



Tierra (High build earthen plaster look)

Description

Tierra is a 100% acrylic polymer based, opaque, crack resistant, trowel applied plaster finish with natural earthen components.

Uses

Tierra may be used for interior or exterior applications over properly prepared substrates, including new or existing drywall and new or existing plaster substrates. Tierra may be used as an exterior finish over properly prepared stucco basecoats. A reinforcing fiberglass mesh may be installed to minimize cracking.

Packaging

5.0 Gallon (60 lb) pail
1.0 Gallon (12 lb) pail

Colors

24 Standard colors

Custom colors available upon request.

Coverage

130 - 220 square feet (10-16 m sq) per 5.0 gal pail

Surface Preparation

Surface must be clean, dry, sound and free of loose material, releasing agents, efflorescence and other coatings. Remove and repair any loose paint, mortar, stucco or concrete. Repair all cracks with a patching compound and prime the entire surface prior to application to avoid telegraphing lines appearing through the dried finish.

Mixing

Thoroughly mix the factory-prepared Tierra with a mixer to a homogeneous consistency. A small amount of clean, potable water may be added to adjust workability. When adding colorant packages in the field, mix thoroughly to completely disperse all colorant. Check color against color sample for accurate match. Close container when not in use.

Application

Tierra may be applied over finished and primed level 3 drywall or properly prepared gypsum or cement plaster basecoats. Apply with a stainless steel trowel. Tierra may also be used as a leveling coat and base coat for smooth Variance finishes over existing textured surfaces. Tierra may also be applied in two coats for a smooth troweled finish. Apply Tierra in a continuous application 1/16" thick, corner to corner.

Drying Time

Tierra will generally dry within two hours. Surface absorption, temperature and humidity affect drying time. Protect from rain for at least 24 hours.

Shelf Life

Minimum of one year when stored in a cool dry location out of direct sunlight and kept from freezing.

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