

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Brickform Antique Release is a hydrophobic powder that imparts color while serving as a bond breaker for stamping. It is made from a finely ground formula that creates beautifully antiqued concrete surfaces. During the stamping process, Antique Release is pressed into the concrete surface, creating a secondary coloring effect once washed off and sealed.

USES

Brickform Antique Release is broadcast onto the concrete surface, prior to the placement of mat-type texturing tools or rollers. The release prevents the concrete from adhering to the texturing mats. A portion of the release becomes embedded into the concrete, usually where there is relief in the texturing tool, leaving behind an antiqued appearance. Brickform Antique Release can be used in matching or contrasting colors to create a variety of effects. A combination of colors can add interesting shadings and highlights to the finished concrete surface.

FEATURES

- Antiquing & highlighting agent
- Prolongs tool life
- Fade-resistant
- Unlimited effect & color combinations
- Bond breaker & release agent

COVERAGE RATES AND PACKAGING

- Available in 30-pound (13.5 kg), moisture-resistant, 5 gallon bucket.
- Approximately 800 to 1000 ft² (74.32 to 92.90 m²) per 5 gallon bucket. The rate of application for Antique Release will vary depending upon the depth of the texturing-mat impressions, the degree to which the concrete has been set, and the intensity of the contrast desired.
- Available in 42 standard colors - including black & white

STORAGE & SHELF LIFE

Store in a cool, dry place. Keep containers tightly sealed. Shelf life is approximately 3 years if package remains sealed in the original plastic bucket and is not opened, cracked, damaged, or subjected to extreme conditions.

USE & APPLICATION

PRECAUTIONS:

Brickform strongly recommends jobsite samples or mockups with these products. Individuals who will be performing the work should use the specified materials, as well as the finishing and curing techniques that will be used on the project. Brickform Antique Release should not be used as the primary coloring agent. It should be applied over freshly placed, still plastic, color-hardened, or integrally colored concrete surfaces. Before applying Brickform Antique Release, protect all surrounding areas to reduce the possibility of staining during application and removal. Brickform recommends using same lot numbers OR

mixing buckets of the same color from different lot numbers. Please obtain a copy of the appropriate Technical Information Sheet and SDS for each product before attempting to use.

APPLICATION:

Prior to application of Brickform Antique Release, mix and/or fluff the material by hand using protective gloves as the material may have compacted during transportation. Prior to stamping, lightly brush a thin layer of Antique Release on the stamping tools and to the freshly placed concrete once the surface has been finished and has set enough to begin the stamping process. Brickform Antique Release should be broadcast by hand or with the use of a 6" mason's brush to create a thin uniform layer covering the concrete surface where stamping will begin. Continue to apply the Release Agent on the surface to be stamped staying a few feet in front of the stamping tools. Do not over apply the Antique Release as this will decrease the detail of the texture and prevent the stamping tool from providing a good imprint. Once the release agent is applied, do not trowel the material into the concrete. Brickform Antique Release should be removed from the concrete surface when removal can be safely accomplished, without any damage to the curing concrete surface. Typically, this is a minimum of 24-48 hours after the stamping process.



REMOVAL:

Remove Antique Release with a power washer or by hand with water and a soft bristled brush. It is recommended that 80-85% of all release agent be removed during washing. Excess Antique Release left on the surface may lead to delamination of the sealer. The amount of Brickform Antique Release adhering to the concrete surface will depend upon how hard the concrete surface was at the time of application and texturing. A softer surface will retain more release agent than a harder concrete surface. If too much Antique Release remains on the surface after rinsing, use Brickform E-Etch and Neutra Clean following the Technical Information Sheets.

CURING & SEALING

Brickform Cure & Seal or Sealers can be applied in accordance with the chosen product guidelines and surface preparation. Once sealed, protect the surface from foot traffic for 24 hours and vehicular traffic for 5 days.

MAINTENANCE

The sealed surface should be inspected periodically for areas of thin or traffic-worn sealer. Brickform recommends the reapplication of sealer as needed. If traces of efflorescence are present, this should first be eliminated with a gentle cleaner such as Brickform E-Etch. Brickform recommends the application of Premium Acrylic Floor Finish as a sacrificial coating on interior surfaces, reapply as needed.

RECOMMENDED TOOLS & CLEAN UP

- Mason's brush
- Clean tools and equipment with soap and water

COMPLEMENTARY PRODUCTS

- E-Etch - Cleaning and etching agent, efflorescence removal
- Neutra Clean - Cleaning and neutralizing agent
- Brickform Sealers
- Premium Acrylic Floor Finish (interior surfaces)

SAFETY & PRECAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Before using or handling, read the Safety Data Sheet and Warranty. **DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY.** Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When working with or near this product, all personnel must wear MSHA-NIOSH approved respirators (refer to OSHA standards in 29 CFR 1910.134). Prolonged, unprotected exposure may result in non-reversible Silicosis or Lung Cancer. Avoid inhalation and use local exhaust to keep exposures below OSHA PEL's for silica and nuisance dusts. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Wear rubber gloves and aprons to protect skin and wear safety eye goggles. Wash splatters from skin immediately. Use good hygiene when handling this product and wash and bathe after each use. Close containers after each use. Be sure to wash clothing after each use.

WARRANTY

This product is not intended for public use and is intended for use by licensed contractors and installers, experienced and trained in the use of these products. It is warranted to be of uniform quality, within manufacturing tolerances. The manufacturer has no control over the use of this product, therefore, no warranty, expressed or implied, is or can be made either as to the effects or results of such use. In any case, the manufacturer's obligations shall be limited to refunding the purchase price or replacing material proven defective. The end user shall be responsible for determining product's suitability and assumes all risks and liability.

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