



# BERGER PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

## PATHMASTA

Paving Paint

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

A solvent-based phenolic modified alkyd polyurethane coating that is designed to provide a tough and hard wearing durable finish for floors.

- Excellent durability that sustains heavy foot traffic.
- Good resistance to wear and tear.
- Good resistance to spillages of oils and other mild chemicals.
- Easy maintenance coating.
- Fast drying.

### DESIGN USE

- As a decorative coating on cement and concrete floors, steps, etc.
- Also suitable for use on suitably primed ferrous and non-ferrous surfaces.

### PHYSICAL DATA

<b>VOLUME SOLIDS</b>	35%
<b>DRY FILM THICKNESS (DFT)</b>	50 µm per coat
<b>WET FILM THICKNESS (WFT)</b>	140 µm per coat
<b>NUMBER OF COATS</b>	2
<b>THEORETICAL COVERAGE</b>	7.0 m <sup>2</sup> / litre per coat @ 50 µm dft
<b>FINISH</b>	Semi gloss
<b>COLOUR RANGE</b>	Please refer to our Colour Card
<b>NO. OF COMPONENTS</b>	One
<b>STANDARD PACKING SIZE</b>	1 Litre and 5 Litres

### APPLICATION METHOD

Roller	Recommended method of application
Brush	May be used for small areas, inaccessible areas and touch up.

Stir contents of the can thoroughly before use. Thinning is not usually required. However, if thinning is desired, do not exceed the recommended thinning ratio.

### DRYING TIME

Substrate Temperature	Touch Dry	Hard Dry	Overcoating Interval	
			Minimum	Maximum
15 °C	2 hours	8 hours	48 hours	Indefinite
25 °C	1 hour	4 hours	24 hours	Indefinite
35 °C	30 minutes	2 hours	12 hours	Indefinite

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Thinner	Solvalux 7-9
Thinning Ratio	10% maximum
Cleaning Solvent	Solvalux 7-9
Flash Point	> 23°C
Storage Requirements	Store in a cool, dry area away from direct sunlight.



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### SURFACE PREPARATION

The service life span and the service performance of this product are directly related to the degree of surface preparation.

- New concrete should be left for at least 21 days to cure before coating.
- The moisture content of the concrete surface should be checked and ensured to be below 6% when measured with a reliable moisture meter, such as the Sovereign Moisture Meter.
- Preparation has to be very thorough to ensure that there is no surface contamination or washing residue that prevent proper adhesion of the paint to the surface.
- If grease is present, clean using a mild detergent or solvent and rinse thoroughly to ensure complete removal of the grease, detergent and solvent. Steam cleaning may also be done.
- Wash the surface with a solution of detergent and water to remove all traces of dirt and other contamination. Allow the whole surface to dry thoroughly before painting.
- It is recommended to pretreat the surface with the concrete etching solution Luxaprime 1900 prior to application of Pathmasta to allow good adhesion.
- For overcoating over old coatings, a high pressure water cleaning should be performed to remove all loose or flaking coatings and ensure the remaining coatings are tightly adherent.

### PRODUCT USE RESTRICTIONS

- Not suitable for use in areas where heavy vehicle traffic is expected.

### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wear suitable protective clothing such as overalls, gloves and goggles. Use a dust mask if applying by spray.

Ensure that there is adequate ventilation in the area where the product is being applied. Do not breathe vapour or spray.

This product is flammable. Keep away from sources of ignition. Do not smoke. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. In case of fire, blanket flames with foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemicals.

### FIRST AID

- Eyes** : In the event of accidental splashes, flush eyes with warm water immediately and seek medical advice.
- Skin** : Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water or approved industrial cleaner. Do Not Use solvents or thinners.
- Inhalation** : Remove to fresh air, loosen collar and keep patient rested.
- Ingestion** : In case of accidental ingestion, DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. Obtain immediate medical attention.

For further safety information, please refer to our **Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)**

### DISCLAIMER

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