

TECHNICAL DATASHEET

ASCOGUARD

Single-pack high performance elastomeric acrylic coating



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PRODUCT INTRODUCTION

ASCOGUARD is a liquid applied acrylic emulsion based elastomeric coating. It can be applied as a waterproofing membrane or as a crack bridging paint on walls. ASCOGUARD is formulated using proven elastomeric acrylic resin to provide long term durability and maximum protection for concrete and metal surfaces.

KEY FEATURES

1. For building surfaces where effective waterproofing, and a decorative wall finish is required
2. Excellent alkali, fungal and UV resistance
3. Breathable
4. Excellent performance on old, painted and new surfaces
5. Elastomeric – bridge hairline cracks
6. High stability & dual bonding strength
7. Water-based for superior protection and easy application
8. Eco friendly and ready to use one-part formulation

RECOMMENDED APPLICATIONS

1. Over new or old concrete, concrete block, plaster, cement render, asbestos board & other surfaces requiring waterproofing
2. It can be applied on vertical & horizontal surfaces, interior and exterior, new / old concrete walls, plastered walls, roofs and window flashing etc.
3. Due to its thixotropic nature, the build-up over vertical wall will not cause any sagging
4. The elastomeric properties of the coating will enable it to bridge hair-line cracks over concrete surfaces caused by shrinkage.
5. The coating will provide good protection against weathering and leaking

TECHNICAL PROPERTIES (Complies ASTM D 412—02, ASTM C 836—1995)

Appearance	Free flowing viscous acrylic emulsion
Color	White and other customized colors with tinting
Specific Gravity	1.29 ± 0.2 Kg./l
Recommended Thickness	150 micron DFT
Recommended Coats	2 to 3 coats
Tensile Strength	≥ 2.5 N/mm ²
Adhesion Strength	≥ 1.50 N/mm ²
Elongation	> 250 %
Crack Bridging	2 mm width
Application Rate	3-4 m ² /Kg (Coverage may vary depending on applied
Vapor Transmission	0.105 g/m ² /hr

The values obtained are from laboratory testing conditions and at 27 ± 2°C . On site tests may show slight variation due to site conditions and / or methods of testing. Follow company TDS to obtain best results.

APPLICATION METHODS:

1. Surface Preparation

All surfaces must be clean, dry and free from any contaminants such as dust, oil, wax, grease, curing agents or other substances that may affect adhesion performance.

2. Priming

Porous Substrates: Prime with ASCOGUARD using by brush or roller. Allow Primer to reach a touch dry film prior to apply. Do not over dilute Primer. Mix 1 part of Primer to 2/3 parts clean water. Extremely porous surfaces may require second coat.

3. Thinning

Not recommended but it can be thinned up to 10% with clean water for workability, if necessary.

4. Application

ASCOGUARD is pre-mixed and ready to use. ASCOGUARD may be applied by brush or paint roller in two (2) to three (3) coats on a correctly prepared and primed surface. Time interval of 6-8 hours between 2 coats is recommended.

5. Curing

Optimum curing performance level is achieved after 24 hours of application.

1. Health and Safety Guidelines

- i. Use personal protective equipment (PPE) to use ASCOGUARD for storage and application
- ii. If it comes in contact with eyes, immediately wash eyes with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- iii. Use of safety goggles, nose mask and hand gloves are recommended to protect eyes, skin and mouth while in use. (Material Safety Data Sheets are available from our ASCOLITE's website)

6. Packaging

Available in 5 l and 20 l plastic pails & it is completely sealed in inert atmosphere.

7. Shelf Life

12 months from the date of production, if stored in original, unopened packaging and in places protected from moisture, sun exposure and frost.

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