Planicrete

SYNTHETIC RUBBER LATEX TO IMPROVE ADHESION OF CEMENT-BASED MIXES



Improves performance and adhesion of **render** and **screeds**







Synthetic rubber latex to improve adhesion of cement-based mixes

AREAS OF USE

- Admixture to improve the mechanical properties and adhesion of cement-based screed mixes, render and skimming/smoothing compounds.
- Admixture for highly adhesive cement-based bonding slurry.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Planicrete is a highly stable water dispersion of a special synthetic elastomer resistant to alkaline saponification, characterised by its low glass transition temperature.

This special SBR (styrene-butadiene rubber) based elastomer has special properties which makes it stable after ageing. The polymer chains forming this elastomer are characterised by a tight weave of chemical binders which connect them together. This important characteristic enables the polymer chains to take up a parallel conformation when they are deformed, thus giving the elastomer a high level of elasticity.

Planicrete is supplied in the form of a highly fluid, white coloured latex which, when added to cement and aggregate mixes, improves their adhesion, plasticity, thixotropy, water retention and overall workability. After setting and hardening, cement-based mixes with **Planicrete** have the following properties:

- better adhesion to substrates;
- higher compressive and flexural strength;
- higher resistance to abrasion;
- higher impermeability;
- higher resistance to freeze-thaw cycles;
- higher resistance to diluted acids, saline solutions and oils.



Application of cement-based slurry admixed with **Planicrete**



Application of a cement-based bonded screed admixed with **Planicrete**

PACKAGING

5 kg, 10 kg and 25 kg drums and 12 x 1 kg sachets.

CONSUMPTION

According to dilution rate and thickness of the mortar.

Technical data				
Product details				
Consistency:	fluid liquid			
Colour:	white			
Density:	1.02 g/cm ³			
pH:	7			
Application data				
Application temperature:	+5°C to +40°C			

Dosage and consumption rates					
AREAS OF USE	Planicrete: water ratio	Cement: aggregate ratio (in weight)	Mixed aggregates in granulometric curve	Consumption of Planicrete	
Bonded screeds (thickness 10 to 35 mm)	1:3	1:4	0÷8 mm	40-50 g/m²/mm of thickness	
Floating screeds (thickness > 35 mm)	1:4	1:5	0÷8 mm	30-40 g/m²/mm of thickness	
Render	1:4	1 : 3.6	0÷3 mm	60-70 g/m²/mm of thickness	
Render with Nivoplan	1:5	-	-	70-80 g/m²/mm of thickness	
Scratch-coat layers for render	1:1	1:1	0÷2 mm	220-230 g/m ² /mm of thickness	
Filler mortar	1 : 2.5	1:3	0÷3 mm	50-60 g/m²/mm of thickness	
Bonding slurry	1:1	-	-	300-310 g/m ² /mm of thickness	

N.B.: The dilution ratios for **Planicrete** and water are for dry aggregates. If damp or wet aggregates are used, reduce the water/**Planicrete** solution accordingly.



Scratch-coat mortar admixed with **Planicrete**



Cement-based render with **Planicrete**. Construction site for the Ville Marie motorway tunnel - Montreal, Canada







Technical documentation

technical documentation divided per product lines and type of document.

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