



Two-Component, Water-Based Low Gloss Wood Floor Finish.

Features & Benefits

Fast drying reduces downtime.

Superior flow and leveling results in a uniform finish.

Excellent adhesion.

Non-yellowing finish.

Item Number & Unit of Measure

Item Number	HIL0028935
Unit of Measure	1.5 gal Bottle

Specifications

Color	White
Appearance	Off-white emulsion
Fragrance	Mildly sweet
Formula Type	Liquid
Dilution Ratio	RTU
PH	7.5 - 8.5
Non-Volatile Matter	29 - 31%
Solids Content	30
Coverage SqFt/Gallon	500-700
Dry Time (hrs.)	72
Sheen	Satin

Safety

See safety datasheet (if applicable) and product label for safety information, handling and proper use.

Directions for Use

DIRECTIONS: Preparation: New or freshly sanded wood: Uphold is not intended to be used as a seal on raw wood. On newly installed or freshly sanded wood floors, 2-3 coats of seal and 1 coat of Uphold are recommended. Use Court Guard® when a water-based seal is required. Proper floor preparation and adherence to label directions are critical for successful results. After the floor has been properly sanded and screened, sweep and vacuum the floor until the surface and seams are free of sanding dust and debris. Tack the floor with terry cloth towels dampened with Kleen-up Solvent® and allow floor to dry at least 1 hour.

FLOOR MUST BE CLEAN AND DRY. Dry floor preparation on newer floors: Pre-clean the floor using Pre-Game® or Tack-It® to remove surface soils. DO NOT FLOOD THE FLOOR. Allow the floor to dry 1 hour. Dry abrade using Multi-Finish Prep Pad (MFPP) (250-500 ft2 per side). Use dust containment precautions and dust masks when dry abrading the floor. Be sure to sweep, vacuum, and tack the floor until it is completely dust free after abrading. Tack the floor with terry cloth towels dampened with Pre-Game or Tack-It. Allow floor to dry at least 30 minutes. Tack floor a final time using cleaning cloth CHI214 to remove fine dust particles before applying finish. **Scrub and recoat (Pre-Game and MFPP procedure):** The floor may be scrubbed and coated the same day. Work small areas. DO NOT FLOOD THE FLOOR. Scrub with Pre-Game using MFPP (250-500 ft2 per side). Pick up scrubbing solution with an autoscrubber or wet vacuum. Autoscrub or tack the floor with terry cloth towels dampened with Tack-It or Pre-Game. Allow floor to dry at least 1 hour. Tack floor a final time using cleaning cloth CHI214 to remove fine dust particles before applying finish. **Mixing Instructions:** Mix finish by inverting/rocking to redisperse any settling. Open crosslinker bottle and

add water to the red fill line. Shake well. Add the crosslinker/water mixture to the finish within 15 minutes. Mix the crosslinker blend into the finish by inverting or stirring while adding. Let stand for 5-10 minutes before applying. Pot Life: The finish/crosslinker mixture is active for approximately 8 hours. **Application:** Before applying Uphold, tack the floor a final time with cleaning cloth CHI214. Apply at a coverage rate of 500-700 ft²/gal using an approved applicator (see below). Two coats of Uphold are recommended for recoating floors when prepared using MFPP preparation methods. Avoid leaving puddles of finish on the floor. Allow first coat to dry at least 3-5 hours; abrading between coats is not required unless finish has dried for 24 hours or longer. If Uphold dries longer than 24 hours, abrade with Hillyard Maroon Pads (250 ft² per side) and tack with Tack-It or Pre-Game. If Uphold dries longer than 48 hours, abrade with MFPP (250 ft² per side). Apply the second coat of Uphold in the same manner as the first. **Note: Turn on the exhaust system 1-2 hours after each application of Uphold. If after abrading, the floor sits for longer than 24 hours before being coated, re-abrade and tack before applying additional finish coats to prevent peeling from occurring. Under normal drying conditions, allow the floor to cure 24 hours before opening to light traffic; allow 72 hours before scheduling normal activities. Clean-Up:** Use warm water to clean application equipment. **APPROVED APPLICATORS:** Lightweight T-Bar with synthetic pad. **NOTE:** For wood substrates only. **NOTE:** Best results are obtained with adequate ventilation and floor temperatures above 60°F (16°C). Temperature and humidity affect curing properties; low humidity may cause the coating to dry too quickly. Floor temperature should be between 60 and 95°F. During the drying process, avoid direct drafts on floor. Do not use cleaners on Uphold until coating has cured one week. **On newer floors, be cautious not to flood expansion joints with excess seal and finish.** Keep container closed when not in use. Do not pour unused finish

back into container. **NOTICE:** Saw dust from freshly sanded floors or dust from wood floors that have been abraded between coats will spontaneously catch fire, if improperly discarded. Immediately after abrading or sanding wood floors, place dust waste in a sealed, water-filled metal container and immediately remove from building. **NOTICE:** Rags or applicators soaked in a combustible liquid will spontaneously catch fire, if improperly discarded. Immediately after using rags or applicators soaked in a combustible liquid, place waste in a sealed, water-filled metal container and immediately remove from building. Meets slip resistance using the ASTM D2047 and Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., Method 410. **MEETS WITH STRICT CLEAN AIR REQUIREMENTS: VOC = Less than 260 g/L PROTECT FROM FREEZING** **DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTY:** Seller makes no warranty of any kind, express or implied, except that this product shall be of seller's standard quality.