallon with 3/8" or 1/2" nap over concrete that has first been primed with **Color Prime** and dried overnight. Heavier films will be glossier, thinner applications will be flatter.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS: Material is combustible. Extinguish all flames, pilot lights and electric motors until all vapors are gone and the coating is hard. The vapor is harmful. Use only with adequate ventilation or appropriate cartridge-type respirator. Avoid contact with skin; wear protective gloves. Read Material Safety Data Sheet before using.

SLIP AND FALL PRECAUTIONS: OSHA and the American Disabilities Act (ADA) have now set enforceable standards for slip-resistance on pedestrian surfaces. The current coefficient of friction required by ADA is .6 on level surfaces and .8 on ramps. Preferred Deck recommends the use of angular slip-resistant aggregate in all coatings or flooring systems that may be exposed to wet, oily or greasy conditions. It is the contractor and end users' responsibility to provide a flooring system that meets current safety standards. Preferred Deck or its sales agents will not be responsible for injury incurred in a slip and fall accident.

WARNING: Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Goggles and gloves are recommended. Avoid breathing mist or vapors. Use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator. Use with adequate ventilation.

FIRST AID: INGESTION: Obtain medical attention at once. EYE CONTACT: Flush with clean water for 15 minutes and obtain medical attention. INHALATION: Remove to fresh air and obtain medical attention. SKIN CONTACT: Wash with soap and water. Obtain medical attention if irritation is severe or persistent.

WARRANTY INFORMATION: Preferred Deck products have a limited two year, non-transferable warranty. This warranty refers to such failures as flaking, peeling, chipping and is limited by the specific items listed below. All warranty issues will be investigated by Preferred Deck with the cooperation of the contractor who installed the product. The end-user may be present during this investigation process, but no investigation will occur directly with the end-user (without the presence of the contractor.) Preferred Deck will not under any circumstance be liable for damages in excess of the purchase price of the products used on the job. Preferred Deck is not liable for consequential or secondary damages resulting from the failure of a warranted item or the failure to provide service due to conditions beyond its control. LIMITATIONS ARE DAMAGES CAUSED BY: 1. The customer due to neglect, abuse, or lack of reasonable care. 2. Settling due to expansive soil, fill dirt movement, drainage, or alkali-silica reaction. 3. Acts of God. 4. Improper installation. All claims must be reported in writing to Preferred Deck within ten days.

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