

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

## **USE & CARE MANUAL**

## **PLUGGER 25** ™

# with *MICRO-LOK™*High Performance Masonry and Wood Sealer

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Rainguard *PLUGGER 25* is a high-performance modified silicone acrylic water-repellent and sealer for application on painted and unpainted surfaces. May be used as a primer to seal previously painted or wood substrates.

## **Features and Benefits:**

- Flexible and breathable
- Helps prevents efflorescence
- · Protects wood from swelling, shrinking, or grain raising
- Seals and binds chalked surfaces, and improves adhesion of topcoat materials
- May be applied to previously painted and properly prepared surfaces
- May be applied to concrete or stucco as a curing agent to promote hardening
- UV protectant

## **How To Use**

Rainguard *PLUGGER 25* is supplied ready to use. DO NOT THIN. Mix thoroughly prior to use. Avoid application in windy weather. In hot weather, lightly dampen surfaces with clean fresh water to avoid premature or flash drying.

## **Porous Vertical Surfaces**

Start first coat application at the top of the wall. Apply flood coat with a 6"- 8" rundown and back roll material into surface voids. Apply second coat when the first coat is dry.

## **Vertical Concrete Surfaces**

Material may be applied as soon as the forms are removed. Surfaces shall be clean and free of form oils and release agents. Start first coat application at the top of the wall. Apply saturation coat and back roll materials. Apply second coat when the first coat is dry.

Warranty Period: CSI Three Years

Division 3, 4, 7 & 9

Part Numbers:

I Gallon CR-1525 5 Gallon CR-1526 32 Ounces CR-1525 Value Pack ( 6 Quarts) CR-1527PK

### TECHNICAL DATA:

Material Type Modified Silicone Acrylic
Active Solids Content
Color of Material
Odor Modified Silicone Acrylic
Approximately 25.0%
Milky White Liquid
Slight Latex Odor

Appearance When Dry Dries Clear

V.O.C. <15 g/L V.O.C. Compliant

Flash Point Non-Flammable PH Value Approximately 9.6

Viscosity 9.6 Seconds No. 4 Ford Cup

Weight 8.7 lbs./gal.
Surf Dry Time I Hr @ 70° F
Application Temp 40° to 90° F

## **RECOMMENDED USES:**

Split Face Block Stucco

Smooth Block
Adobe Block
Brick
Horizontal Concrete
Vertical Concrete
Wood

Cement Plaster
Slump Block
Painted Surfaces
Chalked Surfaces
Aggregate Panels
Natural Stone

Wall Board EFIS

Clay Roof Tiles

## COVERAGE RATES (THEORETICAL):

 Substrate
 Sq Ft/ Gallon

 Porous Masonry
 60-100

 Dense Masonry
 100-150

 Stucco/EFIS
 150-200

 Wood
 175-200

 Painted Surfaces
 400

**Notes**: Use of fluted or scored block or raked joints will increase surface areas by 20%-30% or more and decrease coverage rates.

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#### **Horizontal Concrete Surfaces**

Apply two saturation coats to damp concrete to assist the curing and hardening process. Apply one saturation coat to existing concrete surfaces to dustproof surfaces. Remove excess standing or ponding materials with a roller. *Caution*: *PLUGGER 25 is not recommended for application to surfaces subject to wheeled traffic.* 

### **Brick**

Apply one saturation coat with run-down and back roll material. Apply second saturation coat when the first coat is dry.

## Stucco/Plaster

May be applied to stucco or plaster during the curing process or when fully cured. Apply one saturation coat and back roll materials. Apply second coat when the first coat is dry.

## **Chalked Surfaces**

Apply one coat to chalked surfaces. Allow material to dry and check surface for chalking. Apply a second coat to surfaces as needed to control remaining surface chalk.

## Wood

Surfaces shall be clean and bare. Pre-treat knots with a small amount of material. Apply a minimum of one saturation coats to wood surfaces. Apply second coat when the first coat is dry.

## **Masonry and Concrete**

All surfaces to be coated shall be structurally sound, clean, and dry, free of laitance, accumulated dirt and grime, efflorescence, lime run, form oils and release agents, grease, mud, excess mortar, and mold and mildew, etc. Remove loose and peeling paint, excessive chalk, and other contaminants from surfaces. Dry brushing is the preferred method for cleaning surfaces prior to material application. However, chemical, mechanical, abrasive, or high-pressure water blasting may be used. Allow wet, cleaned surfaces to dry for 2-3 days before application of materials.

## **EFIS and Other Surfaces**

Surfaces shall be structurally sound, clean, and dry. Clean EFIS surfaces following manufacturer's recommendations.

## **PRECAUTIONS:**

Do not apply to surfaces if moisture content is greater than 15% as measured with an electronic moisture meter. Do not apply materials in climates where freezing temperatures have existed prior to application. Allow adequate time for surfaces to thaw. Establish that air, surface, and material temperatures are above 40°F (4.4°C) and at least 5°F above the dew point prior to painting. Do not apply at temperatures below 40°F or when temperatures are expected to drop below 40°F within 48 hours of application. Do not apply if rain, snow, or lower temperatures are expected within 48 hours. Do not apply if relative humidity is greater than 90%.

Use material in a well-ventilated area. Protect the work of other trades. Protect shrubbery and other plants with drop cloths. Protect automobiles and all other areas not to be coated from over-spray. Remove overspray from any windows, automobiles, metal, etc. as soon as possible should it occur. To prevent permanent staining, clean spills or leaks in a timely manner.

Store materials in a well-protected area between 45° and 90°F. Avoid freezing temperatures, direct sunlight, and moisture. Keep away from heat sources.

All cracks (other than hairline) shall be pointed or caulked. All voids and bee holes or other masonry surface defects shall be repaired, allowing patching materials and sealers to cure prior to application of materials. Repair wood surfaces using commercially available wood patching compound.

## **Test Panel**

Always apply material to a mock wall or test panel. Test wall or actual surface area to determine acceptable color, surface porosity, application rates and methods before starting general application. Approve sample surface prior to general application.

## LIMITED WARRANTY PROCEDURES/INFORMATION

The information contained herein is offered in good faith and is believed to be accurate. To be eligible for a Rainguard Warranty the following must occur:

- A site visit must be conducted by an employee or agent of Rainguard and a Field Inspection Report completed.
- 2. A Warranty Application must be fully completed by the applicator.
- Field Inspection Report, Warranty Application, and a copy of the distributor's invoice must be submitted to and approved by Rainguard.

This material is only warranted when applied in accordance with the manufacturer's guidelines and warranty procedures. Without adherence to these specific guidelines, no expressed or implied warranty of this product is given. Please contact Rainguard for additional information.

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