# Mira Matte Natural Stone Color Enhancer



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## **Color Enhancement For Textured Surfaces Including:**

- Flamed Granite
- Flamed Limestone
- Textured Cast Stone
- Cleft Faced Slate
- Tumbled Marble ■ Textured Natural Stone

## **Special Features**

- Interior & Exterior
- Water Resistant ■ U. V. Transparent
- Easy To Use
- Stain Resistant
   Non yellowing

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Mira Matte is a unique product designed to enhance the natural color of all flamed, sandblasted, split faced, tumbled and textured surfaces. When used with one of our Miracle Penetrating Sealers, Mira Matte seals and protects while leaving a beautiful, low maintenance, color enhanced satin sheen. Mira Matte allows vapor to escape while offering a scuff and weather resistant surface. Mira Matte is U.V. transparent, will not yellow and can be used on both interior and exterior applications.

## **Sample Testing**

Due to the differences of each material, several inconspicuous test patches should be completed to assure maximum performance. **User must determine suitability of the product for their intended use.** 

## **Protect Neighboring Surfaces**

Always protect neighboring surfaces including wood, carpet, metal, landscaping and other non masonry surfaces.

## **Polish Enhancement**

Not recommended.

## **NEW INSTALLATIONS - APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Read entire label and PDS/MSDS before using. Mira Matte should not be diluted or thinned in any way. **Mira Matte** should be used as is direct from approved container.

Before Grouting: Apply Miracle Penetrating Sealer to all surfaces. This step will allow quick and easy cleanup after grouting. Grout can stain many surfaces if this procedure is not used. Apply Miracle Penetrating Sealer using a Mira Brush Applicator or a clean white towel. Apply enough to wet the surface. Be careful not to saturate the open grout joints. Allow Miracle Penetrating Sealer to stand for approximately 1 - 5 minutes for maximum penetration. Any excess sealer remaining at this time should be removed by wiping the surface with a clean dry towel. Typically we do not recommend a second application of sealer when utilizing Mira Matte. Allow Miracle Penetrating Sealer to dry 6 - 12 hours before continuing with the grouting procedure per manufacturers specification.

After Grouting: Once grouted make sure that all grout residue is removed from the surface with a clean sponge and water. Allow grout joints to dry at least 24 hours. If grout clean up is not performed effectively, additional cleaning may be necessary to remove remaining grout residue or haze. For this procedure use GCFR (Grout, Concrete & Film Remover) (hydrochloric acid), Phosphoric Acid Cleaner , Sulfamic Acid Crystals or Epoxy Grout Film Remover as directed. Once the area has completely dried, proceed with the sealing of the grout for water and stain resistance. Apply Miracle Penetrating Sealer to all grout as directed. Allow sealer to dry a minimum of 1 hour. Apply Mira Matte to the entire surface using a natural fiber brush, terry cloth towel or pump sprayer (exterior use only). If a pump sprayer is used, Mira Matte should be evened out with a brush before it dries. Work small areas 30 - 60 square feet (3 - 6 square meters) at a time. Do not allow Mira Matte to puddle on the surface. Multiple applications may be necessary to achieve the desired results. Proceed with subsequent applications after the previous application has dried to the touch (approximately 1 - 2 hours). Be sure to even out Mira Matte on the surface, blending in overlap marks.

## **Existing Installations - Surface Preparations**

Surface must be dry and free of contaminant, including previously applied sealers, dirt, lime & hard water deposits, efflorescence, rust & other heavy dirt and grime.

**Surface Coating/Wax Removal:** To remove existing coatings and/or waxes, use **Mira Strip** or **H2O Strip** per the instructions.

**Heavy Duty Cleaning:** To remove lime, hard water deposits, efflorescence, rust and other heavy dirt and grime use **GCFR** or **Phosphoric Acid Cleaner** as directed. If an additional non acid deep cleaning is necessary use **Liquid Poultice** as directed.

**Light Cleaning:** Use **Mira Clean #1, Mira Soap** or **Counter Kleen** as directed.

## **Existing Installations - Application Instructions:**

Follow the application instructions previously mentioned, except now, seal the grout joints at the same time as the rest of the tile or stone surface. When treating surface and grout at the same time, make sure all grout joints are saturated with **Miracle Penetrating Sealer**. Once the sealer is dry to the touch (1 - 2 hours), proceed with the application of **Mira Matte** color enhancer as previously mentioned. For added color where maximum stain repellency is not required, use **Mira Matte** by itself.

## Mold, Mildew and Bacteria Sanitation

For best results in killing mold, mildew, bacteria and other micro organisms, use **Miracle Wipes** as directed.

#### **Cure Time**

**Mira Matte** will be dry to the touch in 2 - 4 hours and may be used for normal foot traffic. For optimum results the area should be kept dry and free from staining materials for 72 hours.

## Coverage

Coverage will vary depending on the density, porosity, texture, surface absorption, weather, time solution left on surface and application methods. Used as directed, **Mira Matte** will cover approximately 50 - 200 square feet per quart (4.5 - 8 square meters per .948 liters).

## MAINTENANCE

For ongoing maintenance instructions please refer to **Miracle Sealants Care Guide.** Refer to the **Miracle Sealants Product Recommendation Chart** for specific product recommendations.

## Storage

Store **Mira Matte** in the original container, properly sealed to avoid contamination and solvent evaporation. Stored at  $77^{\circ}$  F ( $40^{\circ}$  C), **Mira Matte** will have a shelf life of 12 months. Do not allow to freeze.

## **Technical Support**

For additional technical support, contact Miracle Sealants Company at 1-800-350-1901 or 626-443-6433 ext. 3013

## **Office Hours**

Monday - Friday from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm PT. 1-626-443-6433 or 1-800-350-1901 • Fax: 1-626-443-1435 website: www.miraclesealants.com

## **Product Damaged During Transportation**

If product is damaged during transportation contact Info Trac @ 1-800-535-5053

## **Additional Products**

Miracle Sealants Company offers a complete line of water & stain repellents, sealers, cleaner, polishing compounds, diamond abrasives, machinery and accessories for the tile, stone, concrete, metal, fabric and carpet professional or do-it yourself specialist.

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Osha's Hazard Communication Standard U.S. Department Of Labor

29 CFR 1910.1200 Identity No: 6477 OMB No. 1218-0072 Name: Mira Matte

Section 1

Manufacturers Name: Miracle Sealants Company Address: 12318 Lower Azusa Rd. **Emergency Phone:** 800-350-1901 Arcadia State:

Date Prepared: 02-2009 Section 2 - Hazardous Ingredient/Identity Information

**Hazardous Components** CAS# OSHA PEL **ACGIH TLV** Aromatic Petroleum Distillates 2-Butoxy Ethanol 64741-65-7 100ppm 100ppm Not Available Not Available 112345 VOC Content: 681 g/L

**Section 3 - Physical/Chemical Characteristics** 

Specific gravity: 0.850 Boiling point: 212°F Vapor pressure: Not Available Melting point: Not Available Vapor density: Not Available Evaporation rate: Not Available Solubility in water: Insoluble

Appearance and odor: Colorless liquid with solvent odor.

**Section 4 - Fire And Explosion Hazard Data** 

Flammable limits: Not Available Flash point: 116°F

LEL: Not Available **UEL: Not Available** 

pH: Not Available

NFPA hazard rating (o = Least, 4 = Extreme) Health: 2 Fire: 2 Reactivity: o Other: o

**HMIS Hazard Rating:** 

Health: 2 Fire: 2

Reactivity: o

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide, or dry foam.

Special fire fighting procedures: None Unusual fire and explosion hazards: None

Section 5 - Reactivity Data

Stability: Stable

Conditions to avoid: None.

Incompatible materials to avoid: Strong oxidizers, heat, flames, and sparks. Hazardous decomposition or byproducts: CO, CO2. Hazardous polymerization: Will not occur.

**Section 6 - Health Hazard Data** 

**Routes of Entry:** 

Eyes: Possible Inhalation - Possible Skin - Possible Ingestion - Possible

Health Hazards - Same as signs and symptoms of exposure.

Carcinogenicity:

OSHA: None NTP: None IARC Monographs: None

Note: All chemicals incorporated into this product are found on the TSCA

inventory list.

Signs and Symptoms Of Over Exposure:

Eyes - Burning sensation. Skin - Irritant.

Ingestion: Toxic, do not induce vomiting, call physician.

Inhalation: Dizziness, headaches, and irritation..

Medical conditions generally aggravated by exposure: same as signs and symptoms of over exposure.

## **Emergency and First Aid Procedures:**

Eyes: Flush with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, call physician. Skin: Wash off with soap and water. If irritation persists, call physician.. Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting, call physician. Inhalation: If affected, remove individual to fresh air. If unconscious, call physician.

**Section 7 - Precautions For safe Handling And Use** 

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled: Soak up with inert, absorbent material. Scoop up and place in a proper waste disposal

Waste disposal method: Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.

Precautions to be taken in handling and storing: Store in a cool, dry place, out of direct sunlight. Do not freeze equal to or less than 32° F, or heat

Other precautions: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Follow directions on the container for proper use of this product.

#### **Section 8 - Control Measures**

Respiratory protection: Ventilate by opening all doors and windows. If exposure above the TLV or PEL require a NIOSH approved respirator equipped for the exposure or suitable respiratory protection per 29 CFR 1910.134 is required.

Ventilation:

Local exhaust - If available Special - None Other - None Mechanical - If available

Protective gloves: Rubber, plastic or chemical resistant. Eye protection: Tight fitting, splash proof safety glasses or goggles. Other protective clothing or equipment: None.

Work hygienic practices: Wash hands thoroughly before handling food, liquids or tobacco products. Use common sense and care around chemicals Never mix chemicals. Consult your supervisor for other practices. All practices depend on your specific business. Directions for use normally found on label which will dictate engineering and control measures.

**Section 9 - Shipping & Regulatory Classification** 

DOT Shipping Name: Please refer to the Bill of Lading receiving/documents for up-to-date information.

DOT#: NA 1993(Combustible liquid) DOT Hazard Class: Not Available

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): This product and/or all the ingredients contained in this product have been registered under the Toxic Substances Control Act.

**SARA:** A SARA 313 chemical identified. 2-Butoxy Ethanol

**NOTE:** Miracle Sealants believes the data set forth are accurate. Miracle Sealants makes no warranty with respects thereto and disclaims all liability or reliance thereon. Such data are offered solely for consideration, investigation and verification. Also, the data set forth is for the concentrated finished product. All lab samples are for experimental purposes only and used at the customers discretion.

## **WARRANTY & CAUTIONS**

## Warranty

Instructions are a condensed guide and should not be considered complete. In the event of failure, the only obligation of Miracle Sealants Company shall be to replace such products proven to be defective. Before using, user shall determine the suitability of the product for their intended use User assumes all risks and liability whatsoever in connection therein. Neither seller nor manufacturer shall be liable for any injury or inability to use this product.

## Caution

Mira Matte contains petroleum distillates. All solvents must be considered toxic and must be used in a well ventilated area. Good ventilation means that fresh air is flowing in such a way as to feel a slight breeze. Open windows and use fans to circulate air. Continue to ventilate until vapors are eliminated. Exposure to high vapor concentration must be avoided. Inhaling the vapors can be harmful. Keep away from heat and open flames. Avoid prolonged contact with skin. Chemical resistant gloves should be worn at all times. Keep small children and pets out of area until product or surfaces has thoroughly dried. Refer to the MSDS for additional information.