

TECHNICAL BULLETIN PRODUCT #525 ALUMINUM REFLECTIVE ROOF COATING "SILVERWHITE"

FLUID APPLIED ROOFING SYSTEMS

REFLECTIVE COATINGS

ASPHALT SEALCOATS

1.0 DESCRIPTION & RECOMMENDED USE

#525 SilverWhite is a durable, water based, specially-formulated aluminum asphaltic emulsion which has been developed to resist rigorous weather conditions while protecting roof surfaces and can contribute to energy savings. #525 SilverWhite has excellent elongation and tensile strength. When properly applied #525 SilverWhite reflects up to 76% of sun rays. This prevents premature aging and roof burn-out by reducing UV degradation and thermal shock. The product dries to a flexible, elastomeric, slightly textured film with a beautiful metallic finish which will significantly slow down the aging of a roof system. #525 SilverWhite is recommended for use on metal, smooth BUR, mineral surface, emulsion and Glas Shield roof systems.

2.0 TECHNICAL DATA

PigmentFlammability	Asphalt Emulsion - ASTM D1227 Type III Highly Polished Aluminum Flake Wet: Non-flammable Dry: Class A
	. Heavy paint, for heavy duty spray or brush
	(Initial) 76% ASTM E97
	166% ASTM D412
Tensile Strength	31 psi ASTM D412
Weatherability	Excellent
Flexibility	Excellent
Weight Per Gallon	Approximately 8.5 lbs.
Application Temper	ature Min. 50° F Max. 100 °F (ambient)
Drying Time	(70°F @ 50% r.h.) @100 sq.ft./gal. = 1 hour
Container Sizes	5 Gallon, 55 Gallon Drums, Bulk**

2.0 DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Surface must be dry and free of dirt, dust, oil, grease, wax, rust, chalky or loose paint, mildew and any other surface contamination that may inhibit adhesion. Repair cracks, breaks, open seams, and other roof imperfections with a heavy sealer such as #800 or #8000 Elastic Cement. When coating over newly-applied asphalt emulsions such as #298 or #298E, proceed when the emulsion is thoroughly dry and cured. Rinse surface to remove any water-soluble oils causing "tobacco staining". #525 SilverWhite performs best when applied over new asphalt emulsion surfaces. The curing time of asphalt emulsion is 3 to 10 days in warm, dry weather. New, smooth, asphalt "glazed" surfaces should be allowed to age for 1 to 3 months then coated with #298 or #298E Asphalt Emulsion Roof Coating before applying the #525 SilverWhite. For best results existing roof surfaces, especially mineral surfaced, should first receive a base coat of #298 or #298E Asphalt Emulsion Roof Coating. Apply the emulsion at a rate of 2 to 3 gallons per 100 square feet. Allow to cure 3 to 10 days, as described above, then apply #525 SilverWhite.

#525 SilverWhite can be easily recoated when necessary. Make sure to clean existing **#525 SilverWhite** before applying the new coating or for best results recoat the surface with 2 to 3 gallons per 100 square feet of **#298** or **#298E Asphalt Emulsion Roof Coating**.

3.0 APPLICATION

- 1. Clean surfaces thoroughly before applying **#525 SilverWhite**, scrubbing with a detergent solution if necessary to remove oils and other residues. Flush immediately with a strong stream of water. Make sure waste water is disposed of in compliance with all applicable environmental safety regulations.
- 2. Stir thoroughly to ensure uniform application by brush or spray. Roller is less effective. For best results spray apply. If brushing use a 24 inch wide soft bristle broom. Wind-row the #525 SilverWhite and at an angle, broom the #525 SilverWhite in place. Apply uniformly over entire roof surface. #525 SilverWhite may be applied over a damp (not wet) surface. Apply only when coating will not be subject to heavy dew, rain or moisture within 72 hours of application.

 3. COVERAGE: 100 Square feet per gallon depending on specification and type of surface.
- 4. CLEAN UP: All tools and equipment may be cleaned and flushed with water.

PRECAUTIONS: Do not apply #525 SilverWhite when surface or air temperature is below 55° F, or if cold weather, rain or fog is expected within seventy-two hours of application. When applied properly #525 SilverWhite is an excellent, water repellent product. Nevertheless, it is not recommended on surfaces that pond water for extended periods of time. Do not apply #525 SilverWhite over asphalt emulsion prematurely. The asphalt emulsion must be dry and cured. If #525 SilverWhite is applied on uncured asphalt emulsion, it may turn gray, dark gray or brown. #525 SilverWhite not only has to look dry, it must be completely cured to be fully protected against moisture. Do not apply #525 SilverWhite in the late afternoon or evening when ambient temperatures are low, if rain is imminent or dew is expected to form. This could cause premature graying or browning or eggshell crazing. Drying time may vary depending upon wet film thickness, temperature, humidity and air movement

NOT RECOMMENDED OVER ASPHALT OR WOOD SHINGLES, OR IN ROOF AREAS WITH INADEQUATE DRAINAGE.

READ AND FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY. REFER TO MSDS FOR PROPER HANDLING.

STORE CONTAINERS IN COOL, DRY, PROTECTED AREA. KEEP FROM FREEZING

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