

Eco-Crete™ SL

Urethane Mortar Slurry with Broadcast



DESCRIPTION - A 3/16" three-part, cementitious-polyurethane applied as a slurry, with aggregate broadcast and also as the grout coat. Used to resurface lightly eroded interior concrete floors in areas that require thermal shock resistance and slip resistance.

RECOMMENDED SYSTEM

Application Steps	Tennant Product	Application Thickness mils [mm]	Coverage Rate ft ² /gal [m ² /3.78 L]
Slurry	Eco-Crete SL	1/8" [3.18]	24-32 [2.2-2.9]*
Silica Sand Broadcast	Silica Sand	0.75 lbs [0.35 kg]	1 [0.09]
Topcoat	Eco-Crete TC	13.33 [0.34]	120 [11.1]

Other Tennant products may be used for the application steps; contact your Tennant Coatings Specialist. See appropriate product bulletin for application instructions or contact Tennant Technical Support. The alternate system below uses a different product only for the topcoat.

ALTERNATE SYSTEM #1

Application Steps	Tennant Product	Application Thickness mils [mm]	Coverage Rate ft ² /gal [m ² /3.78 L]
Topcoat	Eco-URE™	15 [0.38]	107 [9.9]

ALTERNATE SYSTEM #2

Application Steps	Tennant Product	Application Thickness mils [mm]	Coverage Rate ft ² /gal [m ² /3.78 L]
Topcoat	Eco-TCP™	15 [0.38]	107 [9.9]

OPTIONAL COVE

Application Steps	Tennant Product	Application Thickness mils [mm]	Coverage Rate ft ² /gal [m ² /3.78 L]
Primer	Eco-Crete TC	13.33 [0.34]	120 [11.1]
Cove	Eco-Crete CB	4" Height [101.6]	35 lin. ft. [10.7 meters]

*The coverage rate of Eco-Crete SL may vary, depending on the levelness of the floor, prep profile and porosity of the concrete.

- **MOISTURE TOLERANCE** – Eco-Crete SL (at 1/8", broadcast to 3/16) is good for moisture vapor transmission up to 12 lbs/1,000 ft² in 24 hours as measured by calcium chloride tests per ASTM F1869 or 85% RH, as measured by relative humidity readings per ASTM F2170.
- **LEED® v4** – Points available under the following credits:
 - **Indoor Environmental Quality, Low Emitting Materials**
Meets requirements per CDPH-CA Section 01350 Standard Method for the Testing and Evaluation of Volatile Organic Chemical Emissions from Indoor Sources Using Environmental chambers Version 1.2.
 - **Materials & Resources, Building Product Disclosure & Optimization-Sourcing of Raw Materials**
Bio-Based Materials
- **ADVANCE YOUR SUSTAINABILITY GOALS** – Utilizes renewable bean oils and environmentally friendly packaging.
- **EXTREME THERMAL STABILITY** – Steam cleanable. Formulated to withstand temperature variations up to 250°F (121°C)
- **SEAMLESS** – Hygienic finish; no grout joints

PRIMARY APPLICATIONS

Commercial Kitchens	Food & Beverage Facilities	Laboratories
Restrooms & Locker Rooms	Supermarkets & Food Prep Areas	

BENEFITS

Impact & abrasion resistant surface	Anti-slip surface, meets ADA recommendations
Low odor, fast installation, fast cure	Resistant to moisture vapor transmission (MVT)
Thermal shock & chemical resistant	Resistant to fungi growth per ASTM G-21
High temperature resistant to 180°F [82.2°C] (varies with topcoat options)	

TENNANT COATINGS

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SYSTEM PROPERTIES

Property	Test Method	Results
Bond Strength	ASTM D4541	100% Concrete Failure
Compressive Strength, psi [MPa]	ASTM C579	8,400 [57.9]
Flammability	ASTM D635	Self-extinguishing
Flexural Strength, psi [MPa]	ASTM C580	2,700 [18.6]
Impact Strength, in-lb	ASTM D4226	>160
Resistance to Fungi Growth	ASTM G21	Passes, Rating of 1
Tensile Strength, psi [MPa]	ASTM C307	1,050 [7.2]
Volatile Organic Compound, VOC, lb/gal [g/L]	ASTM D3960	A+B+C = 0.04 [5]

Testing performed at 70°F [21.1°C]. The data shown above reflects typical results based on laboratory testing under controlled conditions.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE PROPERTIES

Eco-Crete TC	1 Day	7 Days	Eco-Crete TC	1 Day	7 Days
Acids, Inorganic			Solvents (Ketones & Esters)		
10% Hydrochloric Acid	G	G	Methyl Ethyl Ketone (MEK)	G	P
30% Hydrochloric Acid (Muriatic)	G	G	Propylene Glycol Methyl Ether Acetate (PMA)	G*	G
10% Nitric Acid	G	G	Miscellaneous Chemicals		
50% Phosphoric Acid	G	G	20% Ammonium Nitrate	G	G
10% Sulfuric Acid	G*	G*	Brake Fluid	E	G
37% Sulfuric Acid (Battery Acid)	G*	G*	Bleach	G*	G*
Acids, Organic			Motor Oil (SAE 30)	E	E
10% Acetic Acid	G	G	Skydrol® 500B	E	E
10% Citric Acid	G*	G*	Skydrol® LD4	E	G*
50% Citric Acid	G	G	20% Sodium Chloride	E	E
Glacial Acetic Acid	G	P	1% Tide® Laundry Soap	E	E
Lactic Acid 88%	G*	G*	10% Trisodium Phosphate	E	E
Oleic Acid	E	G*	Castor Oil	E	E
Alkalies			Vegetable Shortening	E	E
10% Ammonium Hydroxide	E	E	Water	E	E
50% Sodium Hydroxide	E	E	High Fructose Corn Syrup	E	E
Solvents (Alcohols)			Hydrogen Peroxide	G*	G*
30% Ammonium Hydroxide	E	G*	White Wine	G	G
Ethylene Glycol (Antifreeze)	E	E	Red Wine	G*	G*
Isopropyl Alcohol	G*	G*	Vodka	E	E
Methanol	G*	G	Ketchup	G	G*
Solvents (Aliphatic)			Mustard	G*	G*
d-Limonene	E	E	Coffee	G*	G*
Jet Fuel - JP-4	E	E	Coke®	E	G*
Gasoline	E	E	Fish Oil	E	E
Mineral Spirits	E	E	Dish Liquid Hand Soap (Full Strength)	G*	G*
Solvents (Aromatic)			Octave™ FS Sanitizer	G	G
Xylene	E	E			
Solvents (Chlorinated)					
Methylene Chloride	P	P			

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ASTM D1308 Test Method 3.1.1 spot test, covered. Results are based on 1-day and 7-day. Coating cured 2 weeks prior to testing.

Legend:

E - Excellent (No Adverse Effect) - Recommended.

F - Fair (Moderate Adverse Effect) - Not recommended.

G - Good (Limited Adverse Effect) - Use for short-term exposure only.

P - Poor (Unsatisfactory) - Little or no resistance to chemical.

*Only adverse effect was staining.

NOTE: *Reduced chemical resistance and staining is possible in pigmented versions of the system.*

GENERAL PRODUCT INFORMATION

STORAGE:	Materials should be stored indoors between 65°F [18.3°C] and 80°F [26.6°C].
SHELF LIFE:	Six months from date of manufacture.
PACKAGING OPTIONS / PART NUMBERS:	<p>Eco-Crete SL 1 gallon / 9014442 (½ gallon Part A, ½ gallon Part B, 1 bag C + 1 powder pigment) 10 gallons / 9014444 (5 gallons Part A, 5 gallons Part B, 10 bags C + 10 powder pigments) 500 gallons / 9014445 (250 gallons Part A, 250 gallons Part B, 500 bags C + 500 powder pigments)</p> <p>Eco-Crete CB 9014446 (0.25 gallon Part A, 0.25 gallon Part B, 1 bag C + 1 powder pigment)</p> <p>Eco-Crete TC 1 gallon / 9014853 (½ gallon Part A, ½ gallon Part B, 1 bag C + 1 powder pigment) 10 gallons / 9014854 (5 gallons Part A, 5 gallons Part B, 10 bags C + 10 powder pigments) 500 gallons / 9014855 (250 gallons Part A, 250 gallons Part B, 500 bags C + 500 powder pigments)</p>
STANDARD QUARTZ BLENDS / SOLIDS – 50# BAG:	For part numbers, refer to Coatings Price List or contact Tennant Customer Service for assistance. Custom blends are also available.
OPTIONS:	<p>Powder Pigments: Available in Red, Gray, Dark Gray, Tan, Green, Safety Yellow and Black. Use one powder pigment bag per one-bag mix.</p> <p>Standard Colorants: Tile Red, Canada Gray and Medium Gray are typically used in Eco-Crete SL. Use 3 ounces liquid colorant per one-bag mix. Call Tennant Technical Support for other color options.</p> <p>Cove: A seamless, smooth transition can be created between the flooring and wall using Eco-Crete CB.</p>
LIMITATIONS:	<p>Contamination (Fisheyes): Product may not adhere if oil, silicones, mold release agents or other contaminants are present.</p> <p>Outgassing: Blisters may result if sand is not broadcast into the slurry.</p> <p>Movement: Moving joints and cracks will reflect through the installed system. 7 day old concrete can be coated, but any shrinkage cracks that form may show in the Eco-Crete.</p> <p>UV/Light Stability: This product is not light stable and will yellow/amber over time unless topcoated with optional UV resistant topcoat.</p> <p>Product Stability: Part A and Part B resins must not be allowed to freeze. If you suspect product has frozen, please call Tennant technical support.</p>

IMPORTANT: READ AND FOLLOW ALL PRECAUTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE PROCEEDING.

PLEASE SEE SAFETY DATA SHEET (SDS) FOR HANDLING PROCEDURES. USE PRODUCT AS DIRECTED. KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.

PRELIMINARY FLOOR INSPECTIONS

CHECK THE TEMPERATURE AND HUMIDITY: Floor temperature should be between 40°F (4.4°C) and 85°F (29.4°C) and material temperature should be between 50°F (10°C) and 80°F (26.6°C) for Eco-Crete SL. Humidity must be less than 80%. **DO NOT** coat unless floor temperature is more than five degrees over the current, local dew point.

BARE CONCRETE

CHECK THE CONCRETE: Concrete must be structurally sound and free of curing membrane, paint and/or other sealer with no standing water. If you suspect that the concrete has been previously sealed, call Tennant Company Tech Support for further instructions.

CHECK FOR MOISTURE: Concrete must be dry before application of this floor coating material. Concrete moisture testing must occur. Calcium chloride testing or in-situ relative humidity testing is recommended. Readings must be below 12 pounds per 1,000 ft² (1.5 kg per 92.9m²) over a 24-hour period on the calcium chloride test or below 85% relative internal concrete humidity. Test methods can be purchased at www.astm.org, see ASTM F1869 or F2170, respectively or follow manufacturer's instructions. If moisture issues are present, the use of a moisture mitigation system may be a consideration. Please call Tennant Company Technical Support for further information / instructions.

NOTE: Although testing is critical, it is not a guarantee against future problems. This is especially true if there is no vapor barrier or the vapor barrier is not functioning properly and/or you suspect you may have concrete contamination from oils, chemical spills or excessive salts.

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

• Protective clothing	• Spiked shoes	• Porcupine roller	• Loop roller
• Mixing pail		• Flat squeegee	• Cam / Gauge rake
• Slow speed drill (500 rpm or less)		• Roller assembly	• ¼" Nap roller
• Trowel (stainless steel), 4"x12" (101.6 x 304.8 mm) Pool Trowel, Notch Trowel and Margin Trowel		• Jiffy® Mixer Blade [Tennant Part #. 08643-1 (1 gal) / 08643-5 (5 gal)]	

For optional cove Eco-Crete CB:

• Chalk line	• Duct tape	• Putty Knife	• Cove strips
• Mortar mixer – (Baugh, Imer or Kol mixer)		• 4" (106.6 mm) Roller Frame with covers	
• Trowel (stainless steel), 3/8" (9.5 mm) or 1/2" (12.7 mm) radius cove trowel		• Paint brushes	

ASSEMBLE EQUIPMENT: Due to the limited pot life of the material, all application equipment, etc. should be ready for immediate use. (Clean roller with tape to remove any residual lint.)

PREPARATION

Detergent scrub and rinse with clean water to remove surface dirt, grease, oil and contaminants.

Steel shot blast (minimum shot size of 330) to a minimum surface profile of CSP-5 meeting ICRI (International Concrete Repair Institute) standard guideline #310.2R. Use magnetic broom to remove excess shot, sweep to remove large debris and vacuum to remove fine dust.

Scarify: Sweep to remove large debris and vacuum to remove fine dust.

Key-in all termination points, drains and joints that may move with a 1/4" (6.35 mm) by 1/4" (6.35 mm) cut.

Patch all depressions, divots and stress cracks in concrete with Eco-Crete SL. For areas thicker than 1/4", use Eco-Crete HF.

JOINTS: Fill all static (non-moving) cracks or control joints with Eco-Crete SL. Cracking of the resurfacer will occur over joints that are overlaid and later move. Because resurfacers are not flexible, joints that might move should be honored (cut) after the installation and filled with Eco-PJF or Eco-EJF. Isolation joints must be honored and filled with a flexible material designed for this purpose.

APPLICATION - SLURRY - ECO-CRETE SL

COVERAGE RATE: A one bag mix will nominally cover (finished floor): 24-32 ft² (2.2-2.9 m²) at 1/8" (3.18 mm).

The coverage rate of Eco-Crete SL may vary, depending on the levelness of the floor, prep profile and porosity of the concrete.

To achieve a nominal 3/16" (4.76 mm) finished floor, set the rake at 1/8" (3.18 mm).

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete SL Part A into a measuring container. Then, **POUR THE MEASURED PART A INTO THE MIXING PAIL.**

ADD ONE POWDER PIGMENT BAG OR 3 OUNCES OF LIQUID COLORANT TO PART A and mix for about 15 seconds.

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete SL Part B into a measuring container that is separate from the one used with the Part A. Then, **ADD THE MEASURED PART B TO THE PIGMENTED PART A** already in the mixing pail.

MIX FOR APPROXIMATELY 30 SECONDS or until thoroughly blended using the Jiffy mixer.

GRADUALLY ADD ALL CONTENTS OF A BAG OF ECO-CRETE SL FILLER into the liquid mixture in the mixing pail. Blend thoroughly until all particles are wetted out, normally about two minutes. **DO NOT BLEND AGGRESSIVELY OR INTRODUCE AIR.** **NOTE:** *It is critical to use the same mixing sequence to ensure color consistency throughout the entire application.*

POTLIFE AT 75°F: *Mix only enough material, which can be raked and porcupine rolled in a 15-minute period.*

POUR THE MIXED MATERIAL onto floor.

CAM/GAUGE RAKE material over desired area.

USE HAND TROWELS to finish along edges and drains.

USE PORCUPINE ROLLER to release any entrained air as well as work resins to the surface. **NOTE:** *In cool conditions, a smoothing trowel may need to be used prior to porcupine rolling to remove rake marks*

OPTION: *Immediately roll the Eco-Crete SL with a loop roller to remove gauge rake marks and level material.* **NOTE:** *Late or heavy rolling may induce pinholes and unwanted roller marks.*

LAY ABUTTING EDGES WITHIN 10 MINUTES to ensure a clean edge. A "wet edge" installation is imperative during large placements to avoid lines and ridges in the finished floor.

APPLICATION – SILICA SAND BROADCAST

IMMEDIATELY BROADCAST COLORED QUARTZ OR SILICA SAND in the area to excess. Do not dump or pile the aggregate. Gently scatter it onto the floor by hand tossing so as to cover the wet resin completely. A mechanical blower may be used to scatter the granules. A coverage rate of 0.75 pounds (0.35 kg) per ft² (0.09 m²) is recommended.

ALLOW SYSTEM TO CURE APPROXIMATELY 6-8 HOURS to withstand foot traffic.

THOROUGHLY SWEEP AND VACUUM to remove loose colored quartz / silica sand granules from surface.

APPLICATION – TOPCOAT - ECO-CRETE TC

NOTE: *Blended colors of quartz or flake for a more decorative look must be sealed with a clear, light stable topcoat.*

COVERAGE RATE: A one-bag mix of Eco-Crete TC will nominally cover: 120 ft² (11.1 m²) per unit as topcoat over 20/40 broadcast.

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete TC Part A into a measuring container. Then, **POUR THE MEASURED PART A INTO THE MIXING PAIL. ADD ONE POWDER PIGMENT BAG OR 3 OUNCES OF LIQUID COLORANT TO PART A** and mix for about 15 seconds.

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete TC Part B into a measuring container that is separate from the one used with the Part A. Then, **ADD THE MEASURED PART B TO THE PIGMENTED PART A** already in the mixing pail. **MIX FOR 15 SECONDS** or until thoroughly blended using a Jiffy® mixer.

POUR ONE ECO-CRETE TC PART C into the mixing pail. Blend thoroughly until all particles are wetted out, normally about two minutes. **NOTE:** *It is critical to use the same mixing sequence to ensure color consistency throughout the entire application.*

POTLIFE AT 75°F: *Mix only enough material, which can be squeegeed and rolled in a 15-minute period.*

POUR THE MIXED MATERIAL onto floor in ribbons. Using a flat squeegee move material uniformly across floor. Roll and backroll material using a ¼" nap roller to a uniform appearance. Do not over work.

ALLOW COATING TO DRY 24 HOURS at 75°F (24°C), 50% relative humidity before opening to light traffic. Allow more time at low temperatures, low humidity or for heavier traffic. Full coating properties take 14 days to develop.

APPLICATION – OPTIONAL COVE – ECO-CRETE CB

NOTE: *Cove installation may be done before placement of the floor; however, a smoother transition is achieved by installing the cove after the floor has been placed.*

COVERAGE RATE: The cove mix below typically covers 35 lineal feet (10.7 meters) at a height of 4 inches (101.6 mm). The coverage of the Eco-Crete CB could vary depending on its thickness (cove shape). The primer mix will cover 120 ft² (11.1 m²).

APPLICATION – PRIMER – ECO-CRETE TC

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete Part A into a measuring container. Then, **POUR THE MEASURED PART A INTO THE MIXING CONTAINER.**

Pour out 0.50 gallons (1.89 litres) Eco-Crete Part B into a measuring container that is separate from the one used with the Part A. Then, **ADD THE MEASURED PART B TO THE PART A** already in the mixing pail, and mix for 15 seconds.

POTLIFE: *Mix only enough material that can be applied within a 15-minute period.*

GRADUALLY ADD ALL CONTENTS OF A BAG OF ECO-CRETE TC FILLER into the liquid mixture and blend thoroughly until all particles are wetted out, normally about 2 minutes.

APPLY PRIMER TO WALL BASE OR EQUIPMENT PADS using a paint brush or roller that will receive cove. Allow primer to dry.

APPLICATION – COVE – ECO-CRETE CB

Pour out 0.25 gallons (0.95 litres) Eco-Crete Part A into a measuring container. Then, **POUR THE MEASURED PART A INTO THE MORTAR MIXER.** Begin mixing.

ADD ONE POWDER PIGMENT BAG OR 3 OUNCES OF LIQUID COLORANT TO PART A and mix for about 15 seconds.

Pour out 0.25 gallons (0.95 litres) Eco-Crete Part B into a measuring container that is separate from the one used with the Part A. Then, **ADD THE MEASURED PART B TO THE PART A** already in the mortar mixer. **POTLIFE:** *Mix only enough material that can be applied within a 15-minute period.*

POUR ONE BAG PART C into the mortar mixer. Mix until uniform (approximately one minute). The resin needs to completely wet out the sand.

POUR THE MIXED MATERIAL along wall or at the base of equipment pads

USE COVE TROWELS to apply, compact and finish material.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

For any preparation or application questions, please call Tennant technical support at 800-228-4943, option 3 (US & Canada), 800-832-8935 (International).

DISPOSAL

Dispose of all excess material, packaging and other waste in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

MAINTENANCE GUIDELINES

Allow floor coating to cure at least one week before cleaning by mechanical means (e.g., sweeper, scrubber, disc machine).

Care: Proper maintenance will increase the life and help maintain the appearance of your new Tennant floor coating. Sweep and scrub your new coating regularly, as dirt and dust are abrasive and can quickly dull the finish, decreasing the life of your coating. Remove spills quickly as certain chemicals may stain and could possibly permanently damage the finish.

Use soft nylon brushes or white pads on your new floor coating. Any brush more abrasive than a soft nylon or white pad can cause premature loss of gloss.

Detergent: Tennant has a full range of detergents--general purpose to heavy duty--for your cleaning needs. For assistance in determining which detergent is right for your facility or for additional technical information call: 800-228-4943, option 3 (US & Canada), 800-832-8935 (International).

Caution: Avoid scratching or gouging the surface. All floor coatings will scratch if heavy objects are dragged across the surface.

Do not drop heavy or pointed items on the floor as this may causing chipping or concrete popouts in the case of a weak cap.

Rubber tires can permanently stain the floor coating from plasticizer migration. Plexiglass® between the tire and the floor coating can prevent discoloration.

Rubber burns from quick stops and starts can heat the coating to its softening temperature, causing permanent marking.

Repair: Repair gouges or scratches or chip outs as soon as possible to prevent moisture or chemical contamination.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY

Tennant offers a limited warranty on all products. Please see the Tennant Coatings Limited Product Warranty Statement on our website at www.tennantcoatings.com/warranty. Please contact the Tennant Coatings Technical Support team for additional questions at 800-228-4943, option 3 (US & Canada), 800-832-8935 (International).