### **Product Information**

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DiamondCoat®

# Moss & Algae Shield

Moss, algae and mould cleaner, and pre-sealer treatment.

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield is a powerful moss, algae and mould cleaner and pre-sealer treatment, that delivers surface protection for up to 5 years.

Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield cleans masonry surfaces and forms a long term protective barrier. Unlike bleach based cleaners, Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield is pH neutral and dries clear leaving surface appearance unchanged.

Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield is UV resistant, will not yellow and may be used prior to sealing and painting with acrylic and solvent based coatings.

#### **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- 3 in 1: cleaner, protector and pre-sealer treatment.
- Provides surface protection for up to 5 years.
- Powerful moss, fungi & algae cleaning formula.
- · Prevents surface damage from organic activity.
- Fast acting and economical concentrated formula.
- Suitable for multi-surface application.
- Simple cleaning of treated area.
- Will not bleach surfaces.
- Suitable for over-coating with water based and solvent based coatings.
- High UV resistance and non-yellowing.

#### AREAS OF USE

**DiamondCoat**<sup>®</sup> **Moss & Algae Shield** is suitable for use in the following areas:

- Pool & Spa Surrounds.
- Patios & Decks.
- Paths & Driveways.
- · Walls & Fences.
- Pergolas, Sheds & Roofs.
- Moss & Algae Prone Areas.

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#### SUITABLE SUBSTRATES

DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield is suitable for use on the following surfaces:

Brick & Concrete.

- Fibre Cement Sheeting.
- Timber.

Natural Stone.

Rendered Walls.

Colourbond Surfaces.

#### **APPLICATION TOOLS**

- Crommelin® Contractor Membrane Applicator Brush 100mm, 75mm.
- Crommelin<sup>®</sup> Contractor Membrane Roller Cover 230mm.
- Low pressure spray.

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

Full surface preparation instructions can be found at www.crommelin.com.au/full-instructions/

- Surfaces with excessive build up of organic material should be preliminary cleaned with a stiff brush, scraper or high pressure cleaner.
- Surfaces may be dry or damp (not saturated) prior to application.
- Penetration into very dry surfaces may be improved by surface dampening (not saturation). As soon as water is absorbed, treatment may be applied.
- Ensure any areas where treatment is not required are suitably protected with plastic drop sheets or similar.

#### PRODUCT PREPARATION

- DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield must be diluted 1:1 with clean warm water prior to application.
- Add DiamondCoat<sup>®</sup> Moss & Algae Shield to the water and stir gently to prevent foaming.

#### **APPLICATION CONDITIONS**

- Do not apply if surface/ambient temperatures are too high or too low. Recommended application temperature range 10°c -35°c
- Avoid application in direct sunlight or in windy conditions.
- Weather details may be checked at: http://www.bom.gov.au



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#### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

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- Apply DiamondCoat<sup>®</sup> Moss & Algae Shield with suitable application tool appropriate to surface texture and profile. For
  example, low porosity and smooth surfaces may be treated with a brush or roller, high porosity and rough surfaces may be
  treated with a spray.
- Apply diluted product liberally until substrate no longer absorbs the liquid.
- Allow at least 7 days for full cleaning effect.
- Clean area 7 days after treatment with a high pressure cleaner.
- For continued protection, allow substrate to dry after cleaning, then re-apply a further coat of **DiamondCoat**\* **Moss & Algae Shield** as per above instructions and leave this coating on the surface.
- DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield may be over coated with Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Sealers. Please refer to sealer
  of choice's TDS for full surface preparation and application details.
- If area treated with **DiamondCoat**<sup>®</sup> **Moss & Algae Shield** is to be over coated with a sealer, ensure that the substrate is completely dry before application.

#### **RE-COAT/CURE TIME**

Recoat time: 1 hour.

• Light foot traffic: 10-12 hours.

Full cure: 7 days.

#### COVERAGE

Dilute 1:1 with warm water prior to application. Add product to water, not water to product.

#### By brush or roller:

Initial application: 12m<sup>2</sup> - 16m<sup>2</sup> per litre.

Second application: 16m<sup>2</sup> – 20m<sup>2</sup> per litre.

#### By low pressure spray:

Initial application: 8m<sup>2</sup> – 10m<sup>2</sup> per litre.

Second application: 12m² – 16m² per litre.

Note: Coverage rates are dependent upon the porosity and condition of the surface to be treated and are offered as a guide only.

#### **CLEAN UP**

• Clean all equipment with water before product dries.

#### **SIZES**

DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield is available in 1L and 4L concentrate.



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#### **RELATED PRODUCTS**

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#### MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR

- Protect DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield from harsh chemicals, abrasion and other potentially damaging conditions.
- For continued protection, recoat after 5 years or if surface becomes damaged.

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

- Ensure adequate surface preparation is carried out to allow even penetration and maximum product performance.
- Ensure a trial patch is applied to ensure suitability and desired result is achieved.
- Do not apply during periods of extreme weather conditions temperature or humidity. Apply between 5°c and 35°c and less than 85% humidity. To check these conditions, refer to <a href="http://www.bom.gov.au">http://www.bom.gov.au</a>

#### TRANSPORT AND STORAGE

Size: 1L, 4L
 Weight: 1kg, 4kg
 Cool and Dry Storage
 UN Number: N/A

DG Class: N/A
 Flash Point: N/A
 Hazchem Code: N/A
 Poisons Schedule: N/A

#### SAFETY AND FIRST AID

Crommelin® DiamondCoat® Moss & Algae Shield Safety Data Sheet is available from Crommelin® upon request.

#### Safety

- Ensure good ventilation and avoid breathing vapours.
- Avoid skin and eye contact. Wear gloves and eye protection. Remove splashes on skin immediately and remove contaminated clothing.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- Keep container sealed when not in use.
- Do not swallow.

#### First Aid

- If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or poisons information centre: Ph 13 11 26.
- If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to drink.
- If in eyes, hold eyes open and flood with water for at least 15 minutes.
- If not breathing, apply artificial respiration.

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