MICRON VCT

Category: Micron
System: Micron VCT
Products: NeverStrip Micron Primer - Vinyl Seal or Micron All Surface Sealer- 220 Grit Coarse pad - 800 Grit Condition Pad - 8000 Grit Burnish Pad
Surface: VCT



Step 1: Floor Preparation

Strip all floor finish:

- Use NeverStrip Floor Finish Eliminator (test first), or quality Floor Finish Stripper..
- Plan for 125% effort compared to stripping for reapplying floor finish.
- Micron Sealers are clear and thin, so they won't hide old floor finish, soil, or marks.

Step 2: Smoothing/Polishing the Surface

- Use an auto scrubber, a 175-rpm, or square scrub type floor machine with an 800 grit Diamond Pad in the final scrub/rinse step.
- This step smooths and evens the VCT, resulting in a higher quality finish with Micron Sealers.
- Allow floor to dry completely before commencing Step 3.

Step 3: Apply Micron Primer

Three Applications:

- Spread rate: 3,000 sq. feet per gallon/application.
- Pre-dampen the microfiber pad by spraying Micron Primer onto it.
- Apply the first application heavier than the second.
- Work in sections 3' x 6':
- Spray the product onto the section and spread with a microfiber pad using this method. NOTE: Micron Primer goes down at twice the rate of that shown in Micron Sealer Application video.
- If working with a partner, the spraying should occur just before spreading.

Important Tips:

- Do NOT pull product from one section to another.
- Do NOT overwork the product.
- Overlap adjoining sections by a couple of inches to avoid skips.
- Allow 25 minutes for drying before applying the next coat.

Step 4: Apply Vinyl Seal or Micron All Surface Sealer (MASS)

Two Applications:

- Spread rate: 5,000 sq. feet per gallon/application.
- Pre-dampen the microfiber pad by spraying product onto it.

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• Work in sections 3' x 6':
• Spray product onto the section and immediately spread with a microfiber pad using this method.
• Apply a thin coat; thinner is better. The Vinyl Seal/MASS should not appear white during application.
• If working with a partner, the spraying should occur just before spreading.

Important Tips:
• Do NOT pull product from one section to another.
• Do NOT overwork the product.
• Overlap adjoining sections by a couple of inches to avoid skips.
• Allow 10 minutes for drying before applying the next coat or allowing traffic.

Step 5: Burnish for Higher Shine (Optional)
• Wait 25 minutes after final Vinyl Seal or MASS application.
• Burnish with NeverStrip 8000 Grit Burnish Pad using an electric or propane burnisher.

Caution:
Keep water off the floor for 8 hours.

Post-Application Maintenance:
Scrub the floor with an 8000 Grit Clean and Buff Pad and Micron Clean (1 oz./gallon of water), then burnish with a designated 8000 grit Burnish Pad during the first 1–2 weeks to remove marks/scuffs/surface scratches from the sealer during its initial curing.

Additional Resources:
Product Data Sheets and other resources are available at www.neverstrip.com.
Click here for Cleaning and Maintenance instructions.