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TECHNICAL INFORMATION

FAULT FINDING CHART - FOR EMULSION POLISHES

Poor dry-bright qualities - Possible causes

- a) Floor or equipment contaminated - probably with alkali.
- b) Insufficient polish applied.
- c) Second coat applied too soon.
- d) Over application of polish.

Floor is slippery.

- a) Polish film worn off or too little applied.
- b) Outside influence, ie, solvent wax on adjacent floor.
- c) Floor not cleaned before polish application.
- d) Furniture polish on the floor.
- e) Dusty surface - insufficient maintenance.

Finish is powdering or failing to level.

- a) Contaminated floor prior to application.
- b) Excessive high or low humidity.
- c) Use of certain sweeping compounds.
- d) Drying time reduced by under-floor heating or constant draught.
- e) Wrong grade of nylon pad used for maintenance.
- f) Wrong type of cleaner eg, highly alkaline.

Slow drying.

- a) Excess was applied.
- b) Abnormal atmospheric conditions.

Poor durability.

- a) Abnormally heavy traffic.
- b) Wrong cleaner in use for daily maintenance. eg, too alkaline
- c) Wrong grade of pad in use for routine maintenance.
- d) Faulty preparation.
- e) Under application of polish.

