

# EXTERIOR DYE

## TOOLS & MATERIALS REQUIRED

- ★ Acetone resistant pump-up sprayer with conical tip
- ★ Absorbent cloth or small container to catch drips
- ★ Painter's masking tape
- ★ Plastic sheeting
- ★ Synthetic-bristle brush (optional)
- ★ Acetone for dilution and clean up
- ★ EAGLE ETCH & CLEAN
- ★ EAGLE CLEANER DEGREASER & NEUTRALIZER

## SURFACE PREPARATION

The surface should be free of dirt and oil. Clean with EAGLE ETCH & CLEAN to profile and clean the concrete surface. For extremely dirty surfaces, EAGLE CLEANER DEGREASER & NEUTRALIZER is recommended. Rinse with clean water. If possible power wash the surface at 3000 psi. Allow the surface to dry 24 hours before applying the stain. All walls, furniture, columns, or other items/areas that you do not want to color should be masked using painter's tape and plastic sheeting. This will protect the items from overspray. Always do a test spot in an inconspicuous area before proceeding.

## APPLICATION

EAGLE EXTERIOR CONCRETE DYE concentrate should be added to one gallon of acetone in sprayer. Use acetone to rinse color concentrate from bottle. Mix the two ingredients thoroughly. Apply with drip-less, acetone-resistant pump-up sprayer using a conical, fine-spray tip. Small areas can be brushed using a circular motion to avoid brush strokes. Take care to maintain a wet edge to avoid lines, and avoid puddling EAGLE EXTERIOR CONCRETE DYE. Avoid drips. If not using a drip-less sprayer, tape a piece of cloth or a small container to the sprayer body to catch drips while not spraying the material. Place the tip of the spray wand on the cloth or into the small container immediately after releasing the spray handle. Apply the stain uniformly to obtain a more uniform final appearance. Apply in a random, circular motion with some overlapping to generate a more mottled look and more closely resemble acid stain. Colors may be blended to produce a large palette or applied over a base color for a unique look. Depending on the depth of color that is desired, coverage rates will vary.

## COVERAGE RATE

Approximately 200 square feet per gallon for smooth concrete, depending on depth of color desired. More material will be required for more porous surfaces or deeper coloration.

## SEALING

Seal as soon as concrete is dry to the touch. Spray apply the first coat of sealer to lock in color. EAGLE EXTERIOR CONCRETE DYE can be sealed with most any sealer. EAGLE GLOSS COAT is recommended for exterior applications. Where unavailable or undesirable, EAGLE ARMOR SEAL is a low-odor, low-VOC, water-based alternative. Allow to dry for 2 hours for foot traffic and 48-72 hours for vehicle traffic.

## TECHNICAL DATA

VOC: <100 g/l

Flash Point: 0° to 114° F depending on color

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Health	1	Flammability
Reactivity	0	Protection

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