# TAMOSEAL-IN CEMENT-BASED WATERPROOFING TREATMENT



## DESCRIPTION

TAMOSEAL-IN is a cement-based, polymer-modified slurry designed to waterproof concrete and masonry. When mixed with acrylic polymer, it becomes suitable to seal vertical and light duty horizontal surfaces.

#### **PRIMARY APPLICATIONS**

- Concrete and block wall foundations
- Manholes
- Water tanks

- Reservoirs
- Balconies
- Interior/exterior

#### **FEATURES/BENEFITS**

- Waterproofs and decorates
- Tenacious bond
- Becomes an integral part of substrate
- Durable
- Breathable
- Slightly flexible to seal static cracks

## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

Material properties tested under labor	ratory conditions @ 27°C,50% RH
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PROPERTIES	VALUE
Bond Strength, ASTM D4541	>1.0 MPa (Concrete Failure)
Water Permeability Test for DIN 1048	5 Bar
Tensile Strength, MPa D638	>1.5 MPa
Pot Life	45 - 60 mins at 27°C 60 - 90 mins at 20°C
Mixed Density at 27°C	1850-1900 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Appearance	Gray

## PACKAGING

TAMOSEAL powder Part A is packaged in 18 kg Kraft Bag and Tamoseal Liquid 3 kg Packed in HDPE Can

## SHELF LIFE

1 year in original, unopened package

#### COVERAGE

Under normal waterproofing conditions, apply the TAMOSEAL base coat at 1.95 kg /m<sup>2</sup> for 1mm thickness. For situations with Hydrostatic head of above 1 meter recommended to apply Tamoseal-IN at 2mm thickness. **Note:** Coverage rates are approximate and will depend on the texture and porosity of the substrate.



#### **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

**Surface Preparation:** New concrete and masonry must be cured 7 days before application of TAMOSEAL. The surface must be structurally sound, clean and free of dirt, oil, and other contaminants. Abrade the surface to provide an absorptive surface. Repair all surface defects including cracks and voids. Allow patches and other surface preparations to cure for 24 hours. Saturate surface dry (SSD) the substrate with potable water prior to TAMOSEAL application.

**Mixing:** TAMOSEAL must be mechanically mixed using a slow speed motor and mixing blade to thoroughly disperse the ingredients. Do not aerate the mix.

One 18 kg Bag of Tamoseal requires 3 kg of Tamoseal Liquid and blended with 3 kg of Portable water.

Pour approximately one half of the required mixing liquid into an empty, clean container and begin slow speed mixing. Slowly add TAMOSEAL and the remainder of the mixing liquid as needed to the mixture. Stop mixing and allow the mixture to "fatten" for ten minutes. Re-mix to achieve proper consistency. Use mixed TAMOSEAL within one hour.

**Application:** Saturate surface dry (SSD) the substrate with potable water before starting any TAMOSEAL application. Hand Brush: Apply TAMOSEAL using a 150mm masonry brush. Load bristles with TAMOSEAL and apply a heavy coat using long, smooth horizontal strokes. Apply sufficient material to fill all voids. Final strokes should all be in one direction to produce an even texture and finish. Allow first coat to dry for 12 to 24 hours before applying a finish coat. **Push Broom:** Use a 20 L or wide mouth tub to hold TAMOSEAL. Dip a 25 cm hard-bristle push broom into the TAMOSEAL and mix just enough to load the bristles. Apply a heavy coat using long, even horizontal strokes. Apply sufficient material to fill all voids. Lift the brush at the end of each stroke. Final strokes should all be in one direction to produce an even texture and finish. Do not overbrush. Allow first coat to dry for 12 to 24 hours before applying a finish coat.

Spray: Use heavy-duty spray equipment capable of spraying cement coatings or mastics.

**Horizontal Applications:** Use a water-based cure and seal from Euclid Chemical on all horizontal applications for added protection and ease of cleaning.

Note: Prior to application, it is recommended that a mock up or field sample be made containing all materials that will be coated. Obtain approval of the architect or owner for the final color, texture and coverage rate before proceeding with work. Retain approved sample until the project is completed.

#### CLEAN-UP

Clean mixing and application equipment with water immediately after use. Clean any splatter or spills with water before material sets. TAMOSEAL is a cementitious product containing an acrylic additive, and if allowed to dry on the surface, removal becomes extremely difficult.

#### **PRECAUTIONS/LIMITATIONS**

- Do not apply to frozen or frost filled surfaces or when temperature is expected to fall below 4°C in the24 hour period following application.
- Do not use on moderate to heavy traffic bearing surfaces.
- Do not fill open cisterns, tanks, etc. with water for at least 7 days.
- Some colors may chalk or show water marks after weathering.
- When using TAMOSEAL containing Tamoseal Liquid in enclosed tanks or reservoirs, make sure that adequate ventilation is available during the application and the total curing period.
- TAMOSEAL should not be applied to surfaces actively leaking.
- In all cases, read the Safety Data Sheet before use.



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