

# **PPG Anti-Slip Safety Flooring Systems SFT 650**

Low VOC, Fast Dry, Heavy Duty Epoxy Anti-slip

# **Product Data/ Application Instruction**

PPG Anti-Slip Safety Flooring Systems SFT 650 is a twocomponent, general purpose, vehicular grade, epoxy anti-slip floor and deck coating engineered for slippery areas and used to resist heavy rolling and pedestrian traffic.

SFT 650 is suitable for marine and industrial environments while being easy to apply. It adheres to concrete, metal, and wood surfaces.

SFT 650 is fire retardant when dry. It has excellent chemical resistance to oil, gasoline, acids, caustics, hydraulic fluids and most solvents.

#### **Typical Uses**

- Heavy industrial areas
  - Heavy rolling traffic
    - Heavy impact requirement
- Transit systems
- Entrances
- Stadiums
- · Loading areas or docks
- Garages and warehouses

#### **Products**

Black
Tile Red
Gray
Safety Yellow
Cure

#### **Physical Data**

Colors

	Yellow	
Finish	Flat	
Anti-slip Profile	Medium to High	
Package size	1 and 5 gallons	
Components	2	
Curing mechanism	Chemical reaction between components	
Volume solids	70% (calculated)	
Coats	1	
DFT per coat	mils 20 to 25	microns 500 to 625
Theoretical coverage 30 mils (375 microns) rolled 25 mils (250 microns) troweled 25 mils (250 microns) sprayed	ft²/gal 40 50 60	m²/L 1.0 1.2 1.5

Black, Tile Red, Gray, Safety

VOC (EPA 24)	lb/gal 2.07	g/L 247
Flash point (SETA)	°F 81	°C 27
Coefficient of Friction	Dry	Wet
	1.05	1.05

#### **Surface Preparation**

Coating performance is proportional to the degree of surface preparation. Refer to the Product Data/Application Instructions for the specific primer being used for surface preparation specifications. Concrete and primed concrete surfaces must be clean and dry and free of contaminants such as dust, dirt, grease, or oil. It is important that a suitable moisture barrier is in place for slabs on-grade. If a moisture barrier is not in place, seasonal variations in ground moisture can cause excessive hydrostatic pressure regardless of results measured prior to coating application.

New/Bare Concrete — Refer to SSPC-SP 13/NACE No. 6 surface preparation of concrete for detailed information regarding surface preparation of concrete. In general, concrete must have sufficient profile to achieve satisfactory adhesion of primer and topcoat. Concrete must be in sound condition and free of all coatings, curing compounds, oil and other contaminants. New concrete must cure a minimum of 28 days prior to application of any coatings. Concrete can be abrasive blasted (ASTM D4259) or mechanically abraded to achieve a profile equal to 60 grit sandpaper or coarser. Moisture vapor transmission should be 3 lbs. or less over a 1000 sq. ft. area during a 24 hour period, measured and confirmed through a calcium chloride test (ASTM F1869). Concrete should have a minimum surface tensile strength of 300 PSI verified by a pull-off adhesion test. Should concrete not meet moisture vapor transmission or tensile strength requirements, contact your local PPG representative for guidance. Consult the following ASTM methods: ASTM-4263 – plastic sheet method for checking moisture in concrete; ASTM 4258 standard practice for cleaning concrete; ASTM 4259 standard practice for abrading concrete; ASTM 4260 standard practice for etching concrete.

**Previously Painted Concrete** — Old coatings and concrete must be in sound condition. Surfaces must be clean and dry and free of all contaminants such as dust, dirt, grease, or oil. Old coatings must be uniformly abraded to achieve satisfactory adhesion. Apply a test patch to the abraded surface and allow to cure a minimum of one week before testing adhesion. If adhesion is poor, or if the old coatings are peeling, chipping, or are otherwise in poor condition, remove the coatings down to bare concrete and prepare the bare concrete as shown above.

**Wood and metal surfaces** — contact your PMC specialist for a recommendation.

# **Application Data**

Applied over	Concrete, metal and wood surfaces	
Primers*	Self Priming over concrete and wood	
Concrete	Amerlock 2, Amerlock Sealer - add Amerlock 2VOC, Pitt-Guard	
Metal Surfaces	Amerlock 2 or Amerlock 2VOC, Pitt-Guard	
* When using an epoxy primer, the SFT 650 should be applied within 72 hours of application of the epoxy.		
Surface Preparation	ASTM D4260 or 4259; SSPC-	

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Method	Roller, trowel, or spray	
Mixing ratio (by volume)	18 to1 (mix full kit)	
Environmental conditions		
Temperature surface	°F 50 to 130	°C 20 to 54

Surface temperatures must be at least 5°F (3°C) above dew point to prevent condensation. Relative humidity must not exceed 85%.

Pot Life	4 hours at 70°F
Drying time (hours, @2	5 mils DFT, 50% RH)

	°F/°C	
	70/21	35/2
Foot traffic	12	36-48
Heavy traffic	48	96
Clean-up Solvent	Amercoat 12 Cleaner	

# Instructions for Use

Mixing should be done with a mechanical mixer such as a pneumatic drill motor with a Jiffy mixing blade. Pre-mix the base component for several minutes making sure all material is lifted off the bottom and uniformly mixed. Pour entire contents of hardener can into base material. Mix thoroughly as above for 3-5 minutes until contents are a uniform color.

#### ROLLER

The best anti-slip characteristics are obtained when the product is rolled. Do not thin. Use a smooth napless solvent resistant roller.

- 1. Pour a "strip" of SFT 650 on the surface approximately 2' long and 6" wide.
- 2. Roll in one direction only by pulling material toward you in slow straight strokes.

Use a modest amount of downward pressure. It is important that the rolled profile expose the maximum amount of non-slip aggregate. If aggregate is not properly exposed, the coating may become slippery when wet.

Do not over-roll or press down too heavily. Make sure that coating is even without any thick puddles. If applied too heavily the coating may not cure properly.

Drying time will vary with temperature and humidity. Protect exterior applications from rain for at least 24 hours. For full cure, protect application from extended exposure to water, oil and chemicals for 5 to 7 days.

#### SPRAY

Sprayed applications will result in a uniform appearance with good non-slip characteristics. SFT 650 may be sprayed with spray equipment using a 1/4 inch opening spray tip. To adjust spraying material may be thinned with 1 to 3 pints of Amercoat 65 or Xylol per 5 gallons of material. This will increase the V.O.C. 20 grams per liter for each pint of solvent. Caution must be exercised not to excessively thin material or exceed local VOC regulations when thinning. Also excessive thinning could result in grit not remaining properly in suspension. Various sprayers are available for grit containing coatings such as mastic type spray equipment. Consult with your equipment manufacturer. An example set-up is as follows:

A 5-gallon bottom outlet pressure tank equipped with a double regulator and an air driven agitator, and 1" 1.D. outlet pipe. 25 feet of 3/8" air hose with 3/8" female connectors at each end. 25 feet of 3/4" material hose with 3/4" female connectors at each end. A Binks Model 7E2 spray gun equipped with 1/4" (#45) fluid nozzle and a 1/4" internal air cap or a Binks Model 52-2012 (4 foot) pole gun equipped with the same fluid nozzle and air nozzle. Minimum air supply required is 20 CFM at 90 lbs. pressure. Recommended pressure is 15-20 psi on material and 20-25 psi on atomization. Always keep atomization air pressure higher than pot pressure. Keep agitator running slowly. Good coverage and film thickness will be obtained working at 18" or 24" distance from surface. Overlap strokes about 50%. Make sure of wet application. Very little abrasive rebound will be noticed at 15 psi; however, it will be more noticeable at higher pressures.

#### TROWEL

 $\rm SFT~650~may$  be applied with a smooth trowel such as a flexible plasterer's finishing trowel. Use a trowel about 4 by 12 inches.

Pour a "strip" of SFT 650 on the surface approximately 2' long and 6" wide.

Hold the trowel at a 45° angle to the surface and spread with a full motion. Reverse the angle of the trowel for an opposite stroke. Pull the material toward you. To cover corners, etc. pull straight strokes using material on the trowel.

# Surface Maintenance

SFT 650 should be kept clean to ensure that its non-slip safety aspect is maintained. Clean with an all-purpose cleaner/ degreaser. Scrub the anti-slip surface with a thick bristled brush or floor machine. Rinse with clean water and let dry. SFT 650 is extremely durable; however, frequently traveled areas may require occasional touch up.

# Shipping Data

Packaging units	1 gallon	5 gallon
Shipping weight (approx)	16 lbs	80 lbs

Shelf life when stored indoors at 40 to  $100^\circ F$  (4 to  $38^\circ C)$  1 year from shipment date

Numerical values are subject to normal manufacturing tolerances, color and testing variances. Allow for application losses and surface irregularities. See application instructions for complete information and safety precautions.

#### **Safety Precautions**

Read each component's material safety data sheet before use. Mixed material has hazards of both components. Safety precautions must be strictly followed during storage, handling, and use. **This product is for professional use only. Not for residential use.** 

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