

**PRO COLOR**™ *PREMIUM* 

# 2. MANUFACTURER

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#### 3. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

PRO COLOR<sup>™</sup> PREMIUM is a powerful, 100% acrylic colorant and sealer that is used to recolor and restore all types of cement-based and epoxy grouts. PRO COLOR PREMIUM comes in all PROMA colors and, when dry, permanently seals the grout to help protect it against mold, mildew and stains.

#### **Features**

- Color-matched to all PROMA grout colors
- Provides an economical solution for correcting existing grout color without removing grout
- Use over existing sanded, unsanded or epoxy grout
- For interior and exterior, residential and commercial use
- Recommended on cement grout in high humidity areas (sauna, showers, around pools)
- Easy to apply
- Stain-resistant seal
- · Cleans up with soap and water
- Provides outstanding results and long-lasting performance
- Inhibits the growth of mold and mildew
- Contributes to LEED® objectives and requirements

# **Packaging**

237 mL (8 oz) bottle

#### Limitations

- Do not use at temperatures below 10°C (50°F) or above 35°C (95°F).
- Do not use PRO COLOR PREMIUM over recently installed grout. Allow grout to fully cure (at least 7 days) prior to application.
- Do not use for submerged applications, such as pools or fountains.

# 4. TECHNICAL DATA

#### **Applicable Standards**

For Additional Information, please refer to the most recent TCNA handbook for ceramic tile installation or the TTMAC Specification Guide 09 30 00 Tile Installation Manual, or visit our website at www.proma.ca.

WORKING PROPERTIES (@23° C [73° F] and 50% RH)		
Drying time	30 minutes	
Application of 2nd coat	2-4 hours	
Final cure	24 hours (normal traffic) 72 hours (heavy traffic)	



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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES (@23° C [73° F] and 50% RH)		
Thinning	Not required	
Flash point	< 101° C (214° F)	
Sheen	Flat 10 at 60°	
Approximate coverage per 237 mL (8 oz) bottle		

	Joint width			
Tile size	3 mm (1/8")	4.5 mm (3/16")	6 mm (1/4")	
25 x 25 mm (1" x 1")	_	4.7 m <sup>2</sup> (50 ft <sup>2</sup> )	_	
75 x 75 mm (3" x 3")	_	7.9 m² (85 ft²)		
10 x 10 cm (4" x 4")	18.6 m <sup>2</sup> (200 ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.8 m <sup>2</sup> (95 ft <sup>2</sup> )	7.4 m <sup>2</sup> (80 ft <sup>2</sup> )	
15 x 15 cm (6" x 6")	20.9 m <sup>2</sup> (225 ft <sup>2</sup> )	10.2 m <sup>2</sup> (110 ft <sup>2</sup> )	8.8 m² (95 ft²)	
25 x 25 cm (8" x 8")	23.2 m <sup>2</sup> (250 ft <sup>2</sup> )	11.6 m² (125 ft²)	10.2 m <sup>2</sup> (110 ft <sup>2</sup> )	
33 x 33 cm (12" x 12")	27.9 m <sup>2</sup> (300 ft <sup>2</sup> )	13.4 m² (145 ft²)	11.6 m <sup>2</sup> (125 ft <sup>2</sup> )	
41 x 41 cm (16" x 16")	33.4 m² (360 ft²)	16.3 m² (175 ft²)	12.5 m <sup>2</sup> (135 ft <sup>2</sup> )	
33 x 66 cm (12" x 24")	37.2 m <sup>2</sup> (400 ft <sup>2</sup> )	18.1 m² (195 ft²)	13.9 m <sup>2</sup> (150 ft <sup>2</sup> )	
Shelf life				

The coverage data is approximate and given for estimation purposes only.

36 months if kept in its original unopened packaging and stored in a dry location.















#### 5. INSTALLATION

# **Surface Preparation**

- Thoroughly clean and lightly etch all grout surfaces to be coated using PRO NET II
  ceramic tile and grout cleaner, removing all dust, dirt, soap-scum, contaminants and
  other deleterious materials (see technical data sheet for details).
- Remove any sealer or protector from grout using PRO DECAP for water-based sealers, or PRO REMOVER II for solvent-based sealers (see respective technical data sheets for details).
- Sealing of porous tile with PROSEAL II is recommended prior to application of grout colorant to ensure it is not absorbed into the tile and cause staining (see technical data sheet for details).

#### Mixing

No mixing required. PRO COLOR PREMIUM comes in a ready-to-use bottle.

# **Application**

NOTE: If using more than 1 bottle of a single color for an application, mix all material together in a larger container prior to use to ensure color is consistent. Sealing of porous tile may be required prior to application. Always test color on a small, inconspicuous area prior to use.

A stiff nylon brush, rubber gloves, clean sponge and pail of warm soapy water will be needed for application.

- Using a stiff nylon brush, scrub grout joint until clean. Add cleaner as needed. Remove all dust, dirt, grime, soap-scum, mold, contaminants and other deleterious materials.
- 2. Thoroughly rinse grout joints with water, removing all residue. Use a clean sponge and water in cleanup.
- 3. Apply a bead of colorant directly to grout joint.
- 4. Spread colorant evenly onto grout surface using a good quality nylon brush or roller, working it deeply into the surface using a back-and-forth motion. For best results, apply in two coats (waiting 2-4 hours drying time between coats).
- 5. PRO COLOR PREMIUM cleans up easily with warm, soapy water and a sponge or rag. After 30 minutes drying time (depending upon climate conditions), remove the remaining excess product from tile using a sponge or rag, being careful not to scrub the grout joint.

# **Curing and Protection**

PRO COLOR PREMIUM is ready for light foot traffic after only 2-4 hours, normal foot traffic after 24 hours, and heavy, commercial traffic after only 72 hours. Allow up to 72 hours drying time for areas subjected to high humidity.

# Cleaning

PRO COLOR PREMIUM cleans up easily with warm, soapy water and a sponge or rag.

#### **Health and Safety**

Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for complete details.

#### 6. AVAILABILITY AND COST

PROMA products are widely available in Canada and the Northeast United States. To find a distributor of PROMA products, call **toll-free:1.866.51.PROMA (77662).** 

#### 7. WARRANTY

PROMA warrants that this product is manufactured using quality raw materials and is of merchantable quality and suitable for the purpose for which it was intended. PROMA's liability under this warranty shall be limited to the replacement of its product proven to be defective. Neither seller nor manufacturer shall be liable for any injury, loss or damage, direct or consequential, arising from the use of/or the inability to use this product.

# 8. MAINTENANCE

Product requires no special maintenance. Do not leave without floor covering or exposed as a resurfacing material.

# 9. TECHNICAL SERVICE

For more detailed information on this product, please contact our technical department for proper recommendations and job field assistance. Toll-free: 1.866.51.PROMA (77662).

#### **10. FILING SYSTEM**

Additional information is available upon request, or by visiting www.proma.ca.

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