



Product Knowledge

Glitsa Gold Seal Lite Scent

Glitsa Gold Seal Lite Scent is a one-component pre-catalyzed coating. It was designed to coat over Glitsa Sealer or Bacca after their respective dry times of four to six and 16 hours. Lite Scent can also coat over Gold Seal or itself after a 24-hour period. The preceding dry times are based on normal environmental conditions and ventilation.

Lite Scent is supplied to our customers in four sheens:

- Gloss with a 90+ gloss reading
- Semi-Gloss with a 40 to 45 gloss reading
- Satin with a 35 gloss reading
- Matte with a 20 gloss reading

All four sheens are 20 percent solids products. The coverage rate for Lite Scent is 350 sq. ft. per gallon. Drying time is four to five hours, with maximum cure achieved after 60 to 90 days. The floor can withstand light foot traffic 24 hours after the final coat is applied.

Application techniques and tools are the same for Lite Scent and Gold Seal. After Lite Scent has fully cured, the result equals the appearance, durability and performance of Gold Seal. This is because the resin systems in both are identical. Additives such as Glitsa Retarder may be used in the same proportions in both products.

Therefore, we are often asked, “What is the difference between Lite Scent and Gold Seal?” The primary distinction is the waiting period before recoating – Lite Scent can be applied over Gold Seal or itself after 24 hours.

Depending on environmental conditions and ventilation, furniture can be placed 24 to 72 hours after the final coat. We recommend no coverings, including mats, rugs or any other type of vapor barrier, on the floor for two to three weeks. Covering the floor can trap solvents and/or cause discoloration in the finish. Also, clean-up should consist of dust mopping for the first two to three weeks. Do not use water on the floor during this period. Moisture can cause fresh finish to turn cloudy.

Since the end results are identical in appearance, durability and performance, the decision on which product to use lies in the contractor’s product preference and project time requirements. We at Glitsa do not recommend one product over the other. The main thing to keep in mind is that Glitsa Swedish Finish is a two- to three-coat system. If three coats of finish are required, we advise using two coats of Glitsa Sealer or Bacca and one topcoat of either Lite Scent or Gold Seal.