

skimkote

Dry Powder Base Coat



SKIMKOTE is a polymer modified cement base coat and surface leveler.

Uses:

Skimkote is a high-build cementitious coating for direct application over EPS, stucco, gypsum sheathing, CMU, AAC, rastra and approved ICF systems. Skimkote may also be used as a leveling coat over prepared painted stucco or masonry.

Features:

- Versatile
- User friendly
- Freeze resistant

Benefits:

- Can be used over multiple prepared substrates
- Mixes easily with long open time
- Dry powder can be stored in cold areas

Surface Preparation:

Surface must be clean and free of bond-inhibiting materials such as dirt, dust, rust, grease, oil, efflorescence, mildew, fungus, form-release agents or any other contaminants. Remove and repair any loose paint, mortar, stucco, concrete or masonry by water blasting, sand blasting, scraping or using a wire brush. Substrate should be sound and securely fastened.

Product Specifications:

Packaging:

90 lbs (40.9 kg) paper bag

Coverage:

Approximate coverage using 90 lbs is as follows:

- 45 sq. ft. @ 1/4" thick
- 90 sq. ft. @ 1/8" thick

(Coverage will vary depending on applicable technique, substrate suction and ambient conditions).

Color:

Natural Grey

Storage:

Store in cool dry place away from direct sunlight.

Clean up:

Clean tools immediately after use. Remove all debris from the surrounding areas immediately following the application process.

Shelf Life:

1 year

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Mixing:

To begin place 1 to 1.5 gallons of potable water into mechanical mixer. As the mixer is running add one 90 lbs. bag of Skimkote. Gradually add the remaining 0.5 to 1 gallons of potable water and blend until the desired consistency is achieved (about 4 to 5 minutes). Stop the mixing and allow the material to slake for 3 to 4 minutes. Then start the mixing again to break the initial set (usually 1 to 2 minutes).

Application:

Apply Skimkote with stainless steel trowel or approved spray equipment, no thicker than 1/4" in one application. When applying directly over CMU, AAC or rastra, use 2 coats of Ultrakote bonder to reduce the suction.

Curing / Drying:

Skimkote will initially set within 1-2 hours, and it requires a minimum of 24 hours moist curing, depending on air temperature and relative humidity.

Limitations:

Skimkote should be applied when surface and ambient conditions are between 40°F and 110°F during application and cure time. Weather conditions may affect drying time and workability. Skimkote is not a finish product.

Precaution:

KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.
Not for internal consumption.
Do not apply in non-ventilated areas.
Use protective equipment such as gloves, eye protection and clothing.

First Aid:

In case of eye contact, flush with water at least 15 minutes. In case of skin contact, wash affected areas with soap and water. If irritation persists, SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION. Remove and wash contaminated clothing. If inhalation causes physical discomfort, remove to fresh air. If discomfort continues, any breathing difficulty occurs or if swallowed, SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION. For additional information refer to the material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS).

Disposal:

Dispose of in accordance with local, state or federal regulations.

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Spills:

Scrape up and wash with water immediately. If material has set, scrape material with appropriate tools and clean with citric acid.

Prop 65:

This product contains material listed by the state of California known to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

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