

## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

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## LITOCRYSTAL-CL

# Polished concrete technology

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#### APPLICATION.

**Lithocrystal-CL** — hardener, sealant and protection against road salt and dust on concrete surfaces is a liquid, water-based agent based on lithium silicates, which, by entering into a chemical reaction with the components of concrete, modifies its surface and provides effective protection against water and brine. It is used for the renovation of old and the refinement of new concrete and stone surfaces. It can be used for indoor and, above all, outdoor applications.

The main advantages of Litocrystal-CL are:

- protection of concrete surfaces against the harmful effects of road salt,
- additional hardening and sealing of the concrete floor,
- increasing the hardness and durability of the floor,
- dust reduction,
- increased resistance to abrasion, weather conditions, mechanical and chemical damage,
- creating a hydrophobic layer on the surface,
- colorless and shiny floor finish,
- preventing efflorescence and calcium leaching,
- easy single-layer application,
- no solvents or harmful volatile compounds,
- no carcinogenic or mutagenic properties,
- achieving deeper penetration and more durable protection thanks to the appropriate molecular size of lithium ions, ensuring longer protection and durability of the floor compared to floors made using other technologies, e.g. polymer coatings.

### **HOW TO USE**

- Preparation of the substrate
- Always test on the selected surface to see if the desired result will be achieved. Allow the surface to dry before checking and choosing the desired application. Any gaps in the floor should be filled with repair mortars, the layer of old and dirty concrete should be removed by grinding. The resulting surface should be smooth, non-porous, uniform and free from cracks.

## Application and drying

Apply an appropriate amount of Litocrystal CL evenly onto the prepared substrate using:

- -low-pressure sprayers in this case the spraying should be carried out using a mist nozzle that will ensure complete coverage of the surface or
- with a brush, mop or paintbrush and then roll out or spread the excess liquid in order to evenly cover the substrate.

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#### **Attention:**

In the case of newly made floors, Litocrystal CL should be applied after they have dried. Using too much Litocrystal CL may lead to discoloration and stains after drying.

NOTE: Using too much Litocrystal-Lmay lead to discoloration and stains after drying.

#### TECHNICAL DATA.

Ambient and substrate temperature	Above +5°C	
Form of the preparation	Ready to use	
Drying time*	1-2 hours	
Consumption **	Troweled concrete Untrowelled concrete Polished concrete	0.07 - 0.09 kg/1m2 0.11 - 0.14 kg/1m2 0.07 - 0.09 kg/1m2
Efficiency **	Troweled concrete Untrowelled concrete Polished concrete	12 – 16 m2/1L 8 – 10 m2/1L 12 – 16 m2/1L
Penetration depth	Approx. 8mm	
Application method	Apply the undiluted preparation by spraying, using a roller or a bench brush.	

<sup>\*</sup> Drying time of the preparation at a temperature of 23 °C and 50% air humidity.

### PHYSICOCHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Chemical composition	Aqueous dispersion based on lithium silicate	
Color	Colorless, slightly opalescent	
pН	Approx. 11.0	
Density	1.1+/- 0.05 kg/dm3	
VOC content	Does not contain	
Freezing point	0°C	
<b>Anti-slip</b>	Does not change after application	

## PACKAGING.

Plastic bottles and canisters with a capacity of 1 l, 5 l, 10 l, 20 l or other upon agreement with the customer.

#### STORAGE AND TRANSPORT.

Transport and store in tightly closed manufacturer's packaging at a temperature of +5°C to +30°C, in a place not exposed to sunlight. Shelf life 24 months from the date of production.

#### SECURITY.

**Lithocrystal-CL**is a high pH agent that, when in contact with water and other liquids, creates factors that may cause minor burns, irritation and rash.

Irritant (Xi). Contains: potassium methyl silicone (CAS: 31795-24-1, EC: 250-807-9), lithium hydroxide monohydrate (CAS: 1310-66-3, EC: 215-183-4).

R 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Consumption and efficiency depend on quality, class, porosity and surface finish.

- S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- S 28 After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.
- S 35 Dispose of this product and its packaging safely.
- S 36/37/38 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
- S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

NOTE!: This product is not intended for sale or resale to the general public. It is intended for professional use only.

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