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# Natural "Stone-like" Finish



CANTERA FINISH is an acrylic, polymer based, cantera/travertine look, trowel applied plaster finish with natural earthen components.

# Uses:

Cantera Finish may be used for interior or exterior applications over properly prepared substrates, including new or existing drywall and new or existing plaster substrates.

# **Benefits:**

- Lightweight
- Cantera/travertine stone-like appearance
- Low VOC

# **Surface Preparation:**

Surface must be clean, dry, sound and free of loose material, releasing agents, efflorescence and other coatings. Level and prime the entire surface area prior to application to prevent telegraphing lines from appearing through the dried finish.

# **Product Specifications:**

# Packaging:

5 gallon plastic pail - 60 lbs (27.3 kg).

#### Coverage:

150 - 225 sq. ft. per 5 gallon pail.

#### Color:

12 standard colors.

Custom colors available upon request.

## Storage:

Store in a cool, dry interior place. Keep from freezing, out of direct sunlight for long periods and at no time expose to moisture, rain or snow. Storage temperature ranges between 40°F and 95°F.

# Clean up:

Clean tools and equipment with water immediately after use.

# **Shelf Life:**

1 year



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# Mixing:

Thoroughly mix the Cantera Finish with a mixer to a homogeneous consistency. A small amount of clean, potable water may be added to adjust workability. When adding color in the field, mix thoroughly to completely disperse all colorant. Always check color against color sample to ensure an accurate match. Close container when not in use. Clean tools with water immediately after use.

# **Application:**

Cantera Finish may be applied over finished and primed level 3 drywall or properly prepared gypsum or cement plaster basecoats. Apply finish with a stainless steel trowel. Apply Cantera Finish in a continuous application 1/16" - 1/8" thick. Cantera Finish may be applied in 1 - 2 coats depending on the condition of the substrate and the desired texture. A color wash technique can be applied into the finished process to increase the mottling and create more aged effect.

# **Curing / Drying:**

Cantera Finish will generally dry to the touch within 3-4 hours. Surface absorption, temperature and humidity will affect drying time. Protect from all moisture for at least 24 hours per coat.

# **Limitations:**

Cantera Finish should be applied when surface and ambient air conditions are between 40°F and 95°F.

# **Technical Data:**

Flame spread index:20 Surface burning ASTM E 84 (class A) Smoke developed index: 5

Mildew/Mold resistance 9-10

**ASTM D 3273** 

Water vapor transmission

23.9 perms

**ASTM D 1653** 

VOC (g/L) > 20 g/I

#### 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.

#### Warning:

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Scrape up and wash with water immediately. If material has set, scrape material with appropiate 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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