

Technical Data Sheet

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ARC PATH & PATIO SEALER

DESCRIPTION

Arc Path & Patio Sealer is a tough acrylic sealer used to seal and protect absorbent concrete or natural stone surfaces. It produces a hard, clear seal with excellent weathering and water resistance and offers excellent protection from dirt, oil and staining, and helps to prevent moss and mould growth. Arc Path & Patio Sealer can be used on most concrete and stone paving and is also ideal for use on concrete garage floors, hardstandings and yards.

- Ready to use
- Easy to apply
- Protects from oil, petrol & water
- Reduces moss & fungal growth



PREPARATION

All surfaces must be dry, clean and free from dust, dirt or debris. All surfaces must be absorbent. When used externally do not apply if it is raining or if rain is forecast within 6-12 hours. If algae or green growth has been present, a pre-treatment with Arc Algae & Green-slime Remover is recommended after cleaning and before sealing. If oil staining is present, it should be removed with a suitable proprietary detergent. Ensure all cleaning products have been rinsed off and surface dried before application.

It is always recommended to carry out a trial on an inconspicuous area to check appearance, finish and suitability.

APPLICATION

Stir well before use. Do not dilute. Apply by brush, roller or low-pressure spray in an even coat across the entire surface. For best results, apply using a long pile roller in long even strokes. Protect surrounding areas from splashes or overspray. Apply in 2 coats allowing 2-4 hours between coats. A third coat may be applied if a semi-gloss finish is required. Do not allow puddles to form, particularly on textured surfaces, and do not apply in thick layers. Drying time for the final coat will be 2-4 hours depending on conditions. Drying and re-coat times will take longer at lower temperatures and when humidity is high.

CLEANING

Clean all equipment immediately after use with clean water and detergent. Once dried, sealer will be very difficult to remove from absorbent surfaces.

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LIMITATIONS

Do not apply if ambient, air or surface temperature is below 5°C. Do not use externally if rain is imminent (within 6 hours). New concrete must be at least 28 days old. Do not subject to vehicular traffic within 6 hours of application. At lower temperatures or during damp conditions drying times will be significantly extended. Always check surface is dry and tack free before trafficking. Oil, petrol or chemical spills should be removed as quickly as possible with warm water, detergent and a clean cloth. Always carry out a trial area, particularly on smooth surfaces, to assess the slip resistance before widespread use. While Path and Patio Sealer is colourless, it may affect the colour or appearance of treated surfaces. It is the user's responsibility to determine suitability for use. If in any doubt contact Technical Services for advice.

TECHNICAL DATA

Appearance	Milky White (dries clear)
Density	1.01 - 1.02 kg/L
Application Temperature	5 - 30°C
Coverage	8 – 10 m ² per litre per coat depending on surface
Drying Times (dependent on site conditions)	Overcoat time – within 2-4 hours Light Foot traffic – after 2-4 hours Vehicle Traffic – after 6-12 hours (note it is recommended to wait 24 hours before parking on surface)
Finish	Finish is dependent on substrate and application. Typical finish is Satin and may slightly darken colours. Additional coats will produce a semi-gloss finish. Always carry out trials to ensure finish is as wanted.
Pack size	5L tub and 25L jerry can

NOTE

All products should be sold in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. The manufacturer cannot be held responsible where conditions of use are beyond our control. Full information and advice is freely available from our Technical Services Department e-mail technical@arcbuildingproducts.ie. Whilst any information contained herein is to the best of our knowledge true and accurate, no warranty is given or implied in connection with any recommendations or suggestions made by us, our representatives, agents, or distributors, as the conditions of use and any labour involved are beyond our control. Our warranty is therefore limited to the quality of supplied product.