1 Product Name

Aqua Mix® Grout Colorant

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3 Product Description

An easy-to-use, professional grade waterborne epoxy that recolors, seals and rejuvenates dirty or discolored existing grout joints. Use with a variety of grout types, including cement, epoxy, urethane and Single Component® grouts. Also simplifies ongoing grout cleaning by helping to guard against stains by sealing and protecting recolored grout. Includes Microban® antimicrobial protection that prevents the growth of stain-causing mold and mildew on cured colorant.

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Key Features

- Easy application and clean-up
- · Durable epoxy formula
- Simplifies ongoing grout cleaning

Uses

- Sanded, unsanded, epoxy, urethane and single component grout joints
- Effective for interior and exterior applications.

Limitations to the Product

- Grout Colorant is not recommended for use underwater in pools, ponds, or on areas subject to hydrostatic pressure.
- Do not use solvent-based cleaners, abrasive equipment or highpressure washing equipment on recolored grout joints.
- Previously applied sealers, with the exception of <u>Aqua Mix®</u>
 <u>Penetrating Sealer</u>, <u>Aqua Mix® Grout Sealer</u>, <u>Aqua Mix® Pro-Solv</u>,
 <u>Aqua Mix® Ultra-Solv®</u> or <u>Aqua Mix® Sealer's Choice® Gold</u>, must be removed to provide a bondable surface. <u>Aqua Mix® Sealer & Coating Remover</u> is recommended for this procedure.
- Porous tile may require sealing to ensure colorant is not absorbed into the tile.

4 Technical Data

Technical Properties Chart

- Excellent stain resistance
- Complies with all Federal EPA and SCAQMD standards for VOC

Environmental Consideration

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Custom® Building Products is committed to environmental responsibility in both products produced and in manufacturing practices. Use of this product may contribute towards LEED® certification:

- Up to 2 points towards MR Credit 5, Regional Materials
- · Complies with all Federal, SCAQMD, and CARB standards for VOC's

5 Instructions

General Surface Prep

Test a small area according to application instructions, with a minimum 1-hour cure time to determine desired results.

Application of Product

USE CHEMICAL-RESISTANT GLOVES, such as nitrile, when handling product.

Read entire label before using. SHAKE WELL before using. For new installations, Grout Colorant can be applied a minimum of 48 hours after grouting depending on jobsite conditions and ambient temperature. Grout joints must be clean, dry and free of existing sealers or coatings. Prepare existing grout joints:

MOST TILE & STONE: Use <u>Aqua Mix® Grout Colorant Pre-Treat</u> <u>Cleaner</u> or <u>Aqua Mix® Cement Grout Haze Remover</u>.

ACID-SENSITIVE STONE OR SINGLE COMPONENT GROUT JOINTS: Use Aqua Mix® Heavy-Duty Tile & Grout Cleaner.

EPOXY OR URETHANE GROUT JOINTS: Use <u>Aqua Mix® Sealer & Coating Remover</u>.

If more than 1 bottle of a single color is to be used, mix the material together in a large container to ensure uniformity of color. Spread evenly using the Applicator Brush or toothbrush, working Grout Colorant into joint using a back-and-forth motion. Thin, even coats should be applied, limiting the amount of Grout Colorant that gets on the tile. If going from a dark to light grout color, more than 1 application may be necessary with a minimum 2-hours drying time between coats. After Grout Colorant has dried 1 or more hours (never more than 12 hours), lightly mist surface with water and let stand 5 minutes. Remove excess Grout Colorant from surface of tile using water and a white nylon scrub pad. Ready for surface traffic in 2 hours. Keep area dry for at least 24 hours. Avoid direct scrubbing on grout joints for 20 days to allow a full cure.



Drying Time

2 hours

Cleaning of equipment

Clean tools with water and soap before material dries.

Health Precautions

MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY IRRITATE EYES AND SKIN. Wear skin and eye protection. Contains styrene-acrylic copolymer. If in eyes, flush with water for at least 15 minutes. If on skin, wash with soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention. If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting, seek medical attention. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

6 Availability & Cost

Location	Item Code	Color	Size	Package
USA	63001	White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63002	Antique White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63003	Linen White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63004	Navajo	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63005	Buff	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63006	Sand	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63007	Beige	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63008	Wheat	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63009	Cinnamon	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63010	Cocoa	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63011	Light Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63014	Black	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63015	Bright White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63016	Canvas	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63017	Smoke	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63021	Silver	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63022	Natural Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63023	Pewter	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63024	Charcoal Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
USA	63025	Pure White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063001	White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063002*	Antique White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063003	Linen White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063004*	Najavo	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063005*	Buff	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063006*	Sand	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063007*	Beige	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063008	Wheat	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063009*	Cinnamon	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063010	Cocoa	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063011	Light Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063014	Black	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063015*	Bright White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063016	Canvas	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063017*	Smoke	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063021*	Silver	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063022	Natural Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063023*	Pewter	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063024	Charcoal Gray	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle
Canada	C063025	Pure White	8 oz (237 ml)	Bottle

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* Indicates a special order item

All colors to match with all Custom Building Products grouting products are also available through special order.

Final installed shade may vary with the tile type, color and porosity as well as jobsite conditions and finishing techniques. For best results, perform a test on a small, inconspicuous area or create a sample board prior to installation.

7 Product Warranty

Obtain the applicable **LIMITED PRODUCT WARRANTY** at www.custombuildingproducts.com/product-warranty or send a written request to Custom Building Products, Inc., Five Concourse Parkway, Atlanta, GA 30328, USA. Manufactured under the authority of Custom Building Products, Inc. © 2017 Quikrete International, Inc.

8 Technical Services Information

For technical assistance, contact Custom technical services at 800-272-8786 or visit <u>custombuildingproducts.com</u>.

9 Filing System

Additional product information is available from the manufacturer upon request.

10 VOC Content

Maximum VOCs: Less than 60 grams per liter

Expected Wear

Expected Wear Up To 15 Years

Will vary depending on hardness and texture of surface, type of area, surface wear, frequency, and type of maintenance products used. Weather conditions, harsh cleaning methods and high-alkaline, acidic or solvent-based cleaners will affect wear.

Handling & Storage

- Close container tightly after each use
- Store in original container only
- Store in and use in temperatures between 45° F to 85° F (7° C to 29° C)
- Store in areas inaccessible to small children
- Do not reuse empty container, wrap and discard in trash or recycle
- Product is freeze-thaw stable

Related Products

Aqua Mix® AquaKleen™

Aqua Mix® Grout Colorant Pre-Treat Cleaner

Aqua Mix® Cement Grout Haze Remover

Aqua Mix® Heavy-Duty Tile & Grout Cleaner

Aqua Mix® Sealer & Coating Remover



Coverage

Size	Min Coverage	Max Coverage
8 oz (237 mL) Bottle	50 ft ² (4.6 M ²)	300 ft² (28 M²)

Depends on width and porosity of grout joint, size of tile, and method of application.



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