



A lifetime Certi-Shine floor. **It's concrete redefined.**

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### Certi-Shine MicroStain

VS

### Acid Stain

1. No deterioration of abrasion resistance to top surface of concrete
2. Hard abrasion resistant floor developed immediately.
3. 10 year floor warranty
4. No color walk off
5. Vibrant constant colors
6. Predictable color
7. Virtually any color is obtainable and not limited to interior applications
8. Diamond polished floor achievable
9. Applied to green concrete with supplemental curing
10. Environmentally safe water based system
11. Low maintenance
12. Easily handled and applied
13. Odorless
14. Breathable floor-No moisture vapor problems

1. The severe acid etching required to allow stain to penetrate and react with concrete causes abrasion resistance loss.
2. Needs top-coating with film forming materials to protect acid stain. These materials can peel, chip, crack and eventually wear off requiring reapplication
3. Limited wear life
4. Acid Stain (Concrete) walk off
5. Color development can be difficult with certain concrete
6. Wide variations in color and intensity
7. Limited color pallet
8. Diamond polishing removes stains
9. Must wait 14-28 days for concrete to cure
10. Stain and residual wash off are hazardous
11. High maintenance costs
12. Special application equipment and handling precautions required
13. Work area must be well ventilated due to chemical odors
14. Coatings trap in moisture