

# ICT TECHNICALS

# Stone Show H<sub>2</sub>O Enhancer

Enhancer & Protector

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## USE:

ICT Stone Show H2O Enhancer is a breathable, water-based, penetrating, water repellent designed to be used on natural stones, concrete, and other properly prepared masonry surfaces. While providing a unique and beautiful enhancement to the existing color(s) of the substrate, Stone Show H2O also acts as a protective shield against staining, simplifies maintenance & cleaning, and disallows deterioration of the substrate caused by water presence & contaminates carried by water. If color enhancement is not desire, use Stone Show H2O Invisible (171) instead.

### **DESCRIPTION**:

ICT Stone Show H2O Enhancer is a clear drying water-repellent with immaculate color enhancing properties. Stone Show H2O Enhancer has been specially formulated to be the ideal option for natural stones that must allow moisture to escape without allowing moisture the reenter through the non-film-forming barrier created by the proper installation of Stone Show H2O Enhancer. By disallowing the penetration of moisture, Stone Show H2O Enhancer will also help against other complications cause by the presence of water such as efflorescence, staining, spalling, and some cracking. Stone Show H2O Enhancer does not create a film over the surface and will not make the surface any more slippery than before application of Stone Show H2O Enhancer once excess has been removed. Stone Show H2O Enhancer will keep surfaces beautiful and protected. Longevity, which is typically around 12-24 months, will be determined by the amount of Stone Show H2O Enhancer that is absorbed into the substrate.

## CHARACTERISTICS AND TECHNICAL DATA

Liquid Properties Test Results Weight/Gallon.... 8.38 lbs./gal. % Solids..... 15% Gloss..... No Gloss Flash Point..... 212°F Appearance Wet.... Milky White Clear/Enhanced Color Appearance Dry..... Coverage/Gallon.... 60-300 sq. ft. per gal. Clean Up..... Warm Soapy Water Dry to touch..... 6 hours Return to Service..... 12 hours Vehicular Traffic... 24-48 hours Shelf Life..... 1 year (closed container) V.O.C..... < 25 grams/liter

## **FEATURES & BENEFITS**:

COLOR ENHANCEMENT ONE-WAY WATER REPELLENT

STAIN RESISTANCE EASY MAINTENANCE LOW V.O.C. INHIBITS BIO GROWTH

EFFLORESCENCE RESISTANCE PENETRATING

BREATHABLE NON FILM FORMING

### SURFACE PREPARATION:

- 1. Clean surface thoroughly with *ICT Total Klean (700)* all purpose degreaser and cleaner to remove dirt and oils. It is recommended that you also use a bleach/liquid chlorine solution to remove any visible or microscopic algae or mildew. Rinse thoroughly.
- 2. If efflorescence is present, it is recommended that you use *ICT Total Prep (720)* according to product directions. This will remove efflorescence and condition / prepare the surface to receive *Stone Show H2O Enhancer*.
- 3. ICT Total Etch & Clean (740) may be used on dense surfaces to aid in surface profile and better penetration. For best results, apply a test area to determine desired etching of the profile.
- 4. Pressure wash the entire area thoroughly to remove any residual chemicals.
- 5. Allow surface to dry.

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### **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:**

ICT Stone Show H2O Enhancer is a ready-to-use product. It requires no mixing or diluting. Shake well before application. Mask to protect any surface near application area that treatment is not desired. Use a brush, roller, or low-pressure sprayer (less than 50 PSI) with a fan tip to apply to surface. On a clean, dry surface, apply Stone Show H2O Enhancer making sure to use enough to keep the surface uniformly wet for 2-3 minutes prior to penetration. Work in manageable areas at a time, such as 5ft x 5ft—10ft x 10ft. This is make the removal of the excess much easier. Back roll with a 1" foam roller to remove the bulk of the excess. Collect remaining excess Stone Show H2O Enhancer with a clean, absorbent towel. Wrapping towels around a stiff push broom can be helpful in removing excess as well. Repeat removal process until all residue is completely removed. Note: Some surfaces will need additional applications to reach the desired color enhancement. Apply additional coat(s) as soon as sheen from the previous coat dissipates. Remove excess thoroughly after 10-15 minutes. Any residue left on surface will become slick and difficult to remove. To remove excess left on surface, use ICT Total Klean Concentrate (700C) and a mechanical pressure wash or a mechanical buffer. Stone Show H2O Enhancer should be allowed to cure for a minimum of 6 hours before receiving foot traffic and 48 hours before receiving vehicular traffic.

#### AWAYS APPLY A TEST AREA FOR BEST RESULTS.

### **COVERAGE:**

Coverage rates will vary depending on substrate, textures, porosity, and application methods.

Porous, Textured Surfaces — 75-125 sq. ft. per gallon Semi-Porous Surfaces — 100-200 sq. ft. per gallon Dense, Smooth Surfaces — 200-400 sq. ft. per gallon

#### **CLEAN UP & STORAGE:**

*ICT Stone Show H20 Enhancer* cleans up easily with soap and water. Once material is dry material cannot be removed. Product should be stored in a cool dry environment. Do not leave in direct sunlight. Keep from freezing.

### **PRECAUTIONS:**

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. DO NOT BREATH VAPORS. DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY. DO NOT STORE IN DIRECT SUNLIGHT. KEEP FROM FREEZING.

## **NOTE:**

**<u>DO NOT</u>** apply *ICT Stone Show H20 Enhancer* when air or surface temperature is below 55°F or is expected to fall to the point before application is dry. Low temperatures and high humidity will effect drying and curing times.

**DO NOT** apply *ICT Stone Show H20 Enhancer* to new cement, mortar or grout. Allow these products to cure for a minimum of 14-28 days before application.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead. This product contains a chemical known to the State of California as a developmental/reproductive toxin.









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