# Gem-Seal<sup>®</sup> MB ST Methyl-metacrylate Based, Clear, Acrylic Sealer

# MANUFACTURER

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# **FEATURES**

- Waterproof and weatherproof
- Breathable and self-cleaning
- No chipping, peeling or flaking
- High abrasion resistance
- High flexibility
- High durability and UV resistance
- Unaffected by salts and acids

# **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

# **Basic Use**

Gem-Seal MB ST is used as a protective clear sealer for parking decks, bridge decks and concrete floors. It prevents the intrusion of road salts, oil, grease and increases the surface resistance to abrasive wear. It provides an excellent protection to de-icing APPLICATION chemicals used in airports. Gem-Seal MB ST is also used as a protective, waterproofing wall sealer. Gem-Seal MB ST is a fast drying clear sealer, exhibiting excellent adhesion and flexibility combined with superior durability, freeze/thaw and weather resistance. Gem-Seal MB ST is breathable and water repellent. It is intended primarily as a single coat application. In some applications, the use of Gem-Gard SX/SL (horizontal surfaces) or Rain-Shield Clear SX SB (vertical surfaces) as a primer coat is Application recommended. Contact Technical Service for advice.

#### **Composition and Materials**

Methyl-methacrylate resin based sealer in a hydrocarbon solvent.

#### Limitations

Keep away from heat and open flame. When used in interior, provide adequate ventilation. Harmful if digested. Keep product out of reach of children. FOR INDUSTRIAL USE ONLY. Consult MSDS for additional information.



# Colors

Gem-Seal MB ST is a clear sealer. If a colored sealer is required, contact Gemite Products Inc. for Gem-Gard Stain OP SB (Opaque, Solvent Borne) information.

# Packaging

Gem-Seal MB ST is packaged in 20 L (5 USG) pails and 209 L (55.2 USG) drums.

# Coverage

Gem-Seal MB ST will cover approximately 5-7 m<sup>2</sup>/L (200-267  $ft^2/USG$ ) per one (1) coat.

# **Storage and Transportation**

Shelf life of Gem-Seal MB ST is two years. Store in temperatures above 4°C (40°F). Packaged 36 pails or 4 drums per pallet.

# **TECHNICAL DATA**

Appearance	Clear Solution
Solids content (by weight)	14 %
Viscosity	23 centipoise
Flash Point	81°C (177°F)
Tukon Hardness of Clear Film	12-13
Composition	Methyl-methacrylate copolymer

# **Surface Preparation**

The surface to be coated must be clean. Remove all dirt, efflorescence, loose particles, cement scaling and other foreign matter which can interfere with the penetration and adhesion of the sealer. Use power brush or sandblasting as required. The surface must be thoroughly dry before application of Gem-Seal MB ST.

Do not apply when rain is imminent. Apply above 7°C (45°F) and under  $40^{\circ}$ C (105°F). The surface temperature must not be in excess of 30°C (86°F). Do not thin Gem-Seal MB ST. Airless spray and short nap roller are used to apply Gem-Seal MB ST on vertical surfaces. On horizontal surfaces apply the sealer by a roller, spraying or "flooding" . When applying two coats allow one to two hours between the coats depending on temperature. Gem-Seal MB ST will be tack free in one to two hours and fully cured in five days depending on atmospheric conditions.

# Clean Up

Clean the tools with mineral spirits or xylol. The dry material can be dissolved using acetone.

### AVAILABILITY AND COST

*Gem-Seal MB ST* is available worldwide. Contact the manufacturer for the name of the nearest Representative/Distributor and pricing information.

# MAINTENANCE

*Gem-Seal MB ST* is self-washing. The atmospheric dust collected on the surface can be easily cleaned with water based detergent and water. If repair is required, simply apply more of the same product.

# WARRANTY

A limited twelve (12) month Material Replacement Warranty is available. For complete details contact Gemite's Head Office.

# **TECHNICAL SERVICE**

Advice on suitability of *Gem-Seal MB ST* for specific application, application instructions and specification assistance is available from Technical Service: USA 888-443-6483 or Canada 905-672-2020.

### **Short Specification**

The clear methylmethacrylate sealer will be *Gem-Seal MB ST*, manufactured by Gemite Products Inc., [USA 888-443-6483 or Canada 905- 672-2020]. It will meet the all the Technical Data specified in the current *Gem-Seal MB Plus* Product Data Sheet.