



# PEBBLESHEEN MERRIMAC BROWN

## TINTED CURING & SEALING COMPOUND FOR EXPOSED AGGREGATE CONCRETE

**Specco Pebblesheen Brown** is a pigmented acrylic copolymer, solvent-based, sealing and dust-proofing compound for interior (see Cautions) and exterior concrete. **Pebblesheen Brown** will penetrate the substrate and provide a protective seal on the surface that is resistant to mild acid, alkali, and salt attack, and will not support mold growth. **Pebblesheen Brown** will increase the stain resistance of the concrete and allow easier cleaning, maintenance, and wear.

### BENEFITS:

- Provides high gloss and color enhancement
- Ideal for exposed aggregate driveways, walkways, & patios
- Tint allows uniformity with deeper color tones
- Provides “anti-spall” protection against salt attack
- Fortified with UV inhibitors/absorbers for improved resistance against sun degradation

**LEED CREDIT CONSIDERATIONS:** Materials and Resources: **MR Credits 5.2:** Regional materials- Greater than 20% extracted, processed and manufactured regionally at production location: Kankakee, Illinois 60901. (100% Content- Harvested within 500 miles.

PHYSICAL DATA:	APPROXIMATE VALUES:
Composition:	Acrylic copolymer in hydrocarbon base
Color:	Brown solution
Solids:	25.00 +/- 0.25%
Weight/gallon:	7.66 lb./gal
Flashpoint:	105°F (estimated)
TECHNICAL DATA:	APPROXIMATE VALUES:
Drying time between coats	2-3 hours
Light foot traffic:	5-6 hours
Vehicle traffic:	24-48 hours
Maximum hardness	7 days
V.O.C. levels:	5.68 lbs. /gal. (681 g/L)

\*Drying time assuming 65°–85° F (18°-29° C) at 50% relative humidity. Low concrete or air temperature and/or high relative humidity will extend dry times.

**SPECIFICATIONS/COMPLIANCES:** **Pebblesheen Brown** is formulated to comply with: **ASTM C-309, Type I, ASTM C-1315, Type I, Class C (tinted), and ASTM C-156-71.** Contains less than 700 g/L (5.80 lbs. /gal.) volatile organic compounds. This product meets the Architectural Coatings requirements in accordance with EPA 40 CFR Part 59 Table 1 Subpart D for Concrete Curing and Sealing Compounds with a maximum V.O.C. Content of 5.83 lb. / gal. (700 g/L). Does not comply with the O.T.C. states reduced (350 g/L) compliance requirement, thereby excluding California, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, and Virginia.

**DIRECTIONS:** **Pebblesheen Brown** should be **mixed well** before use with a mechanical drill-type mixer at slow speed. Apply the **Pebblesheen Brown** by airless spray, short nap (solvent resistant) roller, or lamb’s wool applicator. Hand-held sprayers are not recommended for uniformity. For sealing existing or old concrete, the surface should be first thoroughly cleaned, well rinsed, and allowed to dry. Oil and petroleum stains should then be removed with a degreaser solution like **Specco Citrus Solve C-25**. The use of **Specco’s Enviro Clean & Etch C-30** cleaner is recommended, in combination with a pressure washer for removal of dirt, waxes, or surface laitance. Remove any remaining old sealers or resins with **Specco B-41 Re-Solve** (Xylene based) aromatic solvent, lacquer thinner, or paint stripping compounds. If the surface is very contaminated, sandblasting or surface abrasion techniques may be required.

**COVERAGE:** After application, **Pebblesheen Brown** dries to a darkened, high gloss film. For best appearance and performance, apply uniformly and at recommended coverage rates above, listed in square feet per gallon / (m2 / liter).

APPLICATION:	FIRST COAT*	OPTIONAL SECOND COAT*
Curing and Sealing New Concrete	250-300 / (6.2-7.4)	300-350 / (7.4-8.6)
Sealing Existing (Old) Concrete	300-350 / (8.6-9.8)	350-400 / (8.6-9.8)

\*Coverage rates will vary from the above rates depending on surface porosity and finishing technique.

**LIMITATIONS:** When re-sealing existing or old concrete, **Pebblesheen Brown** may darken or highlight imperfections or aggregate surface colors, resulting in a mottled appearance. A test area is always recommended to determine product suitability before use, especially on light colored driveways, sidewalks, or patios where appearance is critical. Some over absorbent substrates may wick moisture or water from the ground, causing





efflorescence or minerals to deposit under the acrylic film, thus causing discoloration or blushing. Do not apply **Pebblesheen Brown** over concrete that will receive epoxy or urethane-based coatings, or over existing epoxy-based topcoats. **Pebblesheen Brown** is considered a light duty "thermoplastic resin" type sealer that can soften when exposed to heat, and therefore may exhibit tire markings or rubber transfer when subjected to forklift or other wheeled traffic. Do not use **Pebblesheen Brown** in areas subjected to strong solvents, such as gasoline or brake fluid.

**CAUTIONS:** Mix well before application with mechanical agitation. Read all technical information including label, MSDS and data sheets before use. Do not apply **Pebblesheen Brown** over dusty, painted, frozen or hot surfaces, or if rain is expected within 24 hours. Do not apply when concrete surfaces are below 40° F (4° C) or above 90° F (32.2° C). **Pebblesheen Brown** will not freeze but should be warmed to 50° F (25° C) before use.

## GHS HAZARD RATINGS: DANGER:



**IRRITANT:**  
**RESPIRATORY TRACT IRRITATION**



**HEALTH HAZARD:**  
**REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY**



**HEALTH HAZARD:**  
**FLAMMABLE LIQUID**



**HEALTH HAZARD:**  
**TOXIC TO AQUATIC LIFE**

**FIRST AID: REFER TO PRODUCT SDS (SAFETY DATA SHEET) FOR COMPLETE HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT. FOR MEDICAL EMERGENCIES ONLY –CALL INFOTRAC AT 800-535-5053.**

**WARNINGS & SAFETY INFORMATION: CONTAINS FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPORS! USE ONLY IN WELL-VENTILATED AREAS.** Store and apply away from heat, sparks, open flames, water heaters, or any related sources of ignition. Empty containers may contain explosive vapors that are heavier than air. Keep containers closed. Do not cut or weld on or near empty containers. Under all circumstances, avoid the introduction of compressed air into the container. Make sure that the product application is static free. Avoid breathing vapors. Wear protective clothing and safety glasses during application. Use with adequate ventilation. Use with OSHA/NIOSH approved eye protection and air (vapor) respirator. This product may cause damage to the liver or kidneys through prolonged or repeated exposure to the skin. Avoid ingestion, skin and eye contact and inhalation of the spray mist. Keep away from food and drink. Wash hands thoroughly after use and before eating. Do not take internally. **FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY, KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

**H.M.I.S. CODES (Hazardous Materials Identification System): HEALTH = 2, FLAMMABILITY = 3, REACTIVITY = 0, PERSONAL PROTECTION = G**

**SHIPPING NAME:** Mixture; Xylene, CAS# 1330-20-7, Ethylbenzene CAS#100-41-4- / Regulated by D.O.T.

**SHIPPING CLASS:** UN 1866, Resin Solution, FLAMMABLE LIQUID, HC 3, PGIII  
ITEM 44500 SUB 3, FLAMMABLE LIQUID NOI, FREIGHT CLASS 85 – Concrete Sealer

**PACKAGING:** 1 and 5 gallon containers

**STORAGE/SHELF LIFE:** 40° to 90° F / 3 years- properly stored

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