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Resuthane SL

DESCRIPTION

Resuthane SL is a water-based polyurethane self-smoothing resin floor screed designed to provide excellent heavy duty usage with resistance to thermal shock, abrasion and chemical attack in aggressive industrial environments.

Installed at 3 - 5mm a smooth and seamless matt surface is provided with good anti-slip properties.

ADVANTAGES

- High chemical resistance
- Resistant to hot water
- Self sealing
- Matt finish
- Food safe & non taint (Campden BRI approved)
- Extremely hard wearing

RECOMMENDED USES

- Food manufacture & processing
- Brewing & beverage
- Conference centres
- Laboratories
- Pharmaceutical & chemical plant processing
- Automotive & aviation production
- Heavy duty plant and traffic areas

PRODUCT INFORMATION

System Thickness (dry)	Solids content by weight	Pack sizes	Pack make up	Shelf life	Storage
3mm to 5mm	100 %	SL23 16 kg. units SL45 19 kg. units	1 X Base 1 X Hardener 1 X Aggregate	12 Months (Base & Hardener) 3 Months (Aggregates)	Keep out of direct Sunlight. Store in a dry place, not below 15°

DRYING TIMES & COVERAGE RATES at 20 °C

Coverage rate	Pot life	Recoat time	Light traffic	Full traffic	Full chemical cure
SL23 16 kg. will cover 2.8 sq m @ 3mm SL45 19 kg. will cover 3.2 sq m @ 3mm	15 minutes (From Mixing)	N/A	12 -16 Hours	48 Hours	5 - 7 Days



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Specification

Product : Resuthane SL

Finish : Smooth, Matt

Thickness : 3mm to 5mm

Colour : See RSL Resuthane Colour Chart

Products required for this system

Primer : Resuprime / R.S. Dampshield

System : Resuthane SL at required thickness

Surface Seal : Not required

NB: All polyurethane systems based on MDI will yellow with time this is a surface discolouration under the effect of UV light and does not in any way affect the durability of the floor finish. Darker colours will not show this effect as much as light colours.

Preparation

To achieve the best performance from **Resuthane SL** the correct surface preparation is essential. Substrates must be clean, sound, dry and free of surface laitance with a minimum strength of 25N/mm². All surfaces must be prepared by vacuum blasting or mechanical abrasion.

Resuthane SL may be applied to substrates with a surface temperature in the range of 5-20°C and a relative humidity < 90% RH, with a minimum air temperature of 8°C and no condensation. Do not pre-warm this product as working times will be substantially reduced if materials are warm.

To ensure the maximum bond is achieved, grooves must be cut into the perimeter of the subfloor, typically 2mm deep by 3mm wide for **SL23** and 4mm deep by 3mm wide for **SL45**. These should be inset approximately 150mm from, and running parallel with the walls and adjacent to any doorways, plinths etc, including any finished edge, i.e. both sides of a daywork joint.

Priming

Surfaces should be primed with **Resuprime** at an average rate of 4 sq.m. per kg. **R.S. Dampshield** should be applied if the relative humidity of the concrete is greater than 75% RH at 4 sq.m. per kg, allow to cure for 8-12 hours @ 20°C

Application

When the primed surface is tack free **Resuthane SL** should be applied at the required rate as soon after mixing as possible. (Delay can result in variation in surface finish, colour and application problems).

NB. Cure times are extended at low temperatures.

Mix the coloured base component to an even consistency, ensuring the re-dispersion of any settled pigment. Thoroughly scrape the contents of the base and hardener components into the same container and mix thoroughly for one minute. Pour the combined base and hardener into a rotary drum mixer and add the aggregate component steadily, until a homogeneous mix of the three components is achieved.

When thoroughly mixed the compound should be poured evenly over the appropriate area to be covered (monitoring rate of coverage to ensure correct depth of screed). Low floor temperatures and reduced thickness may reduce the flow properties of these products. Work out the mix rapidly and evenly over the area with a notched trowel, pin rake or similar to the appropriate thickness. Roll immediately with a spiked roller to achieve an even smooth surface and remove entrapped air.

NB: Spiked rolling should be undertaken immediately after trowelling. Do not re-roll later.

Resuthane SL units should be applied consistently with mixes from the same batch used consecutively where adjacent areas are being laid.

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Technical Information

The following figures are obtained from laboratory tests and our experience with this product.

Slip Resistance Dry > 50, low slip potential
Method BS7976 pt1-3 2002 Wet > 45, low slip potential

The slip resistance of a floor surface can vary as a result of the installation process, conditions at the time of application and subsequent traffic. Inappropriate cleaning or maintenance can adversely affect the performance. For further advice on potential wet areas please consult RSL.

Abrasion Resistance Average Depth of Wear (mm)
Method BS8204 / ASTM D4060 0.04

Temperature Resistance Tolerant of sustained temperatures of up to 90 °C @ 5mm

Chemical Resistance Excellent Chemical Resistance
Consult RSL on specific materials

Compressive Strength 45N/mm²

Flexural Strength 7N/mm²

Tensile Strength 2.9N/mm²

VOC 13 g/l

Calculation based on a full mixed unit

Life Expectancy 7 years plus

Subjected to Industrial Traffic
RSL terms and conditions will apply

Maintenance and Cleaning

RSL recommend that **Resuthane SL** should be cleaned with a regular industrial cleaning regime with a floor scrubber utilising **R.S. Industrial Floor Cleaner** or similar with dirty water being removed. Isolated localised cleaning can be carried out using **R.S. Tyre Mark Remover**, **R.S. Fats & Grease Remover** & **R.S. Oil Remover**. All surfaces should be thoroughly rinsed with clean water after the use of chemical cleaners.

Please refer to RSL Data Sheet CLNG for Cleaning Advice

Health and Safety

Resuthane SL is formulated from materials designed to achieve the highest level of performance as safely as possible. However, specific components require proper handling and suitable equipment, this information is given in the relevant safety data sheets. In all cases, spillages or skin contamination should be cleaned as soon as practically possible, by dry wiping of the affected area, and thorough washing with soap and water.

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