

# NewLook International, Inc. EnduraStain™ Faux Fusion

NewLook International, Inc. EnduraStain™ Faux Fusion is a single component ready-to-use water-based nano-engineered semi-transparent concrete stain used for coloring concrete slabs and other porous masonry surfaces making it look as if it was stained with acid.

## Mixing Instructions

1. EnduraStain Faux Fusion is ready-to-use however must be agitated or mixed well before use. Due to its low-build nature, pigments may settle during storage and should be properly agitated and mixed from the bottom up to ensure consistent color. Once in use, the pigments should suspend well in the solution during application, however during long-breaks it may be helpful to re-agitate. □
2. EnduraStain Faux Fusion is ready to go and designed to be semi-transparent with a single application. If less opacity is desired, you may dilute but not with more than more than 25% water. □

## Application Instructions

**To achieve an acid stain look**, EnduraStain should be applied very lightly with a NewLook applicator brush or HPLV sprayer. When using a brush simply dip the brush into the container holding the stain and apply lightly with various random motions. Do not over-apply pressure; spread the stain as far as it will go, leaving no puddles. Apply with high and low areas to create variations within the same color. Using multiple colors in subsequent applications or blending wet on wet may result in beautiful artistic finishes. Wait about 45 minutes to an hour between applications. Applying too early with a brush may result in removing the first coat when applying the second.

An HVLP sprayer, airless sprayer, or pump sprayer may be used. Assure the material is applied according to the desired outcome.

**To antique stamped surfaces**, apply EnduraStain Faux Fusion liberally over the well-prepped stamped surface. The stain will settle into the low-lying areas and enhance the surface with varying color intensities resulting in a beautiful finish. The semi-transparent nature of the product as well as the special type of pigments used enhanced the look very easily. Consider installing Endura Solid Color stain™ first as a base color before installing Endura Faux Fusion. While not always necessary, the Endura Solid Color Stain can help to hide surface discolorations that might manifest or transpire through the Endura Faux Fusion stain.

NOTE: All EnduraStain colors are compatible; they can be mixed, sprayed simultaneously and layered to achieve a desired appearance. Always complete a representative jobsite sample or jobsite mockup.

## PREVIOUSLY SEALED SURFACES

### Application Instructions

After cleaning the previously sealed surface, apply EnduraStain to an inconspicuous section of the surface. Allow the stain to dry. Test for adhesion by running your hand over the stained surface. If you are unable to rub the stain off, it has achieved adhesion. Apply EnduraStain to the remaining area. Allow at least 1 -2 hours after EnduraStain has initially cured and dried before applying SmartSeal™ or up to 8 hours for other compatible sealers over EnduraStain. If adhesion is questionable, remove the existing coating using EasyStrip 1000 or EasyStrip 2000. Clean the surface thoroughly before applying EnduraStain. Always reseal after applying EnduraStain over a previously sealed surface.

## DRY TIMES, CURING & POST APPLICATION

Complete drying times will vary depending on concrete temperature, air temperature, humidity, concrete porosity, and other local conditions.

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- Surface should not get wet for at least 2-4 hours following application
- Wait a minimum of 1-2 hours after EnduraStain has initially cured and dried before applying EnduraStain or up to 8 hours before applying compatible sealers.
- Always test sealers for compatibility before using.
- Follow sealer wait-time recommendations for foot or vehicular traffic.