



## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Glitz is a sparkling, high-gloss, liquid rich, seamless floor that incorporates highly reflective, decorative glitter flakes in clear thick resin. Glitz is a unique look that enhances any environment.

## USES, APPLICATIONS

Glitz is specifically designed for public areas that experience heavy foot traffic. The liquid rich surface resists scratching and is easy to clean.

Glitz is ideal for applications such as: retail, hospitality, casinos, showrooms, lobbies, restaurants, nightclubs, commercial, and public spaces.

## SUBSTRATE

Glitz, with the appropriate primer, is suitable for application over concrete, wood or metal. Not recommended on asphalt, brick, quarry tile, mastic, or painted surfaces. These must first be removed by mechanical means to expose the substrate prior to priming and overlayment.

## SYSTEM OPTIONS

### Moisture Barrier

To ensure long-term adhesion to concrete slabs in the absence of a proper vapor barrier, liquid elements offers systems to protect against moisture vapor transmission in the substrate.

## THICKNESS

Glitz is installed at 2 to 3 mm

Note: Since Glitz is a free-flowing product, it is important that the substrate be flat and level.

## STORAGE CONDITIONS

Store all components of Glitz between 65 to 85°F/18 to 30°C in a dry area. Avoid excessive heat and do not freeze. The shelf life is 3 years in the original, unopened container.

## PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Tensile Strength (ASTM D-638)	800 psi
Hardness (ASTM D-2240, Shore A)	80-85
Coefficient of Friction (ASTM F-1679)	0.78 (dry*)
Abrasion Resistance (ASTM D-4060, Taber Abrader CS-17 wheel)	0.83 gm max. weight loss
Scratch Resistance (F-1679/Soft Scrub)	17% reduction after 100 cycles
Impact Resistance (D-2794)	110 in-lb.
Indentation Resistance (F-1914)	28% Indentation 0% Residual Indentation
Static Load Limit (F-970)	>250 psi
Water Absorption (ASTM D-570)	0.80%
VOC Content (D-2369, Method E)	Primer 5 g/l Pigmented Base 5 g/l Self Leveler 10 g/l
Cure Rate	36 hours(@ 77°F/25°C) for foot traffic & light operations 48 to 72 hours for normal operations

Note: The above physical properties were measured in accordance with the referenced standards. Samples of the actual floor system, including binder and filler, were used as test specimens.

\*Due to the smooth nature of this product, Glitz is only recommended in dry environments. If Glitz is to be used in wet environments, a texture should be added for additional slip resistance.

## COLOR

Glitz can be designed in one of two ways, each of which provide unique color options.

1. The background of the Glitz system can be comprised entirely of glitter yielding a reflective field that has depth and dimension.
2. A base color can be chosen and applied and then glitter can be broadcast into this layer at any level from sparse to refusal to offer many different looks. While this option does not have the depth of the first option, it provides a broader range of color since the base color can be matched to virtually any standard.

The glitter used in either option comes in a wide variety of colors, shapes and sizes. Please contact your local Liquid Elements representative for design assistance.

## SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Proper preparation is critical to ensure an adequate bond. The substrate must be dry and free of all wax, grease, oils, fats, soil, loose or foreign materials and laitance. Laitance and unbonded cement particles must be removed by mechanical methods, eg., abrasive blasting or scarifying. Other contaminants may be removed by scrubbing with a heavy-duty industrial detergent (Stonkleen TD9) and rinsing with clean water. The surface must show open pores throughout and have a sandpaper texture. For recommendations or additional information regarding substrate preparation, contact Liquid Elements' Technical Service Department.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- DO NOT attempt to install the material if the temperature of the Glitz components is above 85°F/30°C. Higher temperatures will cause the material to harden more quickly than desired. Conversely, if the temperature of the components is 65°F/18°C or lower, Glitz will be stiff and hard to apply. Do not use water or steam in the vicinity of the application. Moisture can seriously affect the working time and other properties.
- Application equipment must be cleaned immediately after use with scouring pads and warm, soapy water, or mineral spirits.
- Avoid contact with all liquid Parts A and B as they may cause skin and/or eye irritation.
- The use of safety glasses and impervious gloves is required during mixing and application.

## NOTES

- Detailed instructions on application and installation can be found in the Liquid Elements Installation Guide.
- Procedures for maintenance of the flooring system during operations are described in the Facility Maintenance and Cleaning Services Guide available at [www.stonkleen.com](http://www.stonkleen.com).
- Specific information regarding chemical resistance is available in the Liquid Elements Chemical Resistance Guide.
- Material Safety Data Sheets for Glitz are available on line at [www.liquidelements.com](http://www.liquidelements.com) under Tech Info or upon request.
- A staff of technical service engineers is available to assist with installation or to answer questions related to Liquid Elements' products.
- Requests for technical literature or service can be made through local sales representatives and offices, or corporate offices located worldwide.



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