

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

Surface Applied Waterproofing



Krytol Broadcast™

DESCRIPTION

Krytol Broadcast is a crystalline waterproofing treatment for concrete flatwork. Krytol Broadcast is applied as a dry-shake to the fresh concrete surface and trowelled into the concrete during the final finishing. The dry broadcast method produces a smooth finished floor suitable for typical traffic or application of common floor finishes. Krytol Broadcast replaces the need for conventional membrane waterproofing systems, and is best suited for thick concrete slabs that will be power-trowelled during finishing.

When combined with fresh concrete, Kryton's unique and proven Krytol technology reacts with un-hydrated cement particles to form millions of needle-like crystals. Over a period of weeks and months, these crystals grow, filling the naturally occurring pores and voids in concrete, and permanently blocking the pathways for water and waterborne contaminants. Later, if cracks form due to settling or shrinkage, incoming water triggers the crystallization process and additional crystals begin to grow, filling cracks and ensuring that the structure's waterproofing barrier is maintained and protected.

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Replaces unreliable exterior membranes, liners and coatings
- Self-seals hairline cracks up to 0.5 mm (0.2 in.)
- Fugitive dye coloring ensures uniform distribution
- Does not change finished slab appearance
- Protects reinforcing steel against corrosion
- Can be used as a wear surface
- Reaches well below the surface and is not harmed by surface wear or abrasion
- Withstands extreme hydrostatic pressure
- Finished concrete may be painted or covered with any floor finish as usual
- Permanently waterproofs concrete
- Lowers the cost of waterproofing
- Reduces the cost of maintenance and repairs

RECOMMENDED USES

- Slabs on grade or below grade
- Parking structures
- Marine structures
- Reservoirs and water treatment plants
- Basements and pits
- Warehouse and commercial floors

The dry-broadcast method is best suited to very thick concrete slabs that will be power-trowelled during finishing. For typical thickness slabs, KIM admixture may be more cost effective.

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PROPERTIES

Appearance	Red Powder
Appearance during application	Red (dye - fades after application)
Bulk density g/cm ³ (lb. /cu. ft.)	1.38 (81)
pH (when mixed with water)	12
Hydrostatic head resistance	140 m (460 ft.)

APPLICATION

Krytol Broadcast is a dry powder that is applied by spreading onto the concrete surface just before finishing begins at a coverage rate of 1 kg/m². Proper curing is essential to achieve the performance and benefits of Krytol Broadcast.

LIMITATIONS

Krytol Broadcast is an effective system for rigid structures only and may not reliably seal cracks and joints that experience variable loading or repeated movement. Consult a Kryton representative for project specific recommendations.

SAFETY

For professional use only. This product becomes caustic when mixed with water or perspiration. Avoid contact with skin or eyes. Avoid breathing dust. Wear long sleeves, safety goggles and impervious gloves. The safety precautions for Krytol Broadcast treated concrete are the same as for regular concrete.

PACKAGING

Krytol Broadcast is available in 25 kg resealable pails.

SHELF LIFE

When stored in a dry enclosed area, Krytol Broadcast has a shelf life of 3 years for unopened pails.

WARRANTY

Kryton Buildmat Co. Pvt. Ltd. warrants that its products are free from manufacturer's defects and, when applied in accordance with the current specifications and application instructions will perform as stated in its product literature. Because methods and conditions of use are beyond the control of Kryton, no guarantee, expressed or implied can be given as to the results of application. Liability of Kryton shall be limited to replacement of materials proved defective or, at its option, refund of the purchase price of the product.