# IIIII TERRACO

# OVERVIEW

Tex Primer is a highly developed product in liquid form, which is absorbed deeply into the substrate of cementitious materials, plasters and limes. It binds the substrate and the surface, to give a solid, textured profile base for decorative finishing coats, such as TERRACO Textured Coatings, paints and thin-layer mortars. It is supplied as white or tinted as per finish colour.

## PROPERTIES

Aqueous acrylic copolymer emulsion with the following properties:

- Improves adhesion
- Binds dusting substrates
- Reduces efflorescence
- Reduces surface alkalinity
- Easy to apply
- Acts as a pigmented undercoat
- Mechanical key

## AREA OF USE

For exterior and interior use on sand/cement render, cast-in-situ and precast concrete, lightweight concrete. Is especially suitable for sealing old, dry, absorbent, untreated concrete. On surfaces such as concrete, blockwork, cement renderings and Terraco EIFS, it is recommended that TERRACO Tex Primer be used prior to the application of all decorative finishes.

## PREPARATION OF SURFACE

Ensure that all dust, dirt and foreign matter are scraped and brushed away. Also ensure the surfaces are free from salts, oil, grease and ridges. Protect all adjacent surfaces not to be covered. All cracks, chips, voids and damages should be repaired with a suitable repair compound from the Terraco range.

## PREPARATION OF PRIMER

Thoroughly stir Tex Primer until a homogenous liquid is formed.

# APPLICATION & CLEANING OF TOOLS

Apply liberally and evenly by brush or appropriate spray equipment and allow to dry. Depending upon the surface condition, it may be necessary to apply a further coat. TERRACO Tex Primer should be painted/covered as soon as possible, to ensure optimum adhesion.

Clean tools and equipment with water after use..

# HEALTH & SAFETY

Avoid prolonged contact with eyes and skin. For detailed information refer to relevant material safety data sheet.

## PACKAGING & STORAGE

Tex Primer is supplied in 1 US Gallon and 5 US Gallon pails.

Store containers in a clean dry area protected from direct sunlight and extreme heat and cold. Unopened containers can be stored for 12 months. Use oldest material first.

TERRACO offers a comprehensive range of products and services for most concrete and finishing needs. Please contact the TERRACO Technical Service Department or your local TERRACO agent for further information, samples, demonstrations and instructor services. The information given in this leaflet is based upon laboratory research, as well as extensive field work and application. All products are sold subject to standard conditions of sale which are available on request. This information is based on TERRACO's present state of knowledge and is intended to provide general information on TERRACO's products and their methods of use. The prospective user is recommended to determine the suitability of TERRACO's suggestions and products before adopting them on a commercial scale.

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# TECHNICAL DATA

Product	Exterior masonry primer.
Viscosity at 23 Degree	6,000-10,000cps
pH Value	8 - 9
Specific Gravity	1.45 <u>+</u> 0.05
Coverage	8-10m <sup>2</sup> /litre depending on substrate conditions.
Packaging	1 US Gallon and 5 US Gallon pails.
Storage	12 months in original unopened containers.

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