



VAPOR LOCK™ 5/5

DESCRIPTION

A ready-to-use, clear, water-based transformative sealer designed for penetration through the application to the surface of concrete, above, on or below grade, interior or exterior. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is made from organic, renewable resources to create a liquid-spray "tarp" for your concrete projects.

BASIC USES

Brushed, rolled or sprayed on concrete for vapor proofing, waterproofing, sealing, hardening, dust proofing and weatherproofing. Closes the capillary system of concrete eliminating the route of ingress or egress of any water, chemicals or other. Protects concrete surfaces from abrasion, freeze-thaw, excessive salt damage and stops water seepage where it is not caused by cracking or other structural failure.

TECHNICAL AND PRODUCT DATA

- Vapor Lock™ 5/5 penetrates deeply into the capillary pores of the cement product and reacts to form crystals, becoming part of the concrete itself.
- Vapor Lock™ 5/5 will not change the appearance of the concrete surface to which it is applied.
- Vapor Lock™ 5/5 has been tested as a chemical hardener by the Schmidt hammer rebound test with the following results:

10 year old slab

- Untreated: 13.8 MPa
No. of Components: One
 - one coat: 20.7 MPa
 - two coats: 31.7 MPa
- New Pour Treated: 33.7 MPa
 - one coat: 41.3 MPa

Packaging: 1041L Totes, 208L Drums, 20L Containers.

Pot Life: Indefinite

Shelf Life: 12 months at 5-24°C

Flash Point: None

Clean-up: Water

MAJOR ADVANTAGES OF VAPOR LOCK™ 5/5

- Closes Capillaries in Cementitious applications (Concrete, Mortar, Shot-Crete, etc.)
- Eliminates path of Moisture, Chemical & Salt intrusion
- Treatment is permanent and integral
- Effective as a negative side waterproofing against a hydrostatic head of over 35 m
- Increases density & hardness
- Reduces or eliminates efflorescence & leaching
- Effective in reducing freeze-thaw spalling
- Prevents chemical corrosion and physical abrasion of the treated surface
- Solvent-free, odor-free, non-toxic and non-flammable
- Ultra-violet stability



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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Mix Vapor Lock™ 5/5 thoroughly before using and keep it agitated during use as the active ingredients are in suspension and will settle. Do not thin in any way.

Fresh Concrete - Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is applied to green concrete as soon as the surface water sheen has disappeared and the concrete can be walked upon. On vertical, formed surfaces, Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is applied as soon as the forms have been stripped.

Old Concrete - Surfaces to be treated should be swept or brushed clean and then tested for absorption by sprinkling water on them. If the water drops bead up and are not readily absorbed by the concrete, the surface must have been previously coated or oiled and it must therefore be cleaned before Vapor Lock™ 5/5 application. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 must be absorbed into the slab to be effective. Oil or other stains must be removed before applying Vapor Lock™ 5/5. Clean and prepare the surface per selected Tech Bulletin, contact manufacturer for direction.

COVERAGE

Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is best applied by low pressure spray, although it can be applied with a roller or brush. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is normally applied in two light coats, the second as soon as the surface is dry to the eye, with each coat averaging between 7.36 and 9.8m²/L. If the application is in one coat, coverage should be about 4.66 m²/L. Absorption amounts will vary according to the porosity of the concrete. Contact manufacturer if application rates are not close to specified. For chemical hardening, for very porous concrete, or to maximize resistance to stains or mild acids apply a 2nd coat until the surface is saturated. The surface will show a light sheen when saturation is reached. A blooming or whitish deposit sometimes forms on the surface if ponded areas are left to dry. To avoid this blooming effect make sure that Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is not allowed to pond on the surface or flush the surface with clear water 30 to 45 minutes after application to remove any ponding residue. If residue remains after drying, brush with a stiff broom and dilute with Vapor Lock™ 5/5 to remove if necessary.

SPECIAL HANDLING

Do not spray or allow overspray on glass or aluminum, it causes etching. Any compound sprayed on glass or aluminum should be immediately rinsed off. Do not allow the product to puddle or allow water to stand on the surface immediately after application, it can leave a residue that is difficult to remove. Rinse the job thoroughly after application whenever possible and use lighter coats if necessary. If difficult residue is formed, try scrubbing with a stiff brush and water pressure, and if necessary, dilute the residue with more Vapor Lock™ 5/5. Tilt up slabs or other preformed units treated with Vapor Lock™ 5/5 and stacked in contact with one another may be bonded together unless a bond breaker is applied, after the Vapor Lock™ 5/5, over the surface that will be in contact. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 is compatible with most bond breaker systems, contact Manufacturer for additional



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information. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 should not be applied when ambient temperature is at or below freezing. Vapor Lock™ 5/5 should not be applied where rain or other water is running over the surface or while there are puddles of water on the surface or when rain is imminent. Do not allow Vapor Lock™ 5/5 to freeze and do not use any Vapor Lock™ 5/5 that has been previously frozen.

SAFETY

Please refer to SDS at spggogreen.com.au and contact manufacturer as necessary.

WARRANTY DISCLAIMER

The information herein is to assist customers with product selection. Our products are intended for sale to qualified industrial and commercial customers. Customers shall be responsible for inspection of product prior to use to determine suitability for and applicability to their application. Trial batch mixes are encouraged with certified ready mix providers. We warrant that our products will meet our written specifications. Nothing herein shall constitute a warranty expressed or implied, including any warranty of merchantability or fitness, nor is protection from any loss or patent to be inferred. The exclusive remedy for all proven claims is replacement of our materials and in no event shall we be liable for special, incidental or consequential damages. Project specific warranties are available for waterproofing and concrete durability.

Contact SPG prior to installation for project specific warranty registration and requirements.