

## Anti-Graffiti Coating Systems GRAFFITI GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER

### PRODUCT PROFILE

**DESCRIPTION** 

**GRAFFITI GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER** is a proprietary, state-of-the-art, environmentally-friendly, GREEN cleaner used to clean graffiti off surfaces that have been protected with TEX-COTE® GRAFFITI GARD® IV GLOSS and LOW LUSTER. GRAFFITI GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER is nearly O VOC (<1) cleaner that effectively removes graffiti safely in a short period of time without pungent odors or fumes leaving the GRAFFITI GARD® IV film intact to continue protecting against graffiti.

**FEATURES** 

- Water-Based
- pH Neutral (7)
- Non-Combustible/No Special Handling

**BENEFITS** 

- VOC's <1%
- Non-Hazardous

- Clings to Vertical Surfaces Without Drips and Runs
- Typically Works in 15 Minutes

No Fumes

• Cleans Graffiti Off Permanent Anti-Graffiti System

RECOMMENDED PRIMERS/SUBSTRATES

Use over GRAFFITI GARD® IV GLOSS and LOW LUSTER systems to remove graffiti.

## PRODUCT APPLICATION

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

GRAFFITI-GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER may be applied by brush or roller. Use of a soft bristled brush for scrubbing is recommended for hard to clean areas.

**APPLICATION RATE** 

Quantity of cleaner needed will depend on the amount of graffiti to be cleaned and the surface texture to be cleaned. One quart of cleaner will usually clean approximately 40-50 square feet of affected area.

**WORKING TIMES** 

GRAFFITI-GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER should be allowed to sit on graffiti 10 minutes prior to light scrubbing with soft bristled brush. If the product dries, simply re-wet and continue with scrubbing. Use an additional 5-minute dwell time before rinsing or pressure washing for hard to clean areas.

**GRAFFITI REMOVAL** 

Graffiti should be removed as soon as possible. Prolonged exposure requires more effort to remove. Spray paint graffiti should be removed with GRAFFITI GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER followed by power washing.

- 1. Using a brush or roller, coat graffiti areas liberally with GRAFFITI GARD® IV BIODEGRADABLE CLEANER.
- 2. Allow to sit for ten (10) minutes.
- 3. Scrub area with a soft bristled brush. Allow an additional five (5) minute dwell time for hard to clean areas.
- 4. Pressure wash area.
- 5. A second application may be necessary for aged graffiti.

### **BEST PERFORMANCE**

IMPORTANT STEPS

- Conduct cleaning when temperatures are between 45-90°F. AVOID FREEZING.
- Temperatures above 90°F may result in the product drying. If this happens, simply re-wet and continue.
- Remove graffiti as soon as possible for ease of removal.
- A second application may be necessary for aged graffiti.

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

PHYSICAL PROPERTY	TYPICAL RESULT
Active Ingredient	Proprietary Mixture of Low Toxicity Components
Appearance of Dry Film	Creamy Paste
Calculated VOC	<10 grams/Liter
Coverage Rate	40-50 sq ft/quart
Flash Point Degrees F	N/A

PHYSICAL PROPERTY	TYPICAL RESULT
Odor	Slight Almond
рН	7
Solubility in Water	Complete
Weight/Gallon (pounds)	8.17 lbs, Typical



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## **ORDERING INFORMATION**

PACKAGING Available in one (1) quart and one (1) gallon containers.

COVERAGE RATES

Quantity of cleaner needed will be dependent on the amount of graffiti to be cleaned and the surface substrate. One quart will clean approximately 40-50 square feet. One gallon will clean approximately

160—200 square feet.

SHELF-LIFE 6-Month Shelf Life under proper conditions:

Containers are sealed, upright and airtight in a dry place.
Maintain temperature of 45°F to 100°F (7°C to 37.7°C).

• AVOID FREEZING.

### SAFETY

Use protective clothes, glasses, and gloves when applying and cleaning.

• Use with adequate ventilation.

• Follow recommendations on Safety Data Sheets (SDS).

VOC COMPLIANCE All TEX-COTE® products comply with federal Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) rules and regulations.

Please contact your nearest TEX-COTE LLC office for assistance on the local and state VOC compliance in the area of intended use.

### WARRANTY

Upon completion of the application of the coating in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, TEX-COTE LLC will extend its limited commercial warranty for product replacement as a result of a defect in the material. The manufacturer must be notified prior to the application of the coating and the application must be in compliance with the manufacturer's recommendations for installation. TEX-COTE LLC shall have no obligation to contribute to or otherwise participate in labor or cost associated with effecting repairs. Specimen copy of material warranty is available upon request.

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