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# Description

FA880 is a one component, low slump silicone completely free of any ingredients likely to cause migratory staining to natural stone. It is neutral curing for safe sealing of stonework and has a matt finish. Contains fungicide. FA880 is classified according to ISO 11600 please see table below for further classifications.

# Colour

Matt finish available in 24 colours - see colour chart

#### Packaging

310 ml cartridge (12 per carton)

### **Technical Information**

Characteristic	Standard	Classification
Classification		EN 15651-1,-3,-4 F-INT-EXT-CC   S   PW-EXT-INT-CC
Staining	ASTM C 1248	No migratory staining
Specific Gravity	DIN 52 451-A	1.3
Skin Formation	+23°C, 50% RH	Approx. 15 minutes
Curing Rate	+23°C, 50% RH	3 mm in 1st Day
Shrinkage	DIN 52451	Approx. 6%
Modulus at 100% Elongation	EN 28340	0.4 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Tensile Strength	EN 28340	Approx. 0.9 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Elastic Recovery	EN 27389-A	> 95%
Movement Capability		20%
Shore A Hardness	DIN 53505	Approx. 43
Application Temperature		+5°C to +40°C
Service Temperature		-40°C up to +160°C
Storage		Store in shaded dry conditions between +5°C and +40°C.
Shelf Life		18 months when stored as recommended in original unopened containers.

#### **Necessary Tools**

• Geared cartridge gun, smoothing tools such as illbruck AA311.

#### Priming

• FA880 adheres well to most surfaces – please refer to primer table for best results.





# **FA880**

# Premium Natural Stone Silicone Matt



# Usage / Purpose

FA880 has been formulated for the long term elastic sealing of movement joints between natural stone such as granite, slate, terrazzo, porphyry, limestone, travertine, sandstone, quartzite, marble, etc., as well as for joints with other construction materials like concrete, ceramics, metals, glass, PVC and primed wood.

# **Key Benefits**

- A high performance silicone sealant developed specifically for the sealing of natural stone whereby illbruck guarantees no migratory staining
- Superb matt finish
- Good resistance to UV light, ageing and weathering
- Contains fungicide to prevent mould growth- suitable for sanitary & swimming pool surround applications
- Rapid curing formulation skins within 10 20 minutes
- Chemically neutral, not corrosive and very low odour
- Compatible with most construction materials

# Premium Natural Stone Silicone Matt

### **Joint Design Considerations**

- Joint design to be in accordance with BS 6093.
- For the purposes of joint width calculation in BS 6093, the MAF of FA880 is 20%.
- Minimum joint width should normally not be less than 5 mm.
- Typical maximum joint width of 30 mm, however for all large joints (greater than 30 mm), please contact tremco illbruck to discuss project specifics.
- Width to depth ratio should typically be 2:1.
- Minimum width to depth ratio should typically be 1:1. Please note MAF is reduced at smaller width to depth ratios.
- The minimum contact area with any substrate (including for fillet joints) should be determined by the quality of the bond. If in doubt please contact tremco illbruck.
- PE backing rod should be used in all movement joint applications.

# Preparation

- Always carry out a test to confirm compatibility prior to use.
- Surfaces must be clean, free from grease and must be stable and dry.
- For non-porous substrates use cleaner AT200, do preliminary test.
- Use a brush to remove loose particles from joints.
- For plastics and powder coatings, clean with AT115 and conduct preliminary tests to confirm compatibility.

#### **Priming**

FA880 adheres well to most surfaces

 please refer to primer table for best results.

# Primer Table

Primer Table		
Bricks, Concrete & Stone		
Natural Stone	+, AT101	
Concrete	+, AT101	
Fibre Concrete	AT101	
Brick	+, AT101	
Plaster	AT101	
Metals		
Aluminium	+, AT105, AT120	
Aluminium Anodised	+	
Aluminium Powder	+,Test	
Coated Galvanised Steel	+, AT105, AT120	
Stainless Steel	+, AT105, AT120	
Copper	+	
Brass	+	
Iron	+, AT105, AT120	
Glass		
Glass	+	
Plastics		
ABS		
Polyamide		
Polycarbonate		
Polyester GRP	+	
Polystyrene	AT105, AT120	
Sanitary Acrylic	AT105, AT120	
Acrylic Glass PMMA		
PVC Rigid	AT105, AT120	
PVC Soft Sheet/Film	+, AT105, AT120	
Wood		
Wood Primed	+	
Wood Painted	+, AT105, AT120	
Wood Stained	+, AT105, AT120	
Tiles		
GlazedTiles	+	
UnglazedTiles	+, AT101	
Tiles Reverse Side		
Others		
Enamel	+	

+ = good adhesion can normally be expected without primer.

Reference numbers (e.g. AT111) show the type of illbruck primer required to improve adhesion.

Where there is no result listed according to substrate please contact technical department.

#### **Joint Backing**

• Backing rod is recommended beneath the joint to ensure the sealant is only bonded to two surfaces.

### **Application**

• Use a high quality geared sealant gun to expel the sealant consistently. Cut cartridge nozzle to desired aperture.

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- Apply sealant slightly proud of desired level, spray on illbruck smoothing agent AA301.
- Tool off immediately using a jointing tool such as Illbruck AA311.
- Note: avoid making too many passes with the smoothing tool to avoid polishing the matt finish.

#### Coverage

Width x Depth (mm)	Linear metres per 310 ml Cartridge
5 x 3	26.7
5 x 5	16
8 x 6	8.3
10 x 8	5.0
15 x 10	2.6
20 x 12	1.6
25 x 15	1.0

# Cleaning

Clean tools or sealant spillage immediately with illbruck AT200 Cleaner. Ensure surface is solvent resistant before cleaning. Cured sealant can only be removed mechanically.

# **Please Note**

In the transparent colour the matt finish is not so pronounced as the other matt finished colours. This is to ensure the transparent appearance is not lost. Not suitable for some substrates such as butyl rubber, neoprene, EPDM, bituminous or tar containing surfaces. Contact with bituminous or tar containing surfaces can lead to discolouring and failing adhesion.

# **Health & Safety Precautions**

Safety data sheet must be read and understood before use.



#### **Technical Service**

tremco illbruck has a team of experienced Technical Sales Representatives who provide assistance in the selection and specification of products. For more detailed information, service and advice, please call Customer Services on 01942 251400.

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