

Easy-Spred® benefits and instructions for

Swimming Pool Finish Coats

Easy-Spred® is.....

A proprietary formulation that gels up when mixed with and has the ability to hold seven times its volume in water. Easy-Spred® will uniformly release this water to the cement to enhance curing and strength gaining properties. Easy-Spred® is slick and cohesive allowing both great pumping and workability while enhancing the finished product.

Easy-Spred® is used in

Almost any cementitious environment including mortars, plasters, grouts and wet-process shotcrete. Easy-Spred® was first used in 1960 and has been widely used ever since. Easy-Spred® is used as both an admixture to improve field properties of cementitious materials and as a lime replacement. Easy-Spred® is recognized for use by the International Building Codes in all seismic zones.



Key Benefits:

- Superior Pumpability
- Improves Set Time Characteristics
- Improves Field Properties of Cement
- Enhances Cohesiveness
- Reduces Check Cracking
- Enhances Pigment Performance
- Saves Money

Easy-Spred® is used in exposed aggregate finishes.....

To dramatically improve the pumpability and workability while maintaining a consistent set time. Easy-Spred® is perhaps the best pump aid in the industry and because of its creaminess and water retention, it facilitates the finishing of exposed aggregate pools. And because of Easy-Spred®'s colloidal properties, it enhances pigments while reducing unwanted mottling and streaking. Easy-Spred® will help cement hydrate more evenly and consistently improving the durability and hardened properties of the pool finish.

Easy-Spred® is used in white plaster pools.....

To retain the water necessary for cement hydration helping the plaster to resist nodules, check cracking, shrinkage and trowel burn. Easy-Spred® imparts a creamy feel to the plaster allowing trowels to glide easier and faster, saving time and money. Easy-Spred® will also improve the pumpability and workability of white plaster pools while maintaining excellent set time consistency and improved hardened properties of the pool finish.



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Easy-Spred® ratios for NPT® Pool Finishes are.....

Published in the NPT® Pool Finishes mix tables and usage guidelines.

Easy-Spred® ratios for other exposed aggregate pool finishes are.....

1/4 to 1/2 bag of Easy-Spred per ninety-four pound bag of Portland cement.

Easy-Spred® ratios for white plaster pools are.....

1/4 to 1/2 bag of Easy-Spred per ninety-four pound bag of Portland cement.

Easy-Spred® ratio for pre-blended finishes containing aggregate is.....

Approximately one seven pound bag of Easy-Spred® per twelve 80 lb. bags of pre-blended pool finish.



Easy-Spred® is mixed by.....

Adding to the mixer at least 1/2 to 2/3 of the total water to be used.

Adding Easy-Spred®.

Allowing Easy-Spred® to mix for 1 to 1.5 minutes before adding additional ingredients.

Adding remaining ingredients in the usual or specified manner.

Mixing until the material has the desired consistency.

Note: Total mixing time is typically recommended to be six minutes.