



COLOR HARDENER

BROADCAST COLOR METHOD

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Tru Impressions dust on Color Hardener is a ready to use dry shake formulation for coloring and hardening freshly placed horizontal concrete slabs and toppings. Tru Impressions dust on Color Hardener is easy to apply, long lasting, may be used interior or exterior, inert to atmospheric conditions and resistant to ultra violet rays. The blend of select, non-metallic mineral aggregates, pure metallic oxides and cementitious binders will provide a better surface for stamping and texturing as well by increasing the “cream” layer that accepts the impression tools. Typical uses include: stamped concrete and overlay, floors, sidewalks, decks, and driveways.

COVERAGE

The amount of Tru Impressions dust on color hardener used depends upon the desired color intensity and protection required for the surface. Generally 1/2 to 1 pound per square foot is used for estimating purposes.

APPLICATION

Place, vibrate and float the concrete surface according to standard ACI recommendations. Cover or protect adjacent surfaces. Do not power float or trowel the surface. Apply dust on color hardener in two coats, using a dry shake method of uniformly broadcasting the product onto the surface of the freshly placed concrete. Following the initial floating, when excess moisture is no longer evident, broadcast approximately 2/3 of the Tru Impressions dust on color hardener onto the fresh concrete surface. Wait until the dry powder has absorbed water(10-15 min) and then float the broadcasted material into the surface with a mechanical or manual float. Do not steel trowel. When finished, wait again for the water to dissipate. When the water sheen has again disappeared, broadcast the remaining 1/3 of the color hardener onto the surface at right angles to the initial application. Float the second application as above once it has also absorbed water to wet out. Retain a small amount of material to correct areas that have insufficient color depth. After the surface has achieved proper firmness, apply a broomed, scored, textured or trowel finish. A mechanical troweling machine may be used for final finishing. Do not over trowel. Avoid using plastic sheeting, membrane paper or moist curing methods. After seven days, seal with your favorite Tru Impressions Stampsheen sealer. Walttools is not responsible for application methods, finishing techniques or any other variables that cannot guarantee the final appearance to match a color card. All finish techniques provide unique color changes.

CAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Before using or handling, read the Material Safety Data Sheet and Warranty. **DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY.** Avoid contact with skin and eye. Use only with adequate ventilation and use a NIOSH respirator when exposure levels are above applicable limits. **LIMITED WARRANTY:** This product is warranted to be of merchantable quality when used according to the instruction herein. It is not warranted to be suitable for any purpose or use other than the general purpose for which it is intended. Liability under this warranty is limited to the replacement of the product as purchased, if found to be defective upon inspection by the manufacturer. This limited warranty is issued and accepted in lieu of all other expressed warranties and explicitly excludes liability for consequential damages. Buyer assumes all risk and liability resulting from the use of this product.

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