

Color Fast® Grout Colorant

1. Product Description

Color Fast Grout Colorant is a ready to use high grade water based epoxy modified colorant and sealer for grout joints. Able to be use with a variety of grouts such as cementous, epoxy, urethane and acrylic. Seals and protects against stains making cleaning and maintenance simpler.

2. Features and Benefits

- Renews the look of the grout
- Cures to a durable finish
- Easy to use
- Super easy to clean
- Seals and protects against common stains
- Superior color consistency
- Custom color matching available

3. Uses

- Most common grouts
- Interior and light exterior
- Vertical and horizontal joints

4. Limitations

- Not for constant water immersion
- Not recommended for shower floors
- Not for areas subject to hydrostatic pressure
- Don't clean with solvent based cleaners
- Don't use abrasive or high pressure cleaning equipment on Colorant joints
- Apply when temperature is between 50 ° F-95°F (10°C-35°C)
- Seal porous tiles before application

5. Packaging

- 12 oz. bottle only (354 ml)
- 32 oz. (950 ml) *Special Order*
- Accessory Kit with brush and scrub pad available separately

6. Shelf Life

- One year in original unopened bottle

7. Cautions

- Consult SDS

8. Technical Specifications

Appearance	Color matched, major colors in stock
Water clean up	Yes
Dry time	2 hours (depends on temp and humidity)
Initial cure	24 -72 Hours (depends on temp and humidity)
VOC	28 g/l
Freeze thaw stability	1 freeze thaw cycle
Open time	5 - 45 minutes
Coverage	50 ft—300 ft (see coverage chart)
Maintenance	Water based neutral pH cleaners
Application temperature	50°F (10°C) - 95°F (35°C)

9. Preparation

Before attempting to color your grout, test in a small area first. Test for previously applied sealers by applying a few drops of water to the grout. If the water beads a sealer is present and must be removed before application. Allow at least 7 days for new grout to cure. Existing grout must be clean, dry and free of dirt, grease, oils or soaps. Porous tiles must be sealed to ensure that grout colorant doesn't penetrate into the tile. If different lot numbers are being used, mix all containers together to provide a uniform color. In order to ensure color consistency, order enough (or a little extra) of colorant with the same lot number.

10. Application

Shake well to mix pigments and solids thoroughly. Do not apply when temps are below 50°F or above 95°F. Damp sponge grout before application. Pour a small amount into a dish or container. Using a bristle brush, dip into colorant and apply a thin coat to grout using a back and forth motion. Try to limit the amount that gets on the tile. If you are going from dark to light 2 or more applications of colorant may be necessary. Allow a minimum of 2 hours drying time between coats. Clean edge of tile as you go or allow colorant to dry at least 5 minutes but not more than 45 minutes. Time will vary depending on ambient temperature, test before application. Remove colorant residue from tile with water an nylon scrub pad. Avoid direct scrubbing on grout joints for at least 20 days to allow colorant to reach maximum durability.

11. Technical Service

For technical assistance contact ColorFast Technical Services at 1-800-400-2488 or visit www.colorfastind.com

