

# Product Data Sheet

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## 658 Add Grip

USE	THINNER/CLEAN	APPLICATION	RE-COAT	HAZARD	
	n/a		n/a		
<p><i>658 Add Grip is a range of additives for clear and pigmented floor coatings designed to meet a range of slip resistance requirements.</i></p>					

658 Add Grip is available in 4 different grades.

**658 Addgrip Fine:** A fine polymer bead designed to be added to the paint prior to application. For lesser anti-slip ratings.

**658 Addgrip Coarse:** The original coarse finish polymer bead designed to be added to the paint prior to application. For moderate slip resistance ratings.

**658 Addgrip Broadcast:** An aluminium oxide grit designed to be broadcast on wet paint and then overcoated. Use this for the highest slip resistance ratings.

**658 Addgrip Clear:** A glass based product designed to be used in clear films on timber floors and decks. Moderate slip reduction. Apply by Broadcast method.

**USES:** 658 Add Grip Coarse and Fine may be added into most water-based or solvent based paints provided they form a thick enough film to retain the grit. 658 Add Grip is also compatible with most industrial or marine coatings, including 2-pack polyurethane's, epoxies and chlorinated rubber coatings. Not recommended for use in Spescoat Paveseal, Slate and Pave, Wood Oil or Deck AQ. Broadcast and Clear grades should only be used with coatings that are applied in thicker films and leave enough open time for the broadcast aggregate to bond with the film.

**COLOUR:** Does not significantly alter the colour of the film. Clear is specifically recommended for clear films to prevent whitish spots which may occur with the other grades when used in a clear film.

**MIXING/APPLICATION (Stir In type):** Ensure you are familiar with the application instructions for the paint you are using and apply the paint in accordance with those instructions. For standard texture add 50 grams of 658 Add Grip to one litre paint. Amount can be varied to suit required texture. Stir in thoroughly using a potato masher type stirrer. Apply by brush or roller using even pressure. Take care not to push the Addgrip material along ahead of the roller or brush as this will reduce the amount of Addgrip present. It is recommended to use Addgrip in the final coat. Overcoating may reduce the slip resistance.

**APPLICATION (Broadcast):** Broadcast grades should be spread on the 2<sup>nd</sup> to last coat and then overcoated with the final coat. Further coats applied over the broadcast layer will reduce its effect. Broadcast grades should be evenly sprinkled over the wet paint. It can be spread by hand in a "feeding the chooks" motion or applied using a suitable sieve. Standard application rate is 50gm/m<sup>2</sup>. Lightly roll back the surface to improve the contact of the Addgrip with the wet surface. When the paint has dried lightly sweep or vacuum the loose Addgrip. Apply the final coat of paint in accordance with that products instructions.

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Customers need to appreciate that as Topline Paint cannot control the conditions under which our products are used, we therefore are unable to guarantee suitability or accuracy in every situation. If any doubt exists, do check with our technical people. Before large-scale use always test on a small sample and ascertain suitability. No warranties express or implied are made. The risks and liability arising from handling, storage, use and compliance with legal restrictions, rests with the buyer.





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**PRECAUTIONS:** Ensure you are familiar with the application instructions for the paint you are using and apply the paint in accordance with those instructions. The appearance and performance of a slip reduction treatment is highly dependent on the applicator. Topline Paint has performed slip resistance testing on several of our coatings and can provide conformance certificates. As the applicator and the substrate can have a significant effect on the slip resistance rating of the coating it is the applicators responsibility to ensure that the applied coating meets requirements. We can not guarantee that our product may meet a claimed slip resistance as application and surface profile is beyond our control. We recommend production of a test area first. It may also be advisable to obtain independent on-site testing of the slip resistance of the applied coating.

*Please read our brochure entitled "Slip Resistant Coatings" to familiarise yourself with the use and requirements of slip resistant coatings.*

### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:

*The following information is a general guide only. Industrial users (ie where the product is being used in the workplace) are legally required to have available a Safety Data Sheet on this product. If you are unsure if you have an SDS on this product please contact Topline Paint and one will be provided.*

**Safety Directions:** **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN – DO NOT SWALLOW.** Breathing the dust may be harmful and may cause lung irritation. Wear suitable, protective clothing, eye protection and dust mask when mixing and using. 658 Addgrip is not flammable but the paint it is being used with may be. As such handling and usage of the mixed paint product must be carried out under well ventilation conditions that prevent inhalation of vapours, dust or mist. Use the appropriate breathing equipment (refer to Aust Stand. 1716) when ventilation is restricted. Keep containers closed when not in use. Eliminate any source of ignition (open fires, pilot lights, furnaces, spark producing switches etc.) as this product is flammable. **DO NOT SMOKE.** Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Used clean up rags may spontaneously ignite. To avoid ignition immerse in water or store in a sealable glass container.

**First Aid Instructions:** If affected by inhalation, remove to fresh air. If breathing difficulty persists or occurs later, consult a doctor. If swallowed, **DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING** drink plenty of water and seek medical advice. Contact a Doctor of Poisons Information Centre (Phone 131126). In case of eye contact, hold eyes open and flood with running water for at least 15 minutes seek medical advice.

**Fire:** Non flammable. May burn if exposed to fire. Dust may be combustible.

**Hazard:** The coloured square at the top of page 1 is provided for a quick reference as to the hazard level of a product. Blue refers to coatings with low hazard (eg water based wall paints). Yellow refers to medium hazard products such as QD enamels, which contain solvents, are flammable and need respirators for vapour protection. Red refers to products with special hazards such as isocyanate cured two pack finishes