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## SEAL BLOCK <br> Elastomeric Latex Paint

502-00520-000

## DESCRIPTION

SEAL BLOCK is a water-based elastomeric paint, ideal for controlling flacking or hairline cracks ( 0.1 mm to 0.5 mm ) in walls, as it has an elongation capacity of $350 \%$ (meets ASTM D638M Standard), thanks to its formula based on polymers specially modified to provide excellent elasticity. It has a high antifungal power, is resistant to alkali, has very good adhesion and can be used as a sealer and paint.

## USE

Ideal for interior or exterior surfaces of concrete, brick, wood or lightweight materials, such as drywall, fiberglass and gypsum boards. It can be applied indoors.

| Structure | Eaves, ceilings, Structural elements (columns, trusses, etc.), walls, fascia <br> board. |
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| Exterior/Interior | Outdoor, Roofed Outdoors, Indoor. |
| Surface | Bare or plastered concrete, fiber cement, wood, lightweight board, <br> gypsum, mineral fiber ceilings, painted or plastered surfaces. |

## CHARACTERISTICS

## SPECIAL PROPERTIES

| Finish | Matte |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Elastomeric | YES |  |  |  |
| Hiding Power |  |  | 0 |  |
| Weather resistance |  |  | 0 |  |
| Antifungal |  |  | 0 | 0 |

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| Weight Solids (\%) | $55-57$ |
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| VOC (volatile organic compounds) | 2.81 |
| $(\mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{l})$ | $5.0-5.2$ |
| Weight per gallon (kg/gal) | $40-42$ |
| Volume solids (\%) | $100-120$ |
| Stormer Krebs Viscosity (Ku) | $62 \mathrm{~m}^{2} @ 1 \mathrm{mil}$ |
| Theoretical yield (m²$/ \mathrm{gallon})$ |  |

Definition of theoretical yield: Maximum surface that a paint can cover under ideal conditions. Practical performance varies depending on type of surface, used tool, applicator experience and other factors. $1 \mathrm{mil}=0.0254 \mathrm{~mm}$.
These data were measured in white paint, other colors may show a slight variation, mainly in VOC's percentage.
In some intense colors, this coating's yield may vary, as it increases the number of layers to apply.
Note: values expressed in a 1 to 5 scale, where 5 is better.

## PRESENTATION

## AVAILABLE PRESENTATIONS

$1 / 4$ gallon metal can ( 0.946 It )
1 gallon metal can ( 3.785 It )
5 gallon plastic bucket ( 18.925 It )

## SURFACE PREPARATION

## CONDITION

## Surface Cleaning

## INSTRUCTION

Before applying, remove any dirt, such as dust, grease, or other contaminants, as they can affect the adhesion or performance of the finish.

Remove badly adhered paint with the appropriate tools, and smooth out irregularities (steps) left by old coat of paints.
Concrete

Gypsum board

|  | dry and clean. <br> Apply one layer of SELLADOR BLANCO 522-000 (White Sealant) and coat <br> with this finish. |
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| Gypsum board | Plaster the surface, sand, and thoroughly clean residual dust with a clean <br> microfiber cloth. |

## AVAILABLE COLORS

Available in every color of our SURMIX tinting system.

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|  | Apply 1 coat of SELLADOR BLANCO 522-000 (White Sealant) diluted with 20 to $25 \%$ water to improve surface infiltration, let dry and apply this finish. |
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| Dry Wall and Fiber cement | Dust thoroughly and apply a layer of SELLADOR BLANCO 522-000 (White Sealant) and coat with this finish. |
| Wood | Old nail holes or hairline cracks, should be repaired with MASILLA PARA MADERA 800-*** (Wood Putty) sand and dust thoroughly, then apply a coat of APAREJO BLANCO UNIVERSAL 530-000 (Wood Bonding Primer) and apply this finish. |
| Mildew, Mold | Apply SOLUCIÓN FUNGICIDA 334-900 (Antifungal Solution), let on the surface for some 20 minutes. Rinse with enough clean water and scrub the area. <br> Where washing is not possible, apply NIT CLINICAL DISINFECTANT <br> CLEANER 4 33260-600, scrub with a microfiber cloth, apply again and led dry on the surface. <br> After cleaning, be sure the surface is thoroughly dry before applying a coat of SELLADOR BLANCO (white sealer) 522-000 and this finish. |
| Hairline cracks, fissures and cracks in masonry or concrete | Hairline Cracks ( 0.1 mm a 0.5 mm ): Cover with an elastomeric finish. Small Cracks ( 0.6 mm a 2 mm ): Repair with PEGA-PATCH Elastomeric Putty 231-000 and cover with this finish. <br> Cracks ( 2 mm a 20 mm ): Use 550 ETIBOND CONCRET and immediately, "fresh on fresh", apply MORTERO DE REPARACIÓN MR-520 (repair mortar). <br> Let the mortar cure and dry for at least 15 days. <br> Once cracks are repaired, coat with of SELLADOR BLANCO 522-000 (white sealer) and this finish. <br> Important: For fissures wider than described, refer to the Virtual Assistant or request an assessment from our Technical Service. |
| Rising damp on masonry walls | Completely remove all old paint and plaster. Remove fungi as described in "Mildew". <br> Waterproof the area with MORTERO IMPERMEABILIZANTE MI-560 (Waterproofing Mortar) up to 1 meter above the humid area. <br> Apply a coat of SELLADOR BLANCO 522-000 (sealer) and this finish. |

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|  | In more severe humidity cases, contact our Technical Service as indicated <br> below. |
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| Mild concrete dusting | Apply a coat of SELLADOR TRANSPARENTE 501-910 (Clear sealer), let dry <br> and paint. <br> Note: Evaluate dusting problem to determine if the surface can be painted <br> or other reparation is required. |
| Gloss or satin areas | Clean and degrease all surface. <br> Apply a coat of SELLADOR BLANCO UNIVERSAL 524-000 (sealer) to ensure <br> the adherence of any paint, either water or solvent base. <br> Then apply this finish. |
| PRODUCT PREPARATION | MIXING RATIO |
| COMPONENT | $100 \%$ |$\quad$| MIXING INSTRUCTIONS |
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IT CAN BE APPLIED WITH

| Brush | Roller | Conventional Air <br>  |
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|  | Spray |  |

## Brushing

Use natural or synthetic brushes in good condition and that do not shed bristles.

## Roller application

Microfiber or splatter free roller felt.
Smooth Surface: 3/8 "or 1/2" felt.
Rough surface: 3/4" felt

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Air spray

| Nozzle | 1.3 mm |
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| Pressure | 35 psi |

Airless spray

| Nozzle | $\# 517$ |
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| Pressure | 1500 psi |

## Application conditions

Do not apply on hot surfaces or directly exposed to sunrays, paint will evaporate too soon and this will affect leveling, adhesion and durability.

Don't paint when humidity is over $85 \%$, or in a rainy day.

## Number of layers and thickness

| Dry Coat Thickness | 1 mil |
| :--- | :--- |
| Number of Coats | 2 or more |
| Drying times | 30 minutes |
| Dry-to-Touch Time | 2 hours |
| Recoat time | 5 to 7 days |
| Total drying time |  |

Drying times listed are under ideal conditions (Between $22-28^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ temperature and $50-80 \%$ relative humidity). These times are dependent on temperature, moisture, film thickness and dilution.

## OBSERVATIONS

$\checkmark$ Keep container tightly closed in a ventilated place, between 20 and $30^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, out of reach of children.
$\checkmark$ If you'll use more than one container, mix them in advance to correct any color differences.
$\checkmark$ Do not wash a painted surface with abrasive detergents, it is better to use liquid detergent with enough water and a soft sponge.
$\checkmark$ If you need more information, check our website https://www.gruposur.com/asistencia/

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User may need to wear the appropriate Personal Protective Equipment, which is detailed in the respective Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), available at http://www.gruposur.com
$\checkmark$ If you need to dispose of empty containers of our products in Costa Rica, contact your SUR Color paint store or our industrial compound in La Uruca, San Jose.

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