## Loxon®

# Concrete and Masonry Primer/Sealer

U.S. LX02W0050 White, Canada LX02WQ050 White



## **CHARACTERISTICS**

Loxon Concrete & Masonry Primer/Sealer is an acrylic coating specifically engineered for interior and exterior, above-grade, masonry surfaces requiring a high performance primer. It is highly alkali and efflorescence resistant and can be applied to surfaces with a pH of 6 to 13.

#### Loxon Concrete & Masonry Primer/Sealer:

Seals and adheres to concrete, brick, stucco and plaster

Conditions porous masonry surfaces

Use on above grade masonry surfaces for a long-lasting finish

Apply to masonry and concrete surfaces that are at least 7 days old.

Prevents harm to subsequent coatings by alkalies in the substrate

#### For use on these surfaces:

Concrete, Concrete Block, Brick, Stucco, Fiber Cement Siding, Plaster, Mortar, EIFS Exterior Wall Cladding

Color: White

Coverage:

 Wet mils:
 5.3-8.0

 Dry mils:
 2.1-3.2

 Coverage sq.ft. per gallon
 200-300

Coverage on porous & rough stucco 80 square feet per gallon

Drying Schedule 77° F @ 50% RH:

Control Contro

Air and surface temperatures must not drop below 40°F for 48 hours after application.

Drying and recoat times are temperature, humidity and film thickness dependent.

**Finish:** 0-10 units @85°

#### Tinting with CCE only:

For best topcoat color development, use the recommended "P"-shade primer. If desired, up to 4 oz. per gallon of ColorCast Ecotoners can be used to approximate the topcoat color. Check color before

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#### V.O.C. (less exempt solvents):

less than 50 grams per litre; 0.42 lbs.per gallon

 $\begin{array}{c} \text{As per 40 CFR } 59.406 \\ \text{Volume Solids:} \qquad \qquad 40 \pm 2\% \\ \text{Weight Solids:} \qquad \qquad 55 \pm 2\% \\ \text{Weight per Gallon:} \qquad \qquad 10.92 \text{ lb} \\ \text{Flash Point:} \qquad \qquad \text{NA} \\ \text{Vehicle Type:} \qquad \qquad \text{Acrylic} \\ \end{array}$ 

Shelf Life: 36 months,unopened

#### **COMPLIANCE**

As of 12/11/2019, Complies with:

OTC	Yes
OTC Phase II	Yes
SCAQMD	Yes
CARB	Yes
CARB SCM 2007	Yes
Canada	Yes
LEED® v4 & v4.1 Emissions	Yes
LEED® v4 & v4.1 V.O.C.	Yes
EPD-NSF® Certified	Yes
MIR-Product Lens Certified	Yes
MPI	Yes

## **APPLICATION**

#### Temperature:

minimum 40°F

The following is a guide. Changes in pressures and tip sizes may be needed for proper spray characteristics. Always purge spray equipment before use with listed reducer. Any reduction must be compatible with the existing environmental and application conditions.

Reducer: No reduction necessary

Airless Spray:

Pressure 2000-2700 p.s.i. Tip .019 inch

Brush Use a nylon/polyester brush.

**Roller Cover**Use a 1/2 to 1<sup>1/2</sup> inch nap synthetic cover.

Spray and backroll on porous & rough stucco to achieve required film build and a pin-hole free surface

For porous block a coat of Loxon Acrylic Block Surfacer is required to achieve a pinhole free

Apply at temperatures above 40°F. When the air temperature is at 40°F, substrates may be colder; prior to painting, check to be sure the air, surface, and material temperature are above 40°F and at least 5°F above the dew point. Avoid using if rain or snow is expected within 4-6 hours.

Do not apply at air or surface temperatures below  $40^{\circ}\text{F}$  or when air or surface temperatures may drop below  $40^{\circ}\text{F}$  within 48 hours.

Do not paint in direct sun or on a hot surface.

Do not reduce.

May be applied to damp but not to wet surfaces.

## **APPLICATION TIPS**

Apply paint at the recommended film thickness and spreading rate as indicated on the page. Application of coating below minimum recommended spreading rate may adversely affect the coating systems performance.

When spot priming on some surfaces, a nonuniform appearance of the final coat may result, due to differences in holdout between primed and unprimed areas. To avoid this, prime the entire surface rather than spot priming.

For optimal performance, this primer/sealer must be topcoated with a latex, alkyd/oil, water based epoxy, or solvent based epoxy coating on architectural applications.

For exterior use, this primer/sealer must be topcoated within 14 days to prevent degradation due to weathering.

## RECOMMENDED SYSTEMS

Concrete, Masonry, Cement

1 coat Loxon Concrete and Masonry Primer 2 coats Appropriate topcoat

#### Stucco, Fiber Cement Siding, EIFS:

1 coat Loxon Concrete and Masonry Primer 2 coats Appropriate topcoat

#### **Recommended Architectural Topcoats:**

A-100 Exterior Latex

**Duration Exterior & Duration Home Interior** 

Emerald Exterior & Interior Loxon Masonry Coatings SuperPaint Exterior & Interior

ProClassic Interior ProMar Interior

#### **Recommended Industrial Topcoats:**

Industrial Enamels
Pro Industrial Series
Steel Master 9500 Silicone Alkyd

Water Based Catalyzed Epoxy

Industrial finishes have been tested for architectural applications only. Loxon Concrete and Masonry Primer has not been tested in environments subject to chemical attack. Any recommendations for use in such areas must follow a thorough evaluation of the effects of the environment on the Loxon Concrete and Masonry Primer and topcoat system.

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#### SURFACE PREPARATION

WARNING! Removal of old paint by sanding, scraping or other means may generate dust or fumes that contain lead. Exposure to lead dust or fumes may cause brain damage or other adverse health effects, especially in children or pregnant women. Controlling exposure to lead or other hazardous substances requires the use of proper protective equipment, such as a properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) and proper containment and cleanup. For more information, call the National Lead Information Center at 1-800-424-LEAD (in US) or contact your local health authority.

Remove all surface contamination by washing with an appropriate cleaner, rinse thoroughly and allow to dry. Scrape and sand peeled or checked paint to a sound surface. Sand glossy surfaces dull. Seal stains from water, smoke, ink, pencil, grease, etc. with the appropriate primer/sealer. Recognize that any surface preparation short of total removal of the old coating may compromise the service length of the system.

#### Masonry, Concrete, Stucco:

All new surfaces must cure for at least 7 days. Remove all form release and curing agents. Pressure clean to remove all dirt, dust, grease, oil, loose particles, laitance, foreign material, peeling and defective coatings, chalks, etc. Allow the surface to dry before proceeding. Repair cracks, voids, and other holes with an appropriate patching compound or sealant.

Concrete and mortar must be cured at least 7 days at 75°F. Moisture content must be 15% or lower. On tilt-up and poured-in-place concrete, commercial detergents and sandblasting may be necessary to remove sealers, release compounds, and to provide an anchor pattern. Fill bugholes, air pockets and other voids with an elastomeric patch or sealant.

#### Caulking

Fill gaps between walls, ceilings, crown moldings, and other trim with the appropriate caulk after priming the surface.

#### **SURFACE PREPARATION**

#### Mildew:

Prior to attempting to remove mildew, it is always recommended to test any cleaner on a small, inconspicuous area prior to use. Bleach and bleaching type cleaners may damage or discolor existing paint films. Bleach alternative cleaning solutions may be advised.

Mildew may be removed before painting by washing with a solution of 1 part liquid bleach and 3 parts water. Apply the solution and scrub the mildewed area. Allow the solution to remain on the surface for 10 minutes. Rinse thoroughly with water and allow the surface to dry before painting. Wear protective eyewear, waterproof gloves, and protective clothing. Quickly wash off any of the mixture that comes in contact with your skin. Do not add detergents or ammonia to the bleach/water solution.

## **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Do not paint on wet surfaces.

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Water Vapor Permeance (US): 26.67 perms
Method: ASTM D1653 grains/(hr ft2 in Hg)

Flexibility:

Method: ASTM D522, method B, 180° bend, 1/8 inch mandrel
Result: Pass

Alkali Resistance:

Method: ASTM D1308
Result: Pass

Mildew Resistance:

Method: ASTM D3273/D3274
Result: Pass

Efflorescence:

Method: ASTM D7072-04
Result: None

## **CAUTIONS**

For interior or exterior use.

Protect from freezing.

Do not apply at temperatures below 40°F. Air and surface temperatures must not drop below 40°F for 48 hours after application.

Before using, carefully read **CAUTIONS** on label.

CRYSTALLINE SILICA, ZINC. Use only with adequate ventilation. To avoid overexposure, open windows and doors or use other means to ensure fresh air entry during application and drying. If you experience eye watering, headaches, or dizziness, increase fresh air, or wear respiratory protection (NIOSH approved) or leave the area. Adequate ventilation required when sanding or abrading the dried film. If adequate ventilation cannot be provided wear an approved particulate respirator (NIOSH approved). Follow respirator manufacturer's directions for respirator use. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands after using. Keep container closed when not in use. Do not transfer contents to other containers for storage. FIRST AID: In case of eye contact, flush thoroughly with large amounts of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists. If swallowed, call Poison Control Center, hospital emergency room, or physician immediately. DELAYED EFFECTS FROM LONG TERM OVEREXPOSURE. Abrading or sanding of the dry film may release crystalline silica which has been shown to cause lung damage and cancer under long term exposure. WARNING: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY. KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.

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### **CLEANUP INFORMATION**

Clean spills, spatters, hands and tools immediately after use with soap and warm water. After cleaning, flush spray equipment with a compliant cleanup solvent to prevent rusting of the equipment. Follow manufacturer's safety recommendations when using solvents.

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