

# Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release, Select Grade™ Antiquing Release, & Perma-Tique™ Coloring System Guide

## The Butterfield Color® Advantage

Color and durability are the very essence of Butterfield Color®. With over 40 years of field experience in architectural colored concrete, we offer a line of concrete color additives that are technically superior and meet the needs of the architectural specifier as well as the concrete finisher.

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**MasterFormat™ Guide Specifications, and Butterfield Color® Architectural Details and Specifications are available for the specifier/designer. All information is available for download online at [www.butterfieldcolor.com](http://www.butterfieldcolor.com) and at point of purchase.**

**Description:** Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release are colored powder bond breakers used with stamping mats, texturing skins and texture rollers. The products provide accent colors that compliment or contrast with the underlying concrete surface. Additionally, they enhance the transfer of the detailed pattern and texture, and prolong the surface life of the stamping mat or texturing tool. They are compatible with integrally colored concrete, color hardened concrete and stampable cementitious overlays.

Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release are finely ground, streak free powders that are a blend of UV-resistant pigments and water repelling additives. Broadcast Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release or Select Grade™ Antiquing Release over the concrete surface prior to placing the stamping or texturing tools. As the imprinting tool is pressed into the plastic concrete surface, a portion of the antiquing release is embedded into the textured surface of the concrete. When the tool is removed, it breaks cleanly, without marring the colored concrete surface. Upon washing and sealing, the difference in color between the base concrete and the release creates a visually attractive, antiqued look on the concrete. The added color visually enhances the depth of the texture. The amount of release agent retained on the concrete will vary. Use a Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release or Select Grade™ Antiquing Release color that matches or contrasts with the concrete color. Add a combination of colors to create interesting shading and highlights on the finished concrete surface.

Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release is available in 14 standard colors (R#), as well as colors selected from the Perma-Cast® Shake-on Color Hardener color chart. The release colors formulated from Perma-Cast® Shake-on Color Hardener colors will not be an exact match to concrete colored with those shake-on colors. Custom colors and color matching are available with ample lead-time, without up charges or minimums.

**Select Grade™ Antiquing Release is only available in 14 standard colors (SGR#). Custom colors and color matching are not available.**

**Limitations:** Do not use Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release on the same installation. Unacceptable color and texture variations may occur. Do not use Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release or Select Grade™ Antiquing Release as the primary coloring agent. Do not trowel or float the concrete surface after the release powder is applied. Do not use as a curing compound. Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release will produce variegated colors and is a function of concrete mix design, timing, method of application and removal, method of imprinting, and weather.

Avoid over application, which may minimize the depth of texture. Cover and protect adjacent surfaces from contamination during application and residue removal. Consider using Butterfield Color® Clear Liquid Release if contamination is a concern, particularly on interior applications or when imprinting cementitious overlays.

Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release are retained on the surface by a mechanical bond. A sealer application is required to enhance the longevity of the antiqued coloration.

**Packaging:** Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release and Select Grade™ Antiquing Release are packaged in plastic pails. Shelf life is indefinite when stored in original, unopened containers, in dry storage.

### Coverage:

Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release - approximately 1,000-1,200 sq. ft. (93-111 m<sup>2</sup>) per 30 lb. (13.6 kg) pail.  
Select Grade™ Antiquing Release - approximately 750-1,000 sq. ft. (70-93 m<sup>2</sup>) per 30 lb. (13.6 kg) pail.

**Quality Control:** Cast a job site sample at least 21 days prior to the installation for approval of color and finish. Utilize all materials, tools, and techniques from the actual job in the mock-up. Consistent batching, pouring, finishing, curing, sealing, and preparation techniques, will ensure the uniformity of architectural concrete. Verify adequate wet and dry slip resistance. Verify maintenance requirements. Site visits by Butterfield Color, Inc. Personnel are for making technical recommendations only and not for supervising or providing quality control.

**Perma-Tique™:** Perma-Tique™ Antiquing Agent is used to antique unsealed hardened textured concrete and overlaid textured surfaces. Perma-Tique™ mixes with water and is applied to the concrete surface to add a natural antiquing color to newly textured concrete, overlays or old weathered textured surfaces.

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Before using or handling these products, read the entire:

- Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release, Select Grade™ Antiquing Release, & Perma-Tique™ Technical Data Sheet
- Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release, Select Grade™ Antiquing Release, & Perma-Tique™ MSDS
- Perma-Cast® Antiquing Release, Select Grade™ Antiquing Release, & Perma-Tique™ Directions for Use

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**WARNING:** USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. APPLICATORS AND ALL OTHER ON-SITE PERSONNEL MUST WEAR AN OSHA-NIOSH APPROVED DUST RESPIRATOR WHILE APPLYING OR WORKING AROUND THESE PRODUCTS. AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. WEAR RUBBER GLOVES TO PROTECT SKIN AND SAFETY EYE GOGGLES. CLOSE CONTAINERS AFTER EACH USE. USE GOOD HYGIENE WHEN HANDLING THESE PRODUCTS. WASH AND BATHE AFTER EACH USE. DISPOSE OF ALL RESIDUAL MATERIAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS. READ THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS (MSDS) BEFORE HANDLING AND USING THESE PRODUCTS. ALL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD ONLINE AT [WWW.BUTTERFIELDCOLOR.COM](http://WWW.BUTTERFIELDCOLOR.COM) AND AT POINT OF PURCHASE. **DO NOT TAKE INTERNALLY. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND ANIMALS.**

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