



# SHEP SELECT SELF-LEVELING

## ONE PART URETHANE SEALANT (POURABLE GRADE)

### DESCRIPTION

Shep Select Self-Leveling is a one part urethane sealant for sealing and protecting moving joints of all types.

### PRIMARY APPLICATIONS

- Concrete construction & control joints
- Precast concrete and masonry units
- Window perimeters
- Interior and exterior applications

### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Remains adhesively and cohesively bonded during temperature cyclic movement
- Passes accelerated weathering test for suitability in harsh environments
- USDA compliant
- Can contribute to LEED points

### COMPLIANCES

- Federal Specification TT-S-00230C, Type I, Class A.
- ASTM C 920-86, Type S, Grade P, Class 25, Use T, M, A, O, I.

### TECHNICAL DATA

Typical Engineering Data: The following results were developed under laboratory conditions:

Properties	Actual Result	Requirement
Rheology @40°F (4°C)	Self-Leveling	Self-Leveling
Hardness	35	25 to 50
Weight Loss	5%	10% max
Tack Free Time	30 hours	72 hours max
Adhesion-in-Peel (<25% bond loss)		
Concrete	16 to 20 PLI	> 5 PLI
Aluminum	30 to 34 PLI	> 5 PLI
Granite	30 to 34 PLI	> 5 PLI

Shep Select Self-Leveling will accept normal traffic in 48 hours if curing temperature is 70°F (21°C) and 50% relative humidity. Expect complete cure within two weeks.

Appearance: Standard: white, limestone and gray Special Order\*: buff and black. \*Special orders may require two week lead time.

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

**Joint Dimensions:** Joint width should be 4 times the expected joint movement, but not less than 1/4" (6 mm).

Width to depth ratios should be equal for joints that are 1/4" (6 mm) to 1/2" (13 mm) in width. If joint width is greater than 1/2" (13 mm), depth of Shep Select Self-Leveling must be kept at 1/2" (13 mm) maximum. Installation of Shep Select Self-Leveling deeper than what is recommended can cause bubbling or incomplete curing of the material.

**Surface Preparation:** New concrete must be minimum of 28 days old. The joint must be clean and sound. All oil, dirt, debris, paint and any other material that could be a bond breaker must be removed. The final step in cleaning should be the complete removal of all residue with a vacuum cleaner or pressure washing. Substrates must be dry - application in wet or damp joints will cause bubbling of the material.

**Priming:** When the product will be used on non-porous surfaces (metal, granite, etc.) or when sealant will be underwater, a primer must be used.

**Mixing:** Shep Select Self-Leveling is a one part product and requires no pre-blending. It should be used directly from the container.

**Placement:** Can be used with a standard caulking gun. Horizontal joints requiring large quantities of material may be dispensed directly from the pail or a can with a pour spout.

**Finishing:** Although not normally required, tooling should be done immediately when necessary. Solvent may be used if necessary to help with tooling.

**Curing:** Shep Select Self-Leveling requires no special curing instructions. A skin forms on the surface within 24 hours @ 75°F (24°C) and 50% relative humidity. Total cure time should be within 2 weeks after placement.

**Clean-Up:** Tools, equipment and general clean-up can be done with a solvent, acetone or toluene.

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## PACKAGING

30 oz (887 ml) tube ..... 54 in<sup>3</sup> (884 cm<sup>3</sup>)

## SHELF LIFE

Six months in original, unopened package.

## LIMITATIONS

- Use only at temperatures above 40°F (4°C).
- Contact surfaces must be clean and dry.
- Proper joint design will affect performance.
- Shep Select Self-Leveling deeper than what is recommended can cause bubbling or incomplete curing of the material.
- For a faster cure, use a two part urethane.
- No heavy traffic until the product has cured.
- In all cases, consult the MSDS before use.

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