

RIDEX TROWELLED-PLASTER

OPEN TEXTURE PATTERN

GRATTIN

FEATURES

- WATER BASED COATING
- RAPID AND SAFE APPLICATION
- SHORT SETTING TIME
- EXCELLENT ADHESION TO VIRTUALLY ALL CEMENTITIOUS AND MASONRY SURFACES
- CRACK FREE, DURABLE, WEATHER RESISTANT
- HIDES ROUGH OR IRREGULAR SURFACES IN JUST ONE SINGLE COAT
- DECORATIVE GRATTIN EFFECT

COMPOSITION

Ridex Trowelled-Plaster is an acrylate based co-polymer emulsion modified with extremely durable prime pigments, extender fillers, texture additives and specially selected quartz grains.

RECOMMENDED USES

Ridex Trowelled-Plaster is an interior-exterior high build latex *Trowelled-Plaster* destined to uniform and beautify rough or irregular surfaces in just one coat over suitably primed substrate.

Ridex Trowelled-Plaster is recommended for use on interior or exterior surfaces of masonry, concrete, wood, block-walls and cement asbestos. It is especially used to provide a uniform texture appearance to rough and irregular surfaces.

Ridex Trowelled-Plaster is available in textures, ranging from 1.5 to 2.5 mm thickness.

SPECIFICATION DATA

Color : White and ready mix colors. Special tailor made colors are available on request.

Finish : Flat.

Solvent : water.

Recommended Film Thickness : Up to 1.5 to 2.0 mm dry film.

Practical coverage : 12 sq. m. per us 5 us gallon depending on surface porosity, method of application and texture requirement.

Dry time: at 25° C and 50% R.H. :

To touch ---- 2 hours

Full hardness ---- 7 days

Shelf Life : Over one year under proper storage conditions.

SURFACE PREPARATION

All surfaces must be clean, dry and free of oil, grease, dirt, curing compounds, mildew and other foreign matters.

NEW CONCRETE, MASONRY

Remove loose aggregate. Use *Ridex Primer* thinned up to 25 % with water, as a primer sealer over new concrete or masonry. Allow to dry overnight.

Apply *Ridex Trowelled-Plaster* as supplied with a stainless steel or plastic blade. Allow to dry for few minutes then structure with plastic trowel to obtain the desired decorative gratin effect.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES

Remove heavy chalky residues by scrubbing with water and detergent and rinse clean. Remove all loose paint back to sound surface. Prime chalky areas with *Ridex* solvent based penetrating sealer. Allow to dry overnight before final coat application.

MIXING AND THINNING

Mix thoroughly and thin only if necessary up to 1% of water per 5 us gallon.

APPLICATION

Apply *Ridex Trowelled-Plaster* over suitably primed surface using a stainless steel or plastic trowel.

CLEAN UP

Wipe up drips and spatters with cloths wet with soap and water.

Clean all equipments with warm, soapy water.

PRECAUTIONS & STORAGE

STORE IN ITS ORIGINAL SEALED PACKAGING AWAY FROM DIRECT SUNLIGHT, FLAME, HEAT AND FREEZING CONDITIONS.

DO NOT APPLY WHEN TEMPERATURE OF AIR OR SURFACE IS BELOW 15° C OR WHEN FOG OR RAIN IS EXPECTED TO OCCUR DURING THE FIRST STAGE OF THE DRYING PERIOD.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

PACKING

5 us gallon