

# Technical Data Sheet Flortex® Fastset

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Very fast curing, 100% solids Polyaspartic UV resistant floor coating

## **Product Description**

Flortex Fastset is a two part high build Polyaspartic fast curing floor coating system providing an extremely tough and totally impervious clear gloss finish with excellent water, chemical and UV resistance.

### **Typical Uses**

Typical applications include industrial decorative floors, domestic areas and mezzanine floors. Flortex Fastset is designed for use in areas where rapid installation or low temperature application is required.

Suitable substrates: Flortex Fasts

Flortex Fastset has been developed for application on concrete and cementitious substrates, but can also be applied to wood and resin coatings and screeds. It is not recommended to be used on damp

concrete under any circumstances.

Colour: Flortex Fastset is available in clear and 9 standard colours. Other RAL

colours may be available on request.

Packaging: Flortex Fastset is supplied in pre-measured quantities as a two part 5kg

unit, comprising an epoxy resin blend Part 'A' and hardener Part 'B'.

Flortex Fastset can be used for Polycote's Decratex Flake systems.

#### **Direction For Use**

#### **Surface Preparation**

The substrate must be clean, sound, dry and all surface laitance removed.

The substrate moisture content at the surface should be less than 75% RH and contain a functioning damp proof membrane.

Concrete substrates should be mechanically prepared using a vacuum assisted shot blaster or diamond grinding equipment, followed by thorough vacuuming leaving an open textured surface.

On concrete surfaces, care must be taken to ensure the surface preparation does not disfigure the surface as this will show through the clear coating.

Wooden substrates should be thoroughly cleaned and any previous coatings and waxes removed from the surface. If necessary sand the surface in the direction of the timber grain.

Flortex Fastset is not recommended to be applied on damp concrete under any circumstances.

#### **Mixing**

Thoroughly stir Parts 'A' and 'B' individually to disperse any settlement, then add hardener Part 'B' to resin Part 'A' and mix for at least two minutes using a heavy-duty, slow speed drill with a mixing paddle until the two parts are thoroughly combined. Avoid air entrapment whilst mixing.

Ensure thorough mixing as an unmixed product will result in a poor or non-cure situation.

## **Application**

Due to the limited pot life, once mixed, the *Flortex Fastset* must be applied immediately. It can be applied as a single coat or as multiple coats to build up a depth of cover.

Apply using a medium pile roller or brush, cross-rolling to ensure an even application and to minimise roller marks.

Apply *Flortex Fastset* at a nominal rate of 0.25m<sup>2</sup>/kg. If applying a second coat, do so after a minimum of 2 hours and maximum of 6 hours.

#### **Application Conditions**

Normal application temperature is between 5°C and 25°C. Relative Humidity up to 90% maximum. Please note, higher temperature will shorten the pot life.

## Pot Life & Curing Time @ 20°C

Pot life is approximately 10-15 minutes. Recoat time is 2-6 hours or once surface has lost tackiness. It will accept light traffic after 6 hours, full traffic in 24 hours. Full cure achieved in 7 days.

To ensure a good intercoat chemical bond, the second coat of *Flortex Fastset* should be applied within 8 hours of initial coating. If this interval is exceeded, abrade the first coat to ensure intercoat adhesion.

## Coverage

A 5kg unit will cover between 18-22m<sup>2</sup>, depending on the texture and porosity of the surface.

## Technical data after 28 Days at 20°C

Shore D Hardness: Bond Strength: Abrasion Resistance:

> 3.0 N/mm<sup>2</sup> (Concrete Failure) AR < 0.5

Dry > 50 Wet and Anti Slip finish. 25g/l Based on a fully mixed unit Excellent general chemical resistance.

Slip Resistance Pendulum Test to BS7976-2: VOC: Chemical Resistance:

Flortex Fastset can withstand exposure as low as pH 3.6, but only for short periods of time (up to ~3 months). It is not recommended for long-term use or areas where farm animals may lick the surface (e.g. silage channels)

Tools and equipment should be cleaned whilst resin is still wet with Solvent Cleaner.

Hands and skin should be cleaned immediately with Organic Hand Cleaner.

Shelf life in unopened containers is approximately 12 months subject to conditions of storage. Store between 10-25°C in a cool, dry, frost-free environment away from sources of ignition and out of direct sunlight.

Before using this product, please ensure you have received and read carefully both the Hazard Label applied to the container and the relevant Material Safety Data Sheets.

As from 24th August 2023, adequate training is required before industrial or professional use of this product.

Please do not hesitate to contact us for advice regarding the use of this product or its suitability for your particular application.

Our aim is to provide all the technical help you need to make an informed choice and achieve total success.

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## **Shelf Life & Storage**

**Cleaning** 

## **Health & Safety**

## **Any Questions**