

AQURON® 7000

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CONCRETE SOLUBLE CHLORIDE REDUCER

MANUFACTURER

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Aquron® **7000** is an odorless, clear to green, non-toxic, non-petroleum, water borne solution that is environmentally safe and user friendly.

BASIC USE

Aquron® 7000 readily penetrates/permeates Portland cement concrete when applied to its surface, reducing or eliminating soluble chloride as it does so (only soluble chlorides are relevant to embedded steel corrosion), without affecting the insoluble chloride content or reducing cement paste pH value, to depths of at least 3"-5"/75mm-100mm or more, depending on porosity/permeability of concrete being treated. Aguron® 7000 has the unique ability to arrest and/or prevent oxidationreduction reaction (corrosion) on embedded steel. Aquron® 7000 achieves this by implementing hydrochloric acid neutralization, oxide coat de-aeration, oxygen deprivation, and an increase in valence value of the embedded steel's protective coating whether corroding or not. Used as a preventive, Aguron® 7000 reduces or eliminates soluble chlorides left clinqing to pore space walls in newly placed concrete installations, effectively removing the potential of these soluble chlorides eventually migrating to the embedded steel of floors, slabs, etc. Aquron® 7000 will not alter the surface appearance or physical characteristics of the concrete, nor will it impair surface traction quality. An application of Aguron® 7000 will enhance surface bonding quality, making it an excellent primer for surfaces that are to be coated, if applicable.

Aquron® 7000 is non-destructive, eliminating the need to remove the concrete portion to get closer to or expose the embedded steel, and is environmentally safe and user friendly. Concrete surface may be wet or dry, but must be free of standing water. Treated area needs only to be closed to traffic during actual application and can be opened to traffic immediately following application. Aquron® 7000 is not a sodium silicate product.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Physical liquid
Color
(due to unique ingredients color may vary)
Odor slight
Specific gravity
Flash point none
pH12±
Toxicitynone
Boiling point
Freeze temperature
Hazardous vapors none
Weight per gallon9.15lbs/4.15kg
Environmentally neutral
User friendly
Shelf life indefinite
Freeze harmnone
(allow to thaw completely)
Surface bond quality excellent
Flammability none
VOC/VOS content none

SURFACE PREPARATION

Concrete surfaces should be structurally sound and clean of any contaminates or previous coatings that would adversely affect the penetration of **Aquron® 7000**. Surface may be either dry or damp, but must be free of all standing water. Do not apply to frozen substrate, or if freeze is expected during the next 12 hours. Areas to be patched or surfaced should be treated after loose unbonded matter has been evacuated and before actual patching or surfacing!

- Remove all carpeting, vinyl, tile, asphalt, etc., from areas to be treated.
- 2. Remove all loose, spalling or unsound concrete.
- Use a track blasting or sandblasting process to remove any previous treatments, adhesives, etc.

Note: When track blasting the spalled areas, the operator should take care to remove all oxidation from exposed steel reinforcing, especially from the bottom exposures. Immediately following the blasting operation, coat all the clean exposed steel with a quality rust inhibitor.

USAGE

To estimate volume of product needed, 175-200 sq ft per U.S. gallon/4.2-4.9m² per L on normal porosity/permeability concrete is suggested, however actual quantities required may vary due to porosity/permeability of concrete being treated.

■INSTALLATION

Installation requires using an airless paint sprayer with a 3/8" I.D. fluid hose, with a .017-.019 spray tip producing 1500 to 2000 p.s.i. outbound pressure. Aquron® 7000 is applied to point of concrete saturation twice, which is a point where runoff is about to occur, in back to back applications. To achieve this it is recommended that area to be treated should begin at a specific start point and treated to a specific finishing point. Then, without repositioning equipment and after the treated area has absorbed the Aquron® 7000 treatment (lost surface sheen), treat same area with second application before moving to next area to be treated. (Do not allow first application to dry; second application is applied to surface while still damp from first application.) Application is to begin at lowest point. Walls or steep slopes are to be applied from the bottom up. Fan spray patterns overlapped 25 to 30% to prevent holidays in coverage. If surface coating is planned, it is necessary to wait at least 12 hours after application then flush surface thoroughly with water and allow to completely dry before coating. Always prepare surface to coating manufacturer's specifications.

Apply Aquron® CPT-2000 to the Aquron® 7000 treated area while surface is still damp from Aquron® 7000 treatment (do not allow surface to dry before applying Aquron® CPT-2000). Apply Aquron® CPT-2000 according to Aquron® CPT-2000 specified application procedure.

Note: If concrete replacement is required in the repair work (see Step 1 above), apply **Aquron® CPT-2000** after the placement of repair concrete, if specifications allow. Both fresh concrete and adjacent cured concrete shall be wet, i.e. saturated surface dry (SSD), before applying **Aquron® CPT-2000**.

PRECAUTIONS

Remove spills or spray mist in contact with glass or glazed surface immediately as distortion of surface may occur. Do not allow product to dry, remove by flushing with water. Shiny aluminum may be dulled if contacted, metal is otherwise unaffected. Do not apply to frozen substrate, or if freeze may occur during next 12 hours following application.

WARRANTIES AND LIMITATIONS OF LIARILITY

Aquron Corporation ("Seller") warrants that if any goods supplied prove defective in workmanship or materials, that Seller shall replace them or refund their purchase price. Aquron Corporation offers a performance warranty for its Aquron® 7000 product. This warranty for the performance of Aquron® 7000 must be requested from the Aquron Corporation and initiated prior to applying Aquron® 7000. Failure to initiate warranty of performance prior to application, holds harmless Aquron Corporation of any liability arising from its use, and user assumes all risk and liabilities whatsoever in connection therewith. The terms of this paragraph may not be orally modified. There are no warranties express or implied which extend beyond the face herewith.

■ CLEAN-UP & SAFETY

No special clothing, breathing apparatus, goggles and gloves are necessary but in enclosed areas it is advisable to wear an organic vapor respirator to avoid possible irritation to breathing.

Attention should be made to watches, eyeglasses etc., as Aquron® 7000 and Aquron® CPT-2000 can etch glass or discolor aluminum if allowed to dry.

Clean equipment using water and mild soap. Never store spray equipment without cleaning and following manufacturer's recommendations for storage between usage.

■ SHELF LIFE

Shelf life is indefinite provided contains are kept tightly sealed when not in use.

PACKAGING

Aquron® CPT-2000 and Aquron® 7000 are available in 5 gallon/18.9 liters and 55 gallon/208.2 liters drum size. Aquron® CPT-2000 is also available in bulk containers.

MAINTENANCE

Special maintenance of treated area is not required.

TECHNICAL SERVICES

Technical information and assistance may be obtained from your local dealer, or by calling the technical department of the Aquron Corporation at (972) 412-4649, (800) 342-4649 Office, or (972) 412-1543 FAX or toll free FAX (888) 412-1543.

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