

# MasterProtect<sup>®</sup> H 1100 (formerly Masterseal 360)

Hydrophobic impregnant based on isobutyltriethoxysilane

## DESCRIPTION

**MasterProtect H 1100** is a low viscosity clear liquid based on a selected high purity undiluted isobutyltriethoxysilane. This class of silanes has a very low molecular size, which ensures effective impregnation of concrete and masonry surfaces through deep (3-8 mm) penetration into the pore structure. The impregnated **MasterProtect H 1100** reacts with moisture or interstitial humidity and forms permanently bonded hydrophobic lining on the pore-walls of the substrate.

The treated substrates are therefore highly hydrophobic and will inhibit ingress of water and water borne aggressive agents such as chlorides, while retaining the original appearance.

The substantial reduction in water absorption of the treated substrates also assists in the thermal insulation characteristics.

**MasterProtect H 1100** is also available with a red fugitive dye that provides an easy identification of the treated areas. The colour of the dye will disappear in approximately 1 week depending on the number of coats applied.

## RECOMMENDED USES

**MasterProtect H 1100** is recommended for application to most of the cementitious, masonry and mineral substrates above ground, not subject to hydrostatic pressure. Applications include treating the surfaces of :

- Bridge decks, abutments, piers, soffits, etc.
- Beams, columns and walls of buildings
- Exposed brick structures
- Car parks
- Marine structures

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- **Effective water repellence** - Durability. Inhibits ingress of water borne aggressive agents such as chlorides.
- **Minimises surface efflorescence** - Clean appearance of masonry surfaces.
- **Breathable** - Allows excess water vapour to evaporate from the substrate.
- **Highly penetrative**- Ensures long-term effectiveness even on surfaces exposed to traffic (e.g.: car parks).

- **Can be supplied with a fugitive dye** - Treated area easily identifiable. No wasteful repetitive coatings or risk of untreated areas.

## PROPERTIES

Maximum depth of penetration can be achieved over a dry substrate on a dry, windless day with a high ambient temperature of around 40°C.

Temperature	Relative humidity	Depth of penetration
24°C	13 %	4-6 mm
	52 %	3-5 mm
	79 %	3-5 mm
40°C	13 %	4-6 mm
	52 %	3-5 mm
	79 %	3-5 mm

*Note: Experience has shown that a depth of penetration of >3 mm gives the required long term protection to concrete. Some very dense concretes will allow a visible penetration of less than 3mm but will still be adequately protected.*

**MasterProtect H 1100** complies with British Highway Specification BD 43/90.

## PROPERTIES

Supply form	: Clear liquid
Refractive index of material as supplied	: 1.400 <sup>±</sup> 0.005
Specific gravity	: 0.88
Purity (Isobutyltriethoxysilane)	: 98%
Active ingredients	: 100%
VOC content: g/L 10 (HK prod code P08-13)	

## APPLICATION

Use **MasterProtect H 1100** as supplied without dilution.

### Surface Preparation

Correct substrate preparation is critical for optimum performance.



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Surfaces should be clean and free from loose particles, oil, grease or any other contaminant. Cement laitance, loose particles, oil, grease, mould release agent, curing membrane and other contaminants must be removed by high pressure water jetting or other such effective methods.

Mask and protect all areas not to be treated including glass, plants, etc., and any other material that should not be exposed to solvents.

A test application is recommended on each surface or masonry material to be treated to ensure compatibility and desired water repellent effect.

## Placing

**MasterProtect H 1100** may be applied to damp surfaces although dry surfaces preferred for optimum penetration of the substrate. Apply **MasterProtect H 1100** in two coats with about two hours interval between coats.

Avoid application on a windy or a rainy day and start after at least a couple of hours of clear sunshine following rains. For best results on vertical surfaces, starting at the bottom of the structure and working up, apply a flood coat of **MasterProtect H 1100** by a low pressure air-less spray equipment (knapsack sprayer), so as to produce 150-200 mm run off on the surface below the contact point of the spray pattern.

It can also be applied using a wide short nap roller or brush, in which case, it should be applied repeatedly until the surface remains moist for a few seconds.

On horizontal surfaces, apply sufficient material so that it stands for a few seconds before penetration.

## ESTIMATING DATA

150 - 300 ml/m<sup>2</sup> (0.13 - 0.26 kg/m<sup>2</sup>) per coat depending on porosity of the substrate. Consumption can increase while treating tall structures, caused by loss due to wind.

## PACKAGING

**MasterProtect H 1100** is available in 200 litre drums and 20 litre pails.

## SHELF LIFE

**MasterProtect H 1100** has a shelf life of 12 months. Store out of direct sunlight, clear of the ground on pallets protected from rainfall.

## PRECAUTIONS

For the full health and safety hazard information and how to safely handle and use this product, please make sure that you obtain a copy of the BASF Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) from our office or our website.

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