# Fosroc<sup>®</sup> Nitoproof<sup>®</sup> Top Coat UV



constructive solutions

(Replaces Emer-Proof Top Coat UV Protect)

# Water based acrylic hybrid membrane top coat for UV exposed applications

## Uses

- Roof areas (when used with a base membrane layer of either Nitoproof 410 or Nitoproof 810)
- Exposed walkways subject to regular foot traffic
- Maintenance walkways subject to foot traffic
- Deck and balcony areas
- Exposed roof surfaces for maintenance and access areas
- General horizontal surfaces exposed to weather

## **Advantages**

- Highly durable and foot trafficable
- UV weather resistance
- Excellent ponding water resistance
- Resistant to fungi and algae growth
- Provides slip resistant surface, no sand casting or aggregate addition required
- Excellent weathering properties
- Water based and non-hazardous
- Flexible (not elastomeric)
- Excellent adhesion to Nitoproof 410 and Nitoproof 810 water based membranes and primed masonry surfaces
- Low VOC

# Description

Nitoproof Top Coat UV is an acrylic hybrid hard wearing top coat designed for external applications on horizontal surfaces. Suitable for use as a trafficable top coat over Nitoproof 410 and the Nitoproof 810 membranes for roofs and deck areas. Nitoproof Top Coat UV exhibits outstanding adhesion properties and excellent UV weather resistance.

# **Design Criteria**

Optimum performance achieved in 1 coat application at a minimum total coverage of 0.8 litres/m<sup>2</sup> for horizontal surfaces. On vertical upturns and returns, a minimum total coverage of 0.6 litres/m<sup>2</sup> is required.

Horizontal applications:

Wet film thickness = 800 microns

Dry Film thickness = 500 microns

Vertical applications:

Wet film thickness = 600 microns

Dry film thickness = 350 microns

## **Properties**

Data quoted is typical for this product, but does not constitute a specification.

## Wet form

Specific gravity:	1.32kg/litre	
Solid Content:	65%	
VOC content:	26g / litre	
Appearance:	Textured viscous liquid	
Colour:	Light Grey	

## **Cured membrane**

Elongation:	>150%
Tensile Strength:	>3 MPa
Shore A hardness:	82
Solar reflectance index (SRI) ASTM E1980:	41.53

## Slip resistance testing

System Used	AS 4586:2013 Appendix A Wet Pendulum Test	AS 4586:2013 Appendix B Dry Floor Friction Test
Nitoproof 410 overcoated with Nitoproof Top Coat UV	P5	D1
Nitoproof 410 overcoated with Nitoproof Top Coat UV + Nitoproof Top Coat EW	P4	D1
Nitoproof 810 overcoated with Nitoproof Top Coat UV	P5	D1
Nitoproof 810 overcoated with Nitoproof Top Coat UV + Nitoproof Top Coat EW	P4	D1

The slip test results shown are available on request. The results were achieved in controlled laboratory conditions; reasonable variations are to be expected on site, due to site-specific conditions and variances in application. Application of the proposed system on a small test area on site, prior to commencement of works is highly recommended, to confirm actual slip resistance.

# **Application Instructions**

## **Surface preparation**

Surfaces must be clean, sound, stable and free of: loose foreign material; existing coatings; laitance; release agents; curing compounds and oil/grease residues.

Surfaces must be dry, suitably prepared and in a sound state prior to beginning the application.

For application directly to a surface/substrate which has no Nitoproof membrane applied previously, Fosroc recommends to always prime substrate prior to Nitoproof Top Coat UV application.

#### Priming

Substrates must be primed, prior to the application of Nitoproof Top Coat UV:

(There is no requirement to prime if applied directly onto either Nitoproof 410 or Nitoproof 810 membranes, however surfaces must be clean and dry).

Primer choice is defined by substrate requirements:

- For porous masonry surfaces, Nitoprime 120 may be selected (see TDS for further details)
- For non-porous substrates, such as ceramic tile, metals and plastics, Nitoprime 115 may be selected (see TDS for further details)

#### **Damp surfaces - entrapped moisture**

Seek technical advice from Fosroc.

#### **Application**

Nitoproof Top Coat UV membrane should be well stirred before using, then applied to prepared surfaces using a 12mm nap roller or brush.

Apply in 1 coat application at a minimum total coverage of 0.8 litres/m<sup>2</sup> for horizontal surfaces. On vertical upturns and returns, a minimum total coverage of 0.6 litres/m<sup>2</sup> is required.

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#### **Drying times**

Recoat: 4 hours @ 23°C; 50% RH

Dry film: 24 hours @ 23°C; 50% RH

Weatherproof (horizontal): 48 hours @ 23°C; 50% RH

Drying times @  $10^{\circ}$ C – allow a 'minimum' 24 hours extra drying time on standard recommendations at this temperature.

Base membrane needs to be fully cured prior to Nitoproof Top Coat UV application.

#### Cleaning

While in a wet state, Nitoproof Top Coat UV will clean up with water. Once dried product will need to be removed by mechanical means or with solvent cleaners.

Splashes of Nitoproof water based membrane on paintwork etc should be wiped off immediately using a cloth dampened with a strong detergent solution.

#### Limitations

Nitoproof Top Coat UV is not designed for use as an exposed membrane under vehicular traffic or in commercial foot traffic areas (such as shopping centre entry-ways).

Nitoproof Top Coat EW is a hybrid acrylic coating designed for use over Nitoproof Top Coat UV to improve stain resistance and scuff marks associated with pedestrian foot traffic. Initial semi-gloss finish will form after application. This will diminish after 10-14 days to a matt finish.

On roof applications, Nitoproof Top Coat UV is to be applied to surfaces with appropriate falls and drainage.

Not designed for immersed applications.

#### **Please Note**

Application of all liquid applied membranes and primers should always refer to the surface temperature conditions before commencing and not just ambient temperatures. (There are limitations to how hot/cold the surface temperature can be, when applying liquid based membrane or primer).

For example: ambient temperatures may be  $10^{\circ}$ C but the substrate could be  $0^{\circ}$ C and have frost issues. The same applies with higher temperatures: ambient temperature may be  $26^{\circ}$ C but have a substrate temperature of  $36^{\circ}$ C

## Supply

Nitoproof Top Coat UV (Grey); 15 litre FC000606-15L

#### Coverage

Horizontal applications: 0.8 litres/m<sup>2</sup>

Vertical applications: 0.6 litres/m<sup>2</sup>

#### Storage

Nitoproof Top Coat UV has a shelf life of 2 years if kept in a cool, dry conditions in the original, unopened packs. If stored at high temperatures and/or high humidity conditions the shelf life may be reduced.

#### Important notice

A Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is available from the Fosroc website. Read the SDS and TDS carefully prior to use as application or performance data may change from time to time. In emergency, contact any Poisons Information Centre (phone 13 11 26 within Australia) or a doctor for advice.

#### Product disclaimer

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