

Floor Finish and Concentrates

Floor care



Tri-Tex co inc.

Coat, seal, and glow!

Tri-Tex has been developing superior innovative products for the floor care industry for many years.

We offer a unique range of products used in floor polishes and sealers for a broad range of industrial, commercial, and household applications.

Utilizing cutting-edge product technology, and supported by the industry's best after-sales service and technical support, we are fully committed to improving the products of our customers in the floor care industry. **1995**: Combining 68 years of experience, Texall Inc. and Trichromatic Techno-Chem merge to become Tri-Tex co inc. They now total 150 employees, and one year later they receive ISO 9001 certification allowing them to export to Europe and South America.

2001: Tri-Tex co inc. begins construction of a new polymer plant that includes three reactors for emulsion polymer production.

2004: Construction division begins production of styreneacrylic emulsion for the construction industry. (Coatings, flooring, roofing, cement admixture, PSA)

2005: Adhesives division specializes in polyvinyl acetate polymers for woodworking, paper and textile markets.

2005: Tri-Tex co inc. acquires industrial adhesive group Sealrez Inc. They count more than 14 years experience in the adhesive industry. Product lines include hot melts, polyurethanes, and water-borne and solvent-based epoxies.

2006: More members join the Tri-Tex co inc. family: EPOXYTECH, specializing in epoxies and urethanes for the electrical, flooring, tooling and marine industries.

2010: Tri-Tex co inc. is joined by Chemor, an epoxy flooring company with more than 40 years experience in this field.

2011: Tri-Tex co inc. creates a new division for concrete admixture, including a hyperplasticizer from the polycarboxylate copolymer family.







Wax Emulsion

Triperm PE-108

Low-density polyethylene.

Triperm PE-54-N 30%

Copolymer emulsion for floor polishes requiring color stability and high gloss.

Triperm PE-91-L 35%

High-density polyethylene emulsion.

Triperm PP-50-L 40% Modified polyolefin emulsion. Extremely hard finish.

Alkali-soluble Resin

Texasist GA-32

An acrylic terpolymer resin solution designed for floor polishes.





Polymer Emulsion

Tripoly FF-200

Extremely tough, ultra high-speed buffable polymer.

Tripoly FF-300

Hard, low-maintenance polymer.

Tripoly FF-400

General purpose polymer for application on all substrates.

Tripoly MF-401General purpose, metal-free cross-linked styrene acrylic copolymer (zinc free).

Tripoly SE-14 New

Styrene-acrylate emulsion for water-base sealer (zinc free).





Floor Finish Classifications

A "self polish" (drybrite) floor system is ideal for areas where the use of a floor machine is not practical or unavailable. The surface is maintained by dust-mopping and spot or damp mopping. When the floor begins to show signs of wear, a thorough cleaning and rinsing will prepare the recoat. The worn area is "touched-up" with an additional coat of finish to restore its gloss. This system requires periodic stripping to renew the floor.

Spray buffing is designed to clean, remove heel marks, repair, and improve the gloss of the floor finish. The basic concept is to maintain the floor finish film with a buffer (175 rpm) and a spray buff chemical that will remove the light soil-load and polish the floor in one step.

A heavy soil-load will require pre-cleaning to prevent dirt from being spray-buffed into the floor finish. Spray-buffed floors should be heavily scrubbed and rinsed prior to recoating.

High speed burnishing using electric buffers (1100 rpm) has become a standard method of floor maintenance, and produces the very popular "wet look". Burnishing is a polishing process and is not designed to clean floors. Pre-cleaning of floors is necessary prior to high-speed burnishing. As with spray buffing, it is necessary to have a strong base of floor finish to maintain. The use or a thermally responsive floor finish will produce better results. Spray buff compounds and mop and buff restorers are also suitable in a high-speed burnishing maintenance system.

Ultra high-speed burnishing using propane, batteries, or an electric buffer (1500 – 2500 rpm) has become the quintessential floor maintenance system. More than any other floor care system, ultra high-speed burnishing requires the proper selection of floor finish, floor restorer, pad, machine, and cleaners. The system is based on the use of a thermally responsive floor finish burnished with ultra high-speed machines. Gloss can be appreciably enhanced with a mop and buff restorer. Cleaning and buffing compounds are also adaptable. Ultra high-speed burnishing is not a cleaning process and requires cleaning prior to use. This is the ultimate "wet look" process.



Standard Ingredients

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INGREDIENT	%	USE
Water	40-50	Acts as a carrier.
Acrylic polymer <i>Tripoly</i> *	30-40	Forms a durable film.
Polyethylene waxes Triperm*	5-15	Modify the acrylic polymer, contribute to slip resistance.
Coalescent Glycol Ether DE	5-6	Contributes to film formation.
Alkali soluble resin Texasist*	0-5	Levelling agent, aids in film removal.
Plasticizers <i>TBEP</i> * (Tributoxyethyl Phosphate)	1-3	Provide continuous plasticization.
F.C. Wetting agents	0.01- 0.03	Help levelling process.
Defoamers	0.02	Reduce foaming.
Stabilizers	0-1	Provide shelf life stability.
Preservative	0.01-0.1	Protects against bacterial contamination.

^{*}Available for Tri-Tex







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