

Congratulations on selecting Dex-O-Tex Stamp-Cote Flooring. Just follow the recommendations below to maximize the life of your new surface.

Cleaning

Cleaning your new Stamp-Cote surface is simple. Just wash with mild cleaning solution such as Dex-O-Tex Surface Cleaner. Use a brush to remove tough, ground-in soil, stubborn stains or residual compounds. Rinse thoroughly with clean water. Regular cleaning will prevent build-up of residue, which can make the deck surface slippery when wet. In exterior locations, keep Stamp-Cote surfaces swept free of leaves. Decomposing leaves will stain the finish.

Maintenance

Stamp-Cote can be damaged by gouging or scraping with sharp objects and should be protected against such damage. All snow removal should be accomplished using snow shovels, which must be carefully handled to avoid damaging the surface. Do NOT use ice chippers on Stamp-Cote. The use of chloride-type ice and snow melting compounds will not damage Stamp-Cote, although they may leave a white deposit, which will require careful cleaning to remove.

Stamp-Cote is typically coated with Weatherseal. The traffic topping is designed to withstand normal everyday wear and direct exposure to the elements when installed as per manufacturer's application instructions. Over a period of time the traffic topping will need to be recoated with Weatherseal. This is required when traffic patterns become visible in the decking. This should be approximately 5 to 7 years in normal traffic areas and every 3 to 5 years in high traffic areas such as stairways and access corridors.

Should your Stamp-Cote installation become damaged, it can be repaired by you or a qualified Stamp-Cote applicator. Repair kits ("mini Kits") are available from your Stamp-Cote contractor. Each kit contains instructions for use.

Common Problems to Avoid

Do not lay rubber mats or exterior carpet-type surfacing over Stamp-Cote. In order to function properly, Stamp-Cote must "breathe". Prolonged coverage with impermeable matting may result in debonding of the Stamp-Cote surface.

Avoid heavy point loads being applied directly to the surface.

Do not expose the Stamp-Cote system to harsh chemicals or acids.

Do not subject the Stamp-Cote to continuous heavy rolling loads.



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