# **Grouts**

# Starlike EVO Finishes

SPECIAL FINISHES FOR STARLIKE® EVO AND FILLGOOD EVO





### **DESCRIPTION**

The Galaxy, Spotlight, Gold and Night Vision additives, when mixed as a third component with the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO two-component epoxy grout, give the grouting unique and exclusive effects without compromising the product's special ease of cleaning.

These additives are sold separately in pre-batched packages for the 1 - 2.5 - 5 kg package of Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO.

#### **GALAXY**

This component can be added to any colour in the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO range to obtain a metallic effect. The shade will be slightly lighter compared to the original additive-free colour.

### **GOLD**

This component can be added to any colour in the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO or FillGood EVO range to obtain a gold glitter effect. The intensity of the original colour will not change.

### **SPOTLIGHT**

This component can be added to any colour in the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO or FillGood EVO range to obtain a silver glitter effect. The intensity of the original colour will not change.

## **NIGHT VISION**

This component can be added to the following colours in the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO range: 110 Grigio Perla, 115 Grigio Seta, 120 Grigio Piombo, 205 Travertino, 208 Sabbia, 210 Greige, 215 Tortora, 225 Tabacco, 310 Azzurro Polvere, 320 Azzurro Caraibi, 330 Blu Avio, 340 Blu Denim, 350 Blu Zaffiro,410 Verde Smeraldo, 420 Verde Prato, 430 Verde Pino, 500 Rosa Cipria, 530 Viola Ametista, 600 Giallo Vaniglia.

This is a photoluminescent additive, which means that after exposure to natural or artificial light, the grouting assumes a bluish aspect for about 1 hour in the dark, without substantially modifying the original product colour.

# METALLIC COLLECTION

The Platinum, Shining Gold, Bronze, Copper and Rusty additives, when mixed as a third component with the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO two-component epoxy grout in the colour 113 Neutro, give the grouting unique and exclusive metallic effects without compromising the product's special ease of cleaning.

These additives are sold separately in pre-batched packages for the 2.5 - 5 kg package of Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO 113 Neutro.

#### **PACKAGING**

#### Galaxy

30 g package (boxes with 60 pcs) - 1,200 kg standard pallet 75 g package (boxes with 36 pcs) - 720 kg standard pallet 150 g package (boxes with 24 pcs) - 480 kg standard pallet

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#### **Spotlight**

30 g package (boxes with 60 pcs) - 1,200 kg standard pallet 75 g package (boxes with 36 pcs) - 720 kg standard pallet 150 g package (boxes with 24 pcs) - 480 kg standard pallet **Night Vision** 



200 g package (boxes with 36 pcs) - 720 kg standard pallet 400 g package (boxes with 24 pcs) - 480 kg standard pallet

#### **Metallic Collection**

100 g package (boxes with 36 pcs) - 720 kg standard pallet 200 g package (boxes with 24 pcs) - 480 kg standard pallet

# FIELDS OF APPLICATION

Special additives for the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO epoxy grout indicated for the grouting of ceramic and porcelain tiles, porcelain stoneware, mosaics, clinkers on interior walls and floors, for example: bathrooms, kitchens, showroom floors, shops, furniture elements, columns, etc.

### **MIX RATIO**

Packages pre-batched for 1 - 2.5 - 5 kg packages of Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO and FillGood EVO.

# PREPARING THE MIX

Mix the catalyst (part B) with the coloured paste (part A) of Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO packaged in the 1 - 2.5 - 5 kg bucket, using an electric drill with mixing paddle, until a consistent mix is obtained without lumps.

Gently pour into the mix the third pre-batched component consisting in the Galaxy, Spotlight, Gold and Night Vision finishes, or the additives in the Metallic Collection series (Platinum, Shining Gold, Bronze, Copper, Rusty), mixing slowly and incorporating it consistently.

In the case of FillGood EVO, delicately pour it into the 5 kg bucket and manually mix with a steel trowel.

# **APPLICATION**

#### Grouting the tiled surface

Apply the mix in the joints using a special rubber float until saturation, making diagonal movements with respect to the direction of the joints and removing any excess material from the surface of the ceramic covering.

For large surfaces, a single disc machine with abrasion-resistant rubber brusher can be used.

The product's pot life and setting time is strongly dependent on the ambient temperature.

Low temperatures will lengthen the setting time, high temperatures will shorten it.

The ideal temperature for application is between +18 and +23°C.

At temperatures less than +10°C, the product is very dense and difficult to apply. The setting time is also considerably lengthened.

Do not add water or solvents to improve workability.

In hot weather, it is advisable to spread the product on the flooring as quickly as possible so as not to shorten the pot life even further due to the heat of reaction in the container.

Do not use if the temperature is forecast to drop below +10°C in the following 24 hours.

# CLEANING AND FINISHING

The grouting must be cleaned and finished while the product is still wet and in any case in the shortest possible time. Take care not to empty the joints or leave halos on the tile surface.

Manual method

First sprinkle clean water over the grouted surface.

If necessary, perform initial cleaning using a float fitted with a moistened white felt pad (art. 109 GBNC). Make circular movements in both clockwise and anticlockwise directions in order to seal the sides of the tiles perfectly and to remove excess grout from the surface of the tiles.

Then wipe a second time with a Sweepex sponge (art. 128G0001) in order to obtain a smooth, closed surface and to remove the product completely from the surface of the tiles, without removing it from the joints, as well as to dry off the excess water. To facilitate the cleaning operation, we recommend using two buckets full of water, one for rinsing the felt pad and sponge, as well as to collect any dirty water, and the other filled with clean water for the final surface cleaning

Replace the felt pad and sponge when they become soaked with resin and can no longer be cleaned.

Any halos or clear product residue can be removed from the surface of the tiles after about 24 hours or after the joint has set (depending on the temperature), using the special detergents Litonet EVO (for floors) and Litonet Gel EVO (for walls)

Refer to the technical data sheet for information on how to used them correctly.



# CLASS COLLECTION

Starlike® EVC	) / FillGood EVO*	Starlike® EVO + Galaxy	Starlike® EVO + Spotlight	FillGood EVO* + Spotlight	Starlike® EVO + Gold	FillGood EVO* +Gold	Starlike® EVO +Night Vision
Class Cold Collection	100 Bianco Assoluto*	•			•	•	•
Class Cold Collection	102 Bianco Ghiaccio	•		•	•	•	•
Class Cold Collection	105 Bianco Titanio	•		•	•	•	•
Class Cold Collection	110 Grigio Perla*	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	115 Grigio Seta	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	120 Grigio Piombo	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	125 Grigio Cemento*	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	130 Grigio Ardesia	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	140 Nero Grafite*	•		•		•	•
Class Cold Collection	145 Nero Carbonio			•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	200 Avorio	•		•	•	•	•
Class Warm Collection	202 Naturale	•		•	•	•	•
Class Warm Collection	205 Travertino*	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	208 Sabbia	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	210 Greige*	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	215 Tortora	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	225 Tabacco*	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	230 Cacao*	•		•		•	•
Class Warm Collection	232 Cuoio	•	•	•	•	•	•
Class Warm Collection	235 Caffè	•		•	•	•	•

# **GLAM COLLECTION**

Starlike® EVO		Starlike® EVO + Starlike® EVO + Spotlight		Starlike® EVO + Gold	Starlike® EVO +Night Vision
Glam Collection	300 Azzurro Pastello	•	•		•
Glam Collection	310 Azzurro Polvere	•	•	•	•
Glam Collection	320 Azzurro Caraibi	•	•	•	•
Glam Collection	330 Blu Avio	•	•	•	•
Glam Collection	340 Blu Denim	•	•		•
Glam Collection	350 Blu Zaffiro	•	•		•
Glam Collection	400 Verde Salvia	•	•		•
Glam Collection	410 Verde Smeraldo	•	•		
Glam Collection	420 Verde Prato	•	•		
Glam Collection	430 Verde Pino	•	•		
Glam Collection	500 Rosa Cipria	•	•		
Glam Collection	530 Viola Ametista	•	•		
Glam Collection	550 Rosso Oriente		•		•
Glam Collection	580 Rosso Mattone	•	•		•
Glam Collection	600 Giallo Vaniglia		•	•	•

# METALLIC COLLECTION

Metallic Collection	Starlike® EVO 113 Neutro + Platinum
Metallic Collection	Starlike® EVO 113 Neutro o + Shining gold
Metallic Collection	Starlike® EVO 113 Neutro + Bronze
Metallic Collection	Starlike® EVO 113 Neutro + Copper
Metallic Collection	Starlike® EVO 113 Neutro + Rusty

KEY

•	RECOMMENDED COMBINATION
	NON-RECOMMENDED COMBINATION

# **FOCUS**

#### **Finishes**

If the Spotlight, Gold, Galaxy and Night Vision finishes are used, add the product as the third component after mixing the catalyst (component B).

Be sure to pour it in slowly as these additives are very volatile, and use a mixing paddle at low speed to avoid splashing the product.

### **Metallic Collection**

To obtain the metallic finishes Platinum, Shining Gold, Bronze, Copper and Rusty, the respective additives must be



mixed only with Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO 113 Neutro. Add the product as the third component after mixing in the catalyst (component B).

Be sure to pour it in slowly as these additives are very volatile, and use a mixing paddle at low speed to avoid splashing the product.

### **WARNINGS**

- Do not use the Starlike<sup>®</sup> EVO epoxy grout additivated with Galaxy, Spotlight, Gold and Night Vision components, or with components from the Metallic Collection series, on ceramic surfaces subject to contact with aggressive chemicals, for example industrial floors
- Do not mix the Galaxy additive with Starlike® EVO and FillGood EVO
- · Handle additives with care insofar as they have a very low specific gravity and are therefore extremely volatile
- If the ceramic surface is exposed to natural or artificial light, the effects obtainable with these additives will be further enhanced

# SAFETY INFORMATION

Consult the product safety data sheet, available on request. PRODUCT FOR PROFESSIONAL USE

# **COLOUR CHART**



# **NOTES**

Data detection at temperature +23 °C, R.H. 50% and with no wind. May vary depending on the specific conditions of the installation site.

The colours and images of the products are intended purely as a guideline and do not necessarily constitute a faithful representation of the originals.



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The information and provisions contained in this technical data sheet reflect our best experience. Given the impossibility of directly intervening on the conditions of the work site and execution of the works, they represent indications of a general nature, which are in no way binding on our Company. It is therefore recommended to perform a spot test in order to check the suitability of the product for the intended use. In any case, those who intend to use the product must establish whether or not it is suitable for the intended use, and in any case assume all liability for any consequences resulting from such use.

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