Technical Data Guide

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Water Repellents

Water-Shield™
A clear CMU water repellent and consolidant treatment.

PACKAGING
5 gal (19 L) pail with EZ-pour spout lid.

COLOR
Clear

YIELD
1-1.3 fl oz/sq. ft

STORAGE
- Store in clean, unopened containers in a dry area.
- Protect from freezing

SHELF LIFE
12 months when properly stored

VOC CONTENT
0 lb/Gal minus water
0 lbs VOC/gal solid

DESCRIPTION
Water-Shield™ is a water-based silane siloxane water repellent that is clear in color and has the ability to penetrate deep into substrate leaving it stronger, air permeable and water resistant.

PRODUCT HIGHLIGHTS
- Water-based formula
- Water-Shield™ is easy to apply
- Product is non-acid based
- Water-Shield™ is invisible and will not discolor block
- Zero VOC
- 7-year water repellency
- Blocks pores in block, avoiding water penetration from exterior, while allowing interior air and vapor transfer

HOW TO APPLY

SURFACE PREPARATION
1. Surfaces should be dry
2. Remove any loose dirt that will interfere with the proper effectiveness of the product.
3. Cover any substrate not intended to be treated with a drop cloth.

APPLICATION
1. Test a small area with product to determine coverage and how much product will be needed.
2. Adjust spray setting to apply 1-1.3 fl oz/sq ft.
3. Let stand for a minimum of 20 minutes.
4. Re-apply if necessary.
5. Test with water. Water should bead upon contact.

APPLICATIONS
- Vertical or horizontal
- Interior or exterior
- Above grade

SUBSTRATES
- Concrete
- Block
- Natural stone
- Sand stone
- Brick
CLEAN UP
- Soapy water

HEALTH SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL
- Keep from freezing.
- Read, understand and follow all Safety Data Sheets and product label information for Water-Shield™ prior to use.
- The SDS can be obtained by visiting www.yorkbuilding.com/downloads. Or call: 800.673.2408
- For emergencies only call Chem-tel 800.255.3924

FOR BEST PERFORMANCE
- Shake well before using.
- Protect any surface not intended to be touched by Water-Shield™ with a drop cloth to help with easy clean up.
- Reduce with water if needed.
- Proper application is the responsibility of the user.
- Make certain the most current versions of product data sheets and SDS are being used.

LIMITED WARRANTY

NOTICE
The owner’s exclusive remedy against York Building Products shall be payment by York Building Products of the cost of replacement materials to re-treat specific areas to which defective product has been applied. York Building Products shall have no liability for any labor costs, for any damage to the components of the building or any contents of the building, nor for consequential or incidental damages including, but not limited to, lost profits, sales, or revenues, loss of use of the building, costs of any substitute building, facilities, or services, or injury to person or other property. This limited warranty and the remedies provided in this limited warranty are exclusive and are given in lieu of any other warranty, express or implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. There are no warranties that extend beyond the description in this limited warranty.

York Building Products warrants the surface coating (Water-Shield™) on sound, vertical ground face block on the project identified in the warranty certificate will not chip, crack, peel or yellow due to ultraviolet light for a period of seven (7) years from the date of substantial completion, provided: a) product was properly applied; b) surface has not been abused or abraded away; and c) property owner gives written notice to York Building Products within thirty (30) days of discovery of the condition giving rise to the claim.

This warranty is a limited warranty and only covers product (Water-Shield™) to retreat areas as identified in the claim for the product furnished by York Building Products. It does not cover any other occurrence or condition, including, for example, failure of the coating due to:

1. Improper surface preparation or improper application or use of the product.
2. Structural movement or defects in the substrate.
3. Use of sub standard building materials, faulty construction, poor workmanship, or poor or inadequate building design.
4. Cracks or joint areas requiring caulking, sealants or re-pointing.
5. Abrasion or other damage to the surface that product was applied.
6. Repair or subsequent work to the surface that product was applied.
7. Deliberate act of negligence of persons or entities other than York Building Products.
8. Efflorescence or lime run.
9. Unusual natural occurrences or Acts of God such as wind storms, hail tornadoes or hurricanes.
**Technical Data Composition**

Water-Shield™ is a blend of organo functional silane siloxane and water

**Typical Properties**

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<td>Solids and active ingredients, % by weight</td>
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<td>VOC content, lbs/gal</td>
<td>0 (0 g/L) minus water</td>
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<td>Specific gravity</td>
<td>1.014</td>
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<td>Density, lbs/gal</td>
<td>8.44</td>
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<td>Penetration, in (mm), average depth, depending upon substrate</td>
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**Test Data**

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<td>Flash point, °F (°C)</td>
<td>212°F (100°C)</td>
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* Test results are averages obtained under laboratory conditions. Reasonable variations can be expected.