



# STAINTUFF® 4000

A Two Component, 100% Solids, High Gloss, Aliphatic, Polyaspartic Topcoat

## 1.01 DESCRIPTION

Staintuff® 4000 is a 100% solids by volume, aliphatic, polyaspartic, two component, liquid applied, environmentally friendly surface topcoat for waterproofing membrane systems. It has a citrus odor. Staintuff® 4000 is quick curing and specifically formulated to be installed in thin film applications. Please use the correct product grade that complies with VOC regulations as per federal, state, county and city regulations/codes at the place of installation of product.

## 1.02 FEATURES

- Abrasion Resistant
- Excellent Weatherability
- High Tensile Strength
- Seamless Waterproofing Membrane
- UV Resistant for Superior Gloss Retention
- Very Durable
- Topcoat Over Aromatic Polyurea, Polyurethane & Epoxy Applications Ranging from 35-130°F (1.67-54.4°C), Service Temperature 0-200°F (-17.8-93.3°C)
- Color Stable
- High Gloss
- Quick Cure

## 1.03 USES

- Chemical Plants
- Concrete
- Food Processing Areas
- Off-shore Oil Platforms
- Plastic
- Pulp and Paper Mills
- Cold Storage Areas
- Fertilizer Plants
- Industrial Warehouses
- Pipeline Barges
- Plywood
- Steel

## 1.04 COLOR

Clear, Grey and Tan.

Custom colors are also available. Minimum order of 100 gallons (380 liters). See color chart for provisions.

## 1.05 PACKAGING

2-gallon kit: 1 gallon (3.78 liters) can Side-A and 1 gallon (3.78 liters) can Side-B

10-gallon kit: 5 gallon (18.9 liters) pail Side-A and 5 gallon (18.9 liters) pail Side-B

## 1.06 SURFACE PREPARATION

Refer to General and Safety Guidelines for complete information. Install a 100-200 sqft (9.3-18.6 sqm) mockup of the system to be installed and approve for aesthetics, color, slip resistance, actual coverage rates and functionality before proceeding.

## 1.07 MIXING

Staintuff® 4000 may not be diluted under any circumstances. Proportions are pre-measured.

Staintuff® 4000 Side-A and Side-B should be mixed individually before combining. Add Side-B to Side-A while mixing, using a mechanical

mixer (Jiffy Mixer) at medium speeds. Mix until a homogeneous mixture and color is attained (at least 3 minutes) and mix frequently during application to maintain uniform color. Use care to scrape the sides of the container to ensure that no unmixed material remains. Use caution not to whip too much air into the material as this may result in pinhole blisters or shortened pot life.

**DO NOT mix any material that cannot be used within 20 minutes.**

## APPLICATION

### 2.01 APPLICATION BASICS

Staintuff® 4000 can be applied by a phenolic resin core roller, a high pressure sprayer, or through an airless gun. Staintuff® 4000 should be applied at a minimum film thickness of 5 mils (127 microns). It should be noted that the heavier the application, the longer the curing process takes.

Apply Staintuff® 4000 evenly over the entire deck. For best results, airless sprayer or phenolic resin core roller may be used but extra care should be taken not to cause air bubbles.

Refer to individual Systems Description under System Specifications section of the PSI catalog or website for specific coverage rates.

Coverage rates and cure times will vary depending on temperature, relative humidity, surface roughness and porosity, aggregate selection, embedment, and application technique. Coverage rates provided are optimal and are not guaranteed.

### 2.02 CURING

At 75°F (24°C) and 50% relative humidity, allow each coat to cure a minimum of 3-4 hours between each coat. Cure time will vary depending on temperature and humidity.

Allow a minimum of 6 hours before permitting light pedestrian traffic and at least 24-48 hours before permitting heavy pedestrian or auto traffic on to the finished surface.

Uncured Staintuff® 4000 is very sensitive to heat and moisture. Higher temperatures and/or high humidity will accelerate the cure time. Use caution in batch sizes and thickness of application. Low temperature and/or low humidity extend the cure time.

### 2.03 EQUIPMENT CLEANUP

Equipment should be cleaned immediately after use with an environmentally-safe solvent, as permitted under local regulations.

## 2.04 SHELF LIFE AND STORAGE

Staintuff® 4000 has a shelf life of 12 months from date of manufacture in original, factory-sealed containers when stored indoors at a temperature between 60-95°F (15-35°C).

## 2.05 LIMITATIONS

- Mix no more material than can be used within 20 minutes.
- Surfaces must be dry, clean and free of foreign matter.
- Clear coating may turn opaque and cloudy due to moisture.
- Containers that have been opened must be used as soon as possible.
- Do not dilute under any circumstances.

The following conditions must not be coated with PSI deck coating systems or products:

1) On grade or below grade slabs, split slabs with buried membrane, sandwich slabs with insulation, slabs over unvented metal pan, suspended pool, swimming pool decks, or areas where hydrostatic pressure is or may be present, without the use of Enviro-Grip™ 404FC primer and asphalt surfaces, asphalt overlays without the express written consent of PSI. PSI Deck Coating is not recommended over

magnesite, gypsum lightweight and where chained or studded tires may be used.

2) Concrete must exhibit 3000 psi minimum strength. An ICRI CSP 2-3 surface or greater is required for concrete surfaces to be coated.

3) New concrete must be cured for 28 days unless otherwise approved by PSI in writing. New surfaces to be coated must be trowel finished in compliance with the American Concrete Institute (except that hand troweling is not required), followed by a fine hair brooming, left free of loose particles, and shall be without ridges, projections, voids and concrete droppings that would be mechanically detrimental to coating application or function. Light broom finished concrete should be power-washed before coating application.

4) Concrete cleaning (see General and Safety Guidelines). Surface preparation may be completed by shotblasting or the use of Poly-Tuff Profile and Etch (PE) cleaner. Peel and adhesion tests are recommended.

**WARNING: This product contains isocyanates and solvent.**

STAINUTUFF® 4000, PIGMENTED (Based on draw down films)	
Theoretical Coverage Rate	See individual Guide Specs
Dry Film Thickness, Exclusive of Aggregate, Per Coat @ 1 gallon/100 sqft (0.41 liters/sqm)	15 ± 2 mils (381 ± 50 microns)
Pot Life at 75°F (24°C) at 50% RH	30 ± 10 minutes
Viscosity at 75°F (24°C)	A-Side: 300 ± 100 cps B-Side: 1400 ± 100 cps
Specific Gravity	A-Side: 1.14 ± 0.1 B-Side: 1.24 ± 0.1
Solids by Weight ASTM D-2369	91 ± 2%
Solids by Volume ASTM D-2697	91 ± 2%
Hardness, ASTM D-2240 Shore D	65 ± 2
Tensile Strength, ASTM-D412	3000 ± 10% psi (20.7 ± 10% MPa)
Percent Elongation, ASTM D-412	50 ± 10%
Tear Resistance, ASTM D-624	400 pli (70.1 kN/m)
Volatile Organic Compounds, ASTM D-2369-81	0 lbs/gal (0 gm/liter)

STAINUTUFF® 4000, Clear (Based on draw down films)	
Theoretical Coverage Rate	See individual Guide Specs
Dry Film Thickness, Exclusive of Aggregate, Per Coat @ 1 gallon/100 sqft (0.41 liters/sqm)	15 ± 2 mils (381 ± 50 microns)
Pot Life at 75°F (24°C) at 50% RH	30 ± 10 minutes
Viscosity at 75°F (24°C)	A-Side: 300 ± 100 cps B-Side: 1000 ± 100 cps
Specific Gravity	A-Side: 1.1 ± 0.1 B-Side: 1.06 ± 0.1
Solids by Weight ASTM D-2369	90 ± 2%
Solids by Volume ASTM D-2697	91 ± 2%
Hardness, ASTM D-2240 Shore D	65 ± 2
Tensile Strength, ASTM-D412	3000 ± 10% psi (20.7 ± 10% MPa)
Percent Elongation, ASTM D-412	70 ± 10%
Tear Resistance, ASTM D-624	400 pli (70.1 kN/m)
Volatile Organic Compounds, ASTM D-2369-81	0 lbs/gal (0 gm/liter)

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