

# **OPTIPAVE**<sup>TM</sup>

# Surface Seal

SMT-215

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# **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION & BENEFITS**

**OPTIPAVE™** Surface Seal is a Ready-To-Use clay stabilized asphalt emulsion featuring a unique combination of asphalt cement and specialized clay designed as a high performance surface treatment for asphalt pavements.

OptiPave<sup>™</sup> protects and extends the useful pavement life by replacing the vital surface oils, locking down the loose aggregates and preventing damage caused by oxidation, weather, and traffic. OptiPave<sup>™</sup> is an ideal choice to maintain residential streets, airports, highway shoulders, asphalt pavements, slurry seal and chip seal surface treatments.

Excellent film integrity, bonding, ultra-violet and fuel resistant properties provide superior protection against traffic, oxidation, and other environmental stresses.

OptiPave™ will not run onto adjacent concrete surfaces, resists traffic scuffing and tracking and retains a dark black non-glare color.

### **BASIC USES**

OptiPave™ is an excellent maintenance strategy for residential streets, airports, highway shoulders and other areas where value and performance are critical. Also ideal for maintaining slurry seal and chip seal surface treatments.

# COMPOSITION

OptiPave $^{\text{TM}}$  is a clay stabilized asphalt emulsion bituminous surface treatment fortified with adhesion promoters.

#### **SIZES**

OptiPave $^{TM}$  is available in bulk tankers, 275-gallon totes, 55-gallon drums, and 5-gallon pails.

### **COLOR**

OptiPave™ dries to a deep, rich black color.

### LIMITATIONS

Ambient and surface temperature must be at least 55°F and rising during application.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS**

OptiPave<sup>™</sup> contains no cutbacks, solvents, flammables, or coal tar. Contains less than 10 g/l VOC (< 1%)

TABLE 2 - ENVIRONMENTAL PROPERTIES			
PAH Content (Percentage)	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbon Content (Percentage)	Less than one-tenth of 1% (< .10%)	
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)	Determination of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) in Coatings	Less than 10 g/l (< 1%)	

TEST	METHOD	SPECIFICATION	RESULT
EMULSION:	•	<u> </u>	
Uniformity	ASTM D 2939.05	Product shall be homogeneous and show no separation or coagulation that cannot be overcome by moderate stirring.	PASS
Viscosity, Kreb Units	ASTM D 562	45-75 KU	PASS
Specific Gravity @ 60°F	ASTM D 2939.07	>1.06	PASS
VOC Content by Volume %	ASTM D 244-89	< 10 g/l (< 1%)	PASS
RESIDUE:			
By Evaporation, %	ASTM D 2939.08	30% Min.	PASS
Flash Point, °F	ASTM D 93	450 Min.	PASS
Softening Point, °F	ASTM D 36	I80°F Min.	PASS
PERFORMANCE TESTING:	•	·	
Resistance To Heat	ASTM D 2939.14	No sagging or slipping beyond the initial reference line after 212°F exposure for 2 hours.	PASS
Resistance To Water	ASTM D 2939.15	No blistering or re-emulsification after 24 hour submersion in water.	PASS
Wet Flow	ASTM D 2939.19	No flow beyond initial reference line.	PASS
Direct Flame Test	ASTM D 2939.20	No continued combustion or slippage and run-down.	PASS
Wet Film Continuity	ASTM D 2939.22	A uniformly homogeneous consistency.	PASS
Resistance To Kerosene	ASTM D 2939.25	No evidence of leakage of kerosene, loss of adhesion and discoloration of tile.	PASS
Wet Track Abrasion	ISSA (TB-100)	Calculated weight loss, percentage of original volume. I% Max.	PASS
Accelerated Weathering	ASTM G 154	UVA-Weatherometer no cracking, chipping, surface distortion or loss of adhesion. No color fading or lightening.	PASS

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### **INSTALLATION**

- Surface cracks must be clean and free from loose debris, dirt and dust.
- Cracks should be sealed with approved crack sealants.
- OptiPave<sup>™</sup> is designed to be applied by computer rate control asphalt spreader or standard sealcoat spray distributor trucks.
  Hand spray wands and squeegees may be used for smaller areas and trim.

# **MIXING PROCEDURES**

OptiPave™ is Ready-To-Use. DO NOT DILUTE.

### **APPLICATION RATE**

Apply OptiPave<sup>™</sup> at a rate of .12 to .18 gallons per square yard (50-75 square feet per gallon). Ultimate coverage will depend upon pavement age and porosity. OptiPave<sup>™</sup> is provided Ready-To-Use; DO NOT DILUTE. OptiPave<sup>™</sup> is applied as a one coat application.

**Application Rate over Chip Seal:** Apply OptiPave at a minimum of .2 gallons per square yard (45 square feet per gallon) over chip seal surfaces.

Drying Time: Allow OptiPave<sup>™</sup> to dry thoroughly before resuming traffic. Under ideal conditions (70°F 50% relative humidity), OptiPave<sup>™</sup> will typically dry in less than 2 hours. Lower surface and ambient temperatures may result in longer drying times.

# **ESTIMATING MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS**

To estimate gallons of OptiPave™ required to cover a specific area use the following coverage rate:

One gallon of OptiPave™ will cover approximately 5.55 to 8.33 square yards per gallon (50-75 square feet per gallon). Actual coverage rate may vary due to pavement age and porosity.

When applying over chip seal, one gallon of OptiPave will cover approximately 5 square yards per gallon (45 square feet per gallon).

Precautions: Both surface and ambient temperature shall be a minimum of 55°F and rising during application. Temperature shall not drop below 55°F in a 24 hour period following application. New asphalt surfaces should be allowed to cure a minimum of four weeks under ideal weather conditions (70°F) before applying OptiPave™. Keep Out Of Reach Of Children. Do not store unopened drums or pails in freezing temperatures.

# **PACKAGING AND AVAILABILITY**

OptiPave is available in 5-gallon pails, 55-gallon drums and bulk tanker load quantities. OptiPave is supported by a national network of SealMaster manufacturing facilities along with a national network of qualified applicators.

### **WARRANTY AND DISCLAIMER**

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