

Capstone Natural Hard Surface Sealer

Capstone is designed for all organic hard surfaces: natural stone(s), manufactured stone tile, concrete/cement, and ceramic. Capstone is both a sealer and a finish coat. Apply two thin coats for maximum performance properties. Follow the instructions below.

Capstone Item: CF-1139

Pot life: Capstone remains active for two (2) months after Hydrogrip is added.

Dry Time: 45-60 minutes at room temperature.

Storage: Store at room temperature

Application Temp (min-max): 55-85F

Coverage: 3200-3800 SF on smooth and non-porous surfaces. For very porous surfaces, like pavers, sandstone, and concrete coverage will be much less, to calculate usage, figure no more than 500 SF per gallon per coat.

Recommended Companion Products:

- CLN-100: Multifunctional, use at all stages of strip-outs and clean-up
- EcoLift Remover (CF-1136): Combination coating and finish remover and deep clean tile and grout at the same time.

Recommended Equipment and Supplies:

- Flat micro-fiber mop, recommended to use thinner mop heads. The more absorbent mop heads load too much product and do not release the product quickly.
- Squeeze bottle or mop handle with dispenser
- If applying to a very porous surface, a pump up sprayer and a roller 3/8" cover set-up.



Pre-application Precautions and Tasks:

- Thoroughly deep clean and completely remove existing finish. See Praetorian Prep Guides for instructions.
- Follow safety protocol, gloves and goggles.
- Tape off trim and door jambs with 2" painters tape, double or triple wide if breaking application room into sections.
- Outside the area of application, protect the floors.
- Mark off 'caution' areas with wet floor signs and warnings.
- Damp micro-fiber mop floor to remove dust and particles from the surface.

Capstone Mixing Instructions:

1. Capstone does soft settle. Turn the Part A container upside down and shake container vigorously until the sediment is completely shaken into the solution. Failure to shake settling into the solution will result in an increase in sheen and/or uneven sheen.
2. Pour Part B, Hydrogrip into Part A. Shake gently for 2-3 minutes to ensure both parts are thoroughly mixed together.
3. The mixed, Part A and Hydrogrip is functional for approximately two (2) months. After two months, add more Hydrogrip to reactivate the Capstone.

Mop-on Application Instructions:

1. Re-shake the Capstone, if it has sat after mixing
2. Pour Capstone in to squeeze bottle for easy distribution on floor.
3. Drizzle a small amount of Capstone onto floor.

4. Saturate the mop head.
5. Start mopping in figure-8 method. Spread the Capstone **very thin** (<0.5mils wet) into the surface.
6. Drizzle more Capstone as needed. DO NOT spread Capstone heavily. Do not apply more product to floor than you can mop quickly, but maintain your wet line. Capstone, on smooth surfaces spreads more than double of a standard floor finish.
7. Mop first coat into grout lines using mop long ways, then fill in the tiles. Go thin, thin, thin. Mop tiles both directions, but finish with one direction. If the floor has texture/faux grain lines, mop with the grain to spread as thin as possible.
8. Allow Capstone dry about 45-60 minutes. Walk-on time is 20-30 minutes, depending on surface & ambient temp & humidity. However, allow the full dry time to avoid re-wetting the first coat when applying the second coat.
9. Mop second coat opposite of first coat, unless you have a grained surface, then mop with grain.
10. Apply second coat.
11. Allow 60 minutes for foot traffic, longer if high humidity or cold floor condition

Spray-on Application instructions: When applying on rough or porous surfaces, apply Capstone with small pump up sprayer. Work in a team of two for best results; one on the sprayer, one on the roller.

1. Prepare paint roller, 3/8" microfiber cover.
2. Pour gallon of Capstone (after mixing) into pump up sprayer.
3. Spray in at a rapid speed. Avoid flooding / saturating the surface. This is not necessary and it will dramatically increase the dry time.
4. The roller person, follow immediately behind the spray person, rolling and evening out any pooled/ heavy spots of Capstone.
5. Allow to dry.
6. Apply second coat of Capstone.
7. Allow sufficient dry time. Expect a longer dry time, due to the increase of product applied.



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