



# ULTRAFINO SKIMPASTE

FOR INTERIOR & EXTERIOR WALLS AND CEILING APPLICATION

## DESCRIPTION

**ULTRAFINO SKIMPASTE** is a smooth finish rendering or skim coating paste for leveling uneven surfaces and filling small air pockets and voids of interior and exterior walls and ceiling applications. It is easily trowelable with adjustable consistency that provides a perfectly smooth and highly leveled surface to fulfill applicator's desired finish. The paste is mixed with cement, gypsum powder or calcium carbonate depending on the desired application.

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- Can easily mix and blend with Portland cement or other fillers
- Takes the color of the hydraulic binder after mixing
- Adaptable to consistency and finish desired
- Ease of application, very good trowelability
- Eliminates any imperfections such as pores, honeycomb cracks, voids and air pockets
- Minimizes hairline cracks
- Can be applied in the thickness of 0.3mm to 4mm

## RECOMMENDED USES

FOR INTERIOR & EXTERIOR APPLICATIONS:

- Reinforced concrete
- Precast concrete panels
- Traditional rendering mortars
- Lightweight concrete or lightweight block
- Gypsum board (in natural filler mix)
- Fiber cement board (in natural filler mix)

## SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

1. The substrate must be clean, sound and free from any dust, contaminants, loose particles and/or laitance, oil, paint, curing compound and other coatings.
2. The substrate should be saturated surface dry.

## METHOD OF APPLICATION

1. Mix 1 part of **ULTRAFINO SKIMPASTE** with  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 part cement (white or gray) or natural fibers to achieve a homogeneous mixture.
2. Mixed product is readily applied on sound substrate. No need to add water.



## INSTALLATION REMINDERS

1. Apply the mixture using stainless steel filling knife or trowel.
2. More than two coats is suitable depending on the preferred finish.
3. Allow several minutes between coats, depending on temperature, as long as the first coat can readily accept the additional coat.
4. Over-coating with covering material can be done after 3-7 days.

## COVERAGE

Approximately 0.6 - 0.8 kg/m<sup>2</sup> 2 coats in pure paste form.

## STORAGE/SHELF LIFE

Store in a cool dry place not exceeding 30°C. In its original and unopened packing, **ULTRAFINO SKIMPASTE** will remain usable for a period of 12 months from date of manufacture.

## PACKAGING

25 kg pail.

TEST PARAMETER	TECHNICAL DATA
Color	Off-White to Cream
Form	Paste
Texture	Smooth
Viscosity, RT (#6,20rpm)	20,000 - 25,000 cps
pH Value	8.0 - 9.0
Specific Gravity	1.30 ± 0.10
% Solids	40.0 - 50.0
Working Ratio (Paste : Cement)	1.0 : 0.5 to 1.0
Compressive Strength (7 days)	16 - 19 MPa
Compressive Strength (28 days)	20-25 MPa
Bond Strength (7 days)	0.5 - 0.8 MPa
Bond Strength (28 days)	0.9 - 1.5 MPa

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