

MAPEFLOOR CPU+/NZ

High-performance polyurethane-cement mortar for screeds from 4 to 6 mm



DESCRIPTION

Polyurethane-cement mortar developed by MAPEI's Research Laboratories, trowel-applied in 4 to 6 mm, for the protection of industrial floors, non-slip, antimicrobial and easy to sanitize, featuring high chemical and mechanical performances and thermal shock resistance from -25°C up to +80°C, with operating temperatures range from -20°C to +80°C, depending on the thickness.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Mapecolor CPU+/NZ provides a protective resin system for industrial floors featuring:

- depending on the thickness applied, resistance to thermal shocks due for example to spillage of hot liquids:
4 mm: -20°C up to +70°C
6 mm: -25°C up to +80°C;
- fast hardening;
- non-slip profile;
- high chemical resistance against acids, bases, saline solutions, solvents, hydrocarbons in general. For more details, refer to the related chemical resistance table;
- high resistance to impact and abrasion;
- impermeability to liquids in general;
- odourless during application and hardening;
- low VOC content;
- no bacterial growth;
- complies with the requirements according to EN 13813 "Screed material and floor screeds - Screed material - Properties and requirements", which defines the requirements to be applied to materials for screeds used in the construction of internal floors.

ADVANTAGES

- Fulfills HACCP requirements;
- suitable for the food industry;
- easy to sanitize;
- non-tainting for food;
- fast return to service;
- ease for warehousing management; components A, B and **Mapecolor CPU+** are common to whole **Mapecolor CPU+** product range;

- sustainability: it can contribute to LEED credits. EPD (Environmental Product Declaration) compliant.

WHERE TO USE

Mapefloor CPU+/NZ is mainly used to create polyurethane-cement based systems with a no-slip surface profile, for industrial floors especially in dry or wet production and logistic areas, where a durable, resistant and easy to clean and sanitize surface is required.

Mapefloor CPU+/NZ is typically used in the chemical and pharmaceutical, textile and tanning industries, canning in general, sugar refineries, dairies, wineries and beverage companies in general, meat and fish processing, production and storage areas of food companies in general, commercial and industrial kitchens, freezing rooms and wherever mechanical and resistance to chemical spillage are requested.

COLOURS

Mapefloor CPU+/NZ must be mixed with the specific **Mapecolor CPU+** pigment available in grey, beige, red, green, ochre, blue and orange colour. Please, always refer to the Mapei Technical Service for a detailed assessment of the most suitable system and colour for the specific case. The colour also helps to define the overall performance of the system.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Do not apply **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** on wet substrates or on concrete younger than 7 days.
- Do not dilute **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** with solvents or water.
- Do not apply **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** on dusty or crumbly substrates.
- Do not apply **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** on substrates contaminated by oil, grease, or dirt in general.
- Do not apply **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** on not properly prepared substrates.
- Do not mix partial quantities of the components to prevent mistakes in the mixing ratios which would cause incorrect hardening of the product.
- Do not expose the mixed product to heat sources.
- Do not apply **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** on ceramic substrates or stone materials in general with no appropriate specific preparation of the laying surface.
- **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** exposed to UV rays could lead to noticeable colour changes; this phenomenon does not affect the performance of the coating in any way.
- The colour of **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** can also change in case of contact with certain chemicals; the colour variation itself is not an indication of chemical aggression on the coating.
- Remove as soon as possible any chemicals in contact with the **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ**.
- For cleaning use suitable equipment and detergents depending on type of dirt to be removed.
- Protect **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ** from water for at least 24 hours after the application.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Substrate characteristics

Substrates must be solid, compact, stable, sound, clean, and properly designed for static and dynamic loads foreseen in the operating conditions. The flatness must be defined by the needs of use. At the time of application, compressive strength of the concrete or cementitious mortar used for the repair must be higher than 25 N/mm² and the direct tensile strength at least 1.5 N/mm².

The substrate surface must appear visually dry. There must be no capillary rising damp as well (verify with the polythene sheet test).

In the case of substrates such as ceramic tiles, natural stones, or old resinous coatings, they must be perfectly stable and anchored to the substrate, intact, sound, and clean. These substrates require specific preparation methods for the laying surfaces. In the case of old resinous coatings, it is recommended to also perform a compatibility test with the new system to be applied.

Substrate preparation

The surface of the floor must be prepared with specific mechanical equipment such as for example shotblasting or milling machine, to remove all traces of dirt, any contamination for the entire thickness concerned, cement laitance, crumbly or detached parts and make the surface rough and absorbent. Any defects such as holes, pitting, cracks, etc. must be repaired using, for example, **Primer SN** possibly filled with quartz sand or a thixotropic agent like **Additix PE** or with **Mapefloor JA** or **Mapefloor JA Fast** depending on the width and depth of the defects and cracks.

For the reconstruction of heavily degraded areas and joints, the filling of large depressions, repairs, or minimal localized changes to slopes, etc., please contact the Technical Service.

Before proceeding with the application of the material, the surface dust must be carefully vacuumed.

Anchor grooves

The anchor grooves on the concrete must be made with a suitable mechanical joint saw. The dimensions (depth and width) must be approximately twice as the thickness of **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ**.

They must be provided along the perimeter of the area, near all the vertical lines such as walls and pillars, around the drainage channels and wells, on the thresholds of the doors, around the feet of the machinery, in general along each free edge and the interruptions of the installation, such as joints that clearly define the end of the working day and the beginning following one.

The maximum distance between parallel grooves must not exceed approximately 15 meters. If it exceeds this measure, it will be necessary to make intermediate cuts.

In case concrete has not fully completed its hygrometric shrinkage, it is advisable to make the anchor grooves also along the cracks control joints. It will make it possible to seal the joint in case the shrinkage crack appears in the joint (therefore also on **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ**) even without removing part of the floor, as the entire area straddling the joint is already well anchored.

Temperature

To avoid condensation on the surface, the substrate temperature must be at least 3°C above the dew point. The relative humidity of the air must be lower than 80%. The surrounding temperature must be between +10°C and +30°C.

In case of application at temperature above +25°C, store the material in a sheltered spot at lower temperatures. This will allow to get longer pot life and get the application simpler even at high temperatures. In case of temperature below +15°C, store the material in a warmer place (heated room temperature) to avoid the risk of too high viscosity of the mix making the application harder and turning into a potential problem of aesthetics effect.

Application of the primer

Primer is normally not necessary. However, in case of substrate that does not require repair or levelling, it is advisable to use the specific **Mapefloor CPU+/Primer** to saturate the pores of the concrete surface to prevent the potential formation of pinholes on **Mapefloor CPU+/NZ**.

For further information regarding the preparation, mixing, consumption, and application details of **Mapefloor CPU+/Primer**, please refer to the related Technical Data Sheet.

Product preparation

Shake the packs containing the liquid components A, B and **Mapecolor CPU+** pigment.

Pour a pack of component A and a pack of **Mapecolor CPU+** into a clean bucket and mix for a few seconds until a homogeneous mixture is obtained. Then add a pack of component B and mix again with a suitable low-speed electric mixer until completely blended.

Then slowly and gradually add all component C, continuing to mix for at least three minutes until a homogeneous mixture is obtained. We recommend the use of specific low-speed mixers for mortars, such as those with vertical rotation axis or those with static mixing blades and rotating container. At temperatures lower than +23°C this time could be slightly longer.

Only mix whole packs of components A, B, C and **Mapecolor CPU+** to prevent potential mistakes in the mixing ratios which could compromise the entire system.

Product application

Immediately after mixing, pour all mixed **Mapecolor CPU+/NZ** on the floor and spread it evenly to the required thickness with a smooth trowel or a squeegee fitted with thickness rulers. Once the application has been completed, it is advisable to smooth the surface with a suitable roller. Excess of working with tools on the surface of **Mapecolor CPU+/NZ** could reduce the roughness of the applied product due to the bleeding of the resin.

It is advisable to proceed with the installation of the product in such a way as to ensure that the material that has just been poured can be connected to the one already laid when the latter is still fresh and workable. This way the signs of conjunction will be minimized.

Apply the mix within the useful pot life indicated in the table. The higher the temperature, the lower the pot life; the lower the temperature, the higher the pot life.

CONSUMPTION

Mapecolor CPU+/NZ:

4 mm thickness:

6 mm thickness:

approx. 2.0 kg/m² per mm thickness

approx. 8 kg/m²

approx. 10 kg/m²

The consumption is influenced by the roughness and absorption of the substrate as well by the environmental and working conditions of the job site.

TOOLS CLEANING

Equipment used to prepare and apply **Mapecolor CPU+** product range must be cleaned with thinner for polyurethanes immediately after use. Once the product has hardened, it can only be removed mechanically.

FLOOR CLEANING

The first cleaning after laying **Mapecolor CPU+/NZ** must only be carried out after the product has completely hardened. Early washing could lead to the formation of stains/shading due to the surface not yet perfectly closed and still partially absorbent.

For periodic and extraordinary washing, use suitable and specific machines, equipment and detergents for the type of stains and dirt to be removed.

PACKAGING

Mapecolor CPU+ Component A: 2 kg pack

Mapecolor CPU+ Component B: 2.16 kg pack

Mapecolor CPU+/NZ Component C: 17 kg bag

Mapecolor CPU+: 0.23 kg pack

STORAGE

12 months in the original sealed packaging and kept in a dry and shelter spot at temperatures between +10°C and +30°C. Components A and B can be damaged by frost. **Mapecolor CPU+/NZ** part C is sensitive to humidity.

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION AND APPLICATION

Instructions for the safe use of our products can be found on the latest version of the Safety Data Sheet, available from our website www.mapei.com.

When the product reacts, it generates considerable heat. After mixing components A, B and C, we recommend applying the product as soon as possible and to never leave the container unguarded until it is completely empty.

TECHNICAL DATA (typical values)

PRODUCT IDENTITY

	comp. A	comp. B	comp. C	Mapecolor CPU+
Colour:	Milky white	Amber	White grey	Grey, beige, red, green, ochre, blue, orange
Appearance:	Liquid	Liquid	Powder	Paste
Density:	1-1.05 g/cm ³	1.2 g/cm ³	–	1.30-1.60 g/cm ³
Bulk density:	–	–	1.85-2.05 g/cm ³	–
Viscosity at +23°C:	200-600 mPa·s (# 2 - rpm 20)	100-160 mPa·s (# 1 - rpm 50)	–	5,000-9,000 mPa·s (# 5 - rpm 20)

APPLICATION DATA

Mixing ratio:	A + B + C + Mapecolor CPU+: 2.0 / 2.16 / 17 / 0.23
Colour of the mix (Mapecolor CPU+ included):	Grey, beige, red, green, ochre, blue, orange
Consistency of the mix:	Semi-fluid
Density of the mix:	1,925 kg/m ³
Pot life at +23°C:	15 min.
Temperature of the surface:	From +10°C to +30°C

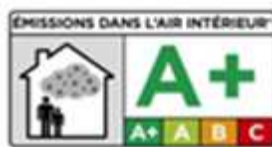
FINAL PERFORMANCE at +23°C and 50% R.H.

Tack free:	2-4 h
Pedestrian traffic:	8 h
Traffic time:	Light traffic 24 h
Complete hardening:	4 gg
Shore D after 28 days (DIN 53505):	85
Slip resistance (EN 13036-4):	Class I (wet internal surfaces) Class II (dry internal surfaces)
Depth of water penetration under positive pressure (EN 12390-8):	No penetration (5 bar/ 3 days)

Essential characteristics	Test method	Requirements according to EN 13813 for cement screeds	Typical values
Flexural strength:	EN 13892-2	from F5 to F50	F10
Compressive strength:	EN 13892-2	from C5 to C80	C50
Adhesion strength:	EN 13892-8	≥ B1.5	B2.0
Permeability to water:	EN 1062-3	declared value	w < 0.1 kg/(m ² ·h ^{0.5}) (Class III)
Permeability to water vapour:	EN ISO 7783	class I: S _D < 5 m (permeable) class II: 5 m ≤ S _D ≤ 50 m class III: S _D > 50 m (not permeable)	4.9 mm*: class II (*applied average thickness)
Impact resistance:	EN ISO 6272	≥ IR4	IR20
Abrasion resistance BCA:	EN 13892-4	≤ AR6	AR0.5
Chemical resistance:	EN 13529	CR group number (from 1 to 15a) and class (1 or 2)	CR9, CR10, CR11, CR12 (Class 2)
Resistance to thermal shock:	EN 13687-5	rigid system with traffic: ≥ 2 N/mm ²	≥ 3.5 N/mm ²
Reaction to fire class:	EN 13501-1	declared value	B _{FL} -s1

Indoor Air Comfort GOLD – VOC Emission

French VOC Regulation
(Decree of March /April 2011 modified in February 2012)



French CMR components
(Regulation of April/May 2009)

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Italian CAM Edilizia
(DM23.06.2022 n.256, GURI n.183 06/08/2022)

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AgBB
(Regulation AgBB/DIBt)

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Belgian Regulation
(Royal decree of May 2014)

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Indoor Air Comfort
(Indoor Air Comfort 8.0 of June 2022)

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Indoor Air Comfort GOLD
(Indoor Air Comfort GOLD 8.0 of June 2022)

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WARNING

Although the technical details and recommendations contained in this product data sheet correspond to the best of our knowledge and experience, all the above information must, in every case, be taken as merely indicative and subject to confirmation after long-term practical application; for this reason, anyone who intends to use the product must ensure beforehand that it is suitable for the envisaged application. In every case, the user alone is fully responsible for any consequences deriving from the use of the product.

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