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Pavement Solutions

PITCH BLACK®
ASPHALT EMULSION SEALCOAT

WHAT IS PITCH BLACK®?

Pitch Black® is a custom rubberized asphalt emulsion blended with select minerals, polymers and chemicals to produce the finest product. Each additive was selected for its characteristics that ultimately produce a sealcoat with the deepest and longest lasting color, firmest body, and greatest durability. It is extraordinarily tough, flexible and water repellent. The co-efficient of expansion and contraction of Pitch Black® asphalt pavement sealer is identical to that of asphalt pavement and has a natural affinity for bonding to asphalt pavement. Performance in the field and lab testing confirm the superiority of Pitch Black® over competitive products in the marketplace.

- ▶▶ Provides a non-slip surface for walkways, tennis courts, playgrounds, parking lots & traffic areas
- ▶▶ Seals in asphalt oils / seals out ultraviolet rays and water
- ▶▶ Fills in and smooths pavement voids
- ▶▶ Restores the surface to a rich, black color
- ▶▶ Non-toxic, non-tracking and easy to clean up
- ▶▶ Easy to apply - squeegee, broom, or spray application
- ▶▶ Protects your investment - prolongs the life of your asphalt pavement



PITCH BLACK® VS COAL TAR

Are you a coal tar advocate? Chances are, you've tried one brand of asphalt emulsion sealcoat and had a negative experience. We've heard about the fading, cracking, limited durability, etc. of asphalt emulsion products that hit the market and crashed. But did you know that Pitch Black® Asphalt Emulsion Sealcoat has been in the industry for almost 30 years? The West Coast has been using asphalt emulsion sealcoat since the 1980's. Coal tar was abandoned by most West Coast contractors to avoid the risk of harmful health and environmental effects. With the right asphalt emulsion sealcoat formula, you can get even better performance from your sealcoat without the drawbacks of coal tar. Here are some points to consider:

PITCH BLACK®

- ▶▶ **Non-toxic** - no hazardous material placards needed
- ▶▶ **Easy to clean up** - can be cleaned up with water
- ▶▶ **Dries quickly** - you can stripe the same day
- ▶▶ **Compatible** with water-based or oil based striping paint
- ▶▶ **Easy to apply** - can use squeegee or spray application
- ▶▶ **Longevity** - maintains a lasting deep black color
- ▶▶ **Cost-effective** - can apply to new asphalt much sooner (complete jobs faster and more efficiently)

COAL TAR

- ▶▶ **Toxic?** - considered hazardous by growing number of states & can burn skin
- ▶▶ **Difficult to remove** - cleaning requires solvent and may leave yellow stains
- ▶▶ **Longer drying** and set up time
- ▶▶ **Not compatible** with oil-based striping paint (may turn stripes brown)
- ▶▶ **SAME**
- ▶▶ **Color Lightens** - usually turns to blue tint in a relatively short period of time.
- ▶▶ **More Costly** - must wait longer for new asphalt to cure (usually 30-90 days)
- ▶▶ **Restricted** - a growing number of states are drafting legislation to restrict and/or eliminate the use of coal tar

THE PITCH BLACK® FORMULA

The Pitch Black® Asphalt Emulsion formula was engineered and developed in the early 1980's. The owners of the formula have been in the asphalt rehabilitation and repair industry for three generations. With hundreds of millions of square feet of pavement being sealed with Pitch Black® every year, it's no wonder it's one of the most sought after, respected, and well-protected formulas in the industry today. Pitch Black® can be applied on any asphalt surface including driveways, parking lots, shopping centers, malls, school playgrounds, airports, etc. It's asbestos-free, contains no carcinogens, and is non-flammable. Pitch Black® is environmentally friendly and is the perfect solution to any residential, commercial, or industrial asphalt project. Pitch Black® is licensed by U.S. Seal International, Inc..



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PITCH BLACK® SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

The benefits of using Pitch Black® asphalt emulsion sealcoat are easy to see. If you think all sealcoats look the same, think again. Pitch Black® manufacturers use quality suppliers, plant machinery specifically built to produce Pitch Black® and a scientific formula testing time and time again to create consistent results. We encourage you to test Pitch Black® against its competitors. We truly believe Pitch Black asphalt emulsion sealcoat speaks for itself.



Physical Properties

Color	Deep Black
Solids Content	50% Minimum by Weight
Weight Per Gallon.....	9.71 lbs Minimum
Fiber	Non-Asbestos
Flammability (Wet)	Non-Flammable
Flammability (Dry).....	Burns Slowly

Meets the following specifications:

ASTM D-217 Cone penetration at 77°F
ASTM T-45 56% Non-volatile soluble in trichloroethylene by weight
ASTM D 3910 Wet track abrasion test
Fed. Spec. TT-C-555B - Accelerated weathering (2 year exposure)
Fed Spec. TT-C-551B - Resistance to wind driven rain (98 mph)

No Toxic Chemicals

No Solvents. No Petroleum Distillates (i.e. Kerosene, Gasoline, Diesel). No Bull

The formula never had it and never will.
Download our material Safety Data Sheets online. Pitch Black® has been used for over 25 years and is the perfect eco-friendly alternative to coal tar.