



## **ARCHITECTURAL COATINGS**

# 10 Series, 100% Acrylic Floor & Deck Coating

**Description:** "10" Series is a Premium, Quick Drying, 100% Acrylic Concrete/Masonry Pigmented Sealer formulated for sealing concrete and masonry, and coating wood, to provide resistance against water, alkalis, acids, ultra-violet light and staining.

**Uses:** Concrete/masonry and wood substrates and walking roof decks.

- \* Concrete & Wood Floors \* Pool Decks \* Patios
- \* FM Fiberglass Mat Deck System
- \* AL Acrylic/Lath Deck System
- \* MC Waterproofing System
- \* TC Texture Concrete Overlay

#### Advantages:

- \* Fast Drying
- \* Water Base- Easy Clean-Up
- \* Chemical Resistant
- \* Alkali and Moisture Resistant
- \* UV Resistant
- \* Excellent Hide and Color Retention
- \* Passes ASTM D2047-82
- \* Resistant to Ponding Water

#### Finish: Satin Sheen

**Surface Preparation:** For maximum durability the surface must be clean, free of dirt, oil, chalk, loose paint, peeling paint, and other foreign matter or any substance that interferes with proper adhesion of the 10 Series.

#### Concrete, concrete decks, floors and walk ways:

New concrete must age for a minimum of 30 days. Remove all grease, oil and wax with T. S. P. solution. Scrub with stiff broom until surface is thoroughly clean. Rinse thoroughly with clear water. Then etch all unpainted cement with 1 part 10% muriatic acid to 1 part water. Allow to stand 10-15 minutes then rinse clean with water. After etching, neutralize acid with baking soda or soda ash then rinse thoroughly with water. Important: Before and after cleaning and etching process, power wash all concrete with 3000 lb. pressure washer, spray tip should be no further than 6" from concrete surface. A properly etched concrete surface should resemble the texture of fine or medium sandpaper. Let dry thoroughly before applying coating.

**Mildew:** DO NOT PAINT OVER MILDEW. Mildew is a fungus, brown, black, grey or even white in color, and will rapidly grow through any coating applied over it. A solution of 50%

household bleach and 50% water will kill the mildew. Rinse thoroughly.

**Priming:** For best results and when necessary as specified, prime surfaces with this product (10 Series) thinned with one quart of water before applying the top coat.

**Glossy Surfaces:** Roughen gloss by sanding; then wash with a T.S.P. solution and rinse thoroughly with water.

**Previously Painted Surfaces:** Clean all surfaces and roughen all glossy surfaces by sanding. Clean all surfaces thoroughly with a T.S.P solution and then rinse thoroughly with water. Do not paint over loose or peeling paint.

**Unpainted Surfaces:** For maximum durability, prime all surfaces to be coated. Caulk all cracks and nail holes.

**Wood:** Clean and primer all new wood with Life's 1575 Primer. Coat with 1-2 thin coats of 10 Series.

**Metal:** Clean and etch all new metal. Prime all bare metal.

**Coverage:** 10 Series may be rolled, brushed or sprayed and the coverage will vary. Up to 400 square feet per gallon on a smooth surface and between 100-300 square feet per gallon on a rough surface. Product may be thinned slightly with a small amount of water, in which case 2 coats are recommended.

**Application:** Box and mix all containers to insure consistent color. Neatly cut-in all edges with a brush and roll the main area using a 3/8" to 1/2" nap, good quality roller cover. Be sure to spread evenly in a "V" pattern, rolling in both directions. It is best not to apply this product in the direct sun or at temperatures above 80°F. Thinning slightly with water and applying thin coats will help avoid streaks when working in direct sun. (See specifications for more application details).

**Drying Time:** Allow six (6) hours between coats and light foot traffic. Normal foot traffic after twenty-four (24) hours. Allow vehicle traffic after seven days. Allow forty-eight (48) hours before placing heavy objects on the surface. Cool temperatures and high humidity may require a longer cure time.

Clean-up: Warm water and soap.

Temperature/Weather: Do not install any Life product if

the temperature is below 55°.

Rain may damage uncured Life products. If inclement weather threatens, cover deck to protect new application. Do not allow any Life product to FREEZE.

**Maintenance:** Most Stains will clean-up with TSP, a brush, and water. We recommend a re-coat every 2-5 years, depending on traffic and exposure to the sun.

**Repair:** Repairs may be done by grinding off the damaged area and replacing the material as written in this information guide.

### **Technical Information**

Type: Diluent: Solids Content: 100% Acrylic Water 46-49% by weight 34-37% by volume

Viscosity: Flash Point: Maximum V.O.C.: 90-95 KREBS units at 77°F >200°F 50 grams per liter