

# SCOFIELD® Sealer Applicator INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The new, easy-to-use SCOFIELD Sealer Applicator and SCOFIELD Sealer Trim Applicator are now available to improve results when using waterborne or solvent-borne sealers from Scofield. The weight of the applicator aids in controlling the thickness and application techniques recommended for best results. See Tech-Data Bulletins pertaining to the specific sealer to be used.

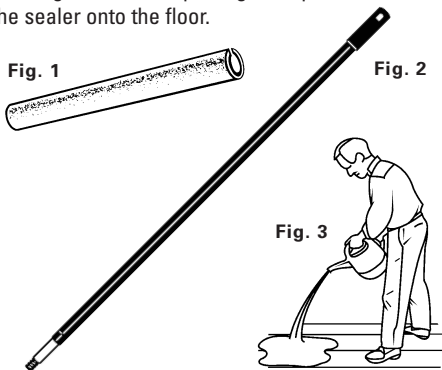
## 1 INTRODUCTION

The SCOFIELD Sealer Applicator has been developed for use on interior applications of waterborne or solvent-borne sealers manufactured by Scofield. The sealer applicator may not be suitable for use with other products. Certain aggressive solvents in other coatings, such as alcohol or ketones, can damage the inner core material.

The SCOFIELD Sealer Applicator is weighted to improve control of the mil thickness of the sealer. The weight of the applicator assists in application of the correct thickness and technique recommended when using Scofield sealers.

## 2 ITEMS REQUIRED

In addition to the SCOFIELD Sealer Applicator, you will need a SCOFIELD Woven Cover Refill (fig. 1) sized to the bar length, a properly fitted extension pole (fig. 2), and a helper (fig. 3) to pour the sealer onto the floor.



### SCOFIELD® Sealer Applicator

12-INCH APPLICATOR Code 6051-0000-0000

24-INCH APPLICATOR Code 6052-0000-0000

### SCOFIELD® Sealer Trim Applicator

8-INCH TRIM APPLICATOR,

PACK OF 12 Code 6055-0000-0000

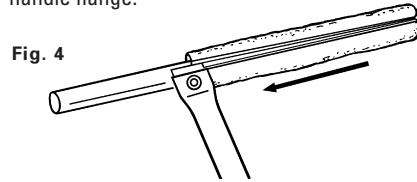
### Woven Cover Refill

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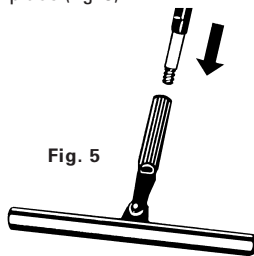
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## 3 ASSEMBLY

Thoroughly rinse and dry the refill prior to the first use in order to remove any loose fibers. Slide the refill onto the head of the weighted tool (fig. 4). The refill is slit on one side to accommodate the handle flange.

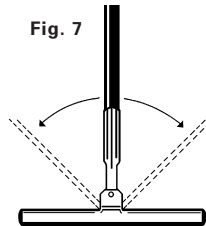
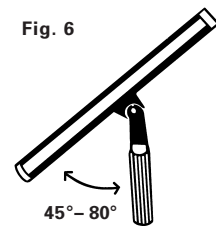


Attach your extension pole by inserting it into the handle and twisting until it is securely in place (fig. 5).



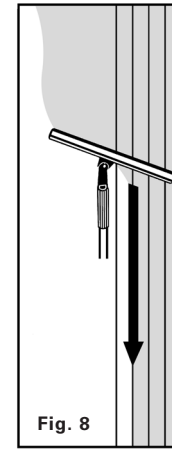
The locknut which attaches the handle to the flange is preset with enough tension to keep the tool at the desired angle. To adjust the tension on the nut, place a wrench on the bolt and use another wrench to

turn the nut. Set the end of the tool at an angle of approximately 45 to 80 degrees (fig. 6). This is easily done by placing the head of the tool on the floor with the handle pointing up, pushing the handle to the left or right (fig. 7). The angle allows the tool to pull the sealer along the floor in a snowplow-like fashion.



## 4 USING THE TOOL

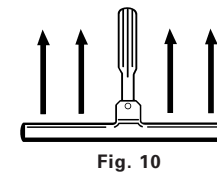
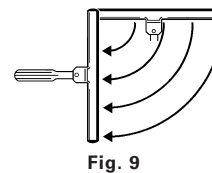
Starting at the end of the room opposite from where you will exit, your helper (fig. 3) should pour the sealer onto the floor, making a line of sealer approximately 4 inches wide the full length of the floor at about 6-8 inches from the wall.



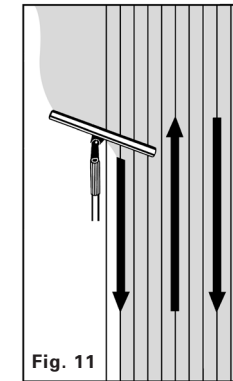
Begin your run by gently placing the SCOFIELD Sealer Applicator at one end of the line of sealer and walking it the full length of the floor. Walk at a steady, comfortable pace, without stopping until you reach the end of the run (fig. 8).

At the end of the run, turn the tool so the head is parallel with the line of sealing material (fig. 9). Gently squeeze out the excess material from the applicator by pressing down on the tool. Applying excessive pressure may introduce unwanted bubbles into the sealer. Start at the wall, make a short stroke over your turn and gently lift the tool off (fig. 10).

This will erase your turn mark. The key to avoiding tool marks in the sealer is to gently set the tool down and gently lift up.



Begin your next pass by going back in the opposite direction, working with the line of sealing material that was snowplowed to the side of your first pass.



Your helper should be walking ahead of you, adding more material to the thin spots on the line. You should always maintain a 4-inch wide line of material. In this manner, simply go back and forth over the floor until the entire area is coated (fig. 11).

## 5 CLEANUP

*After use with waterborne sealers:* Remove the refill from the tool and rinse in room temperature water. Squeeze the excess material and water from the pad and continue to rinse thoroughly until clean.

*After use with solvent-borne sealers:* Use a cleaning solvent to remove all sealer material. Once the sealer has been removed, thoroughly wash the tool in detergent and water to remove the remaining solvent. Rinse well and DO NOT ALLOW REFILL TO SOAK IN SOLVENT.

## 6 EDGING

For edging into corners and around walls, Scofield recommends using our 8-inch SCOFIELD Sealer Trim Applicator. The Trim Applicator will easily allow you to edge right up to baseboards, columns and doorways.

