



High filled, moistureproof and vapour-open silane hybrid based limewash paint

# **Application**

- Used as a decorative, moisture-proof protection of various construction materials such as brick, stone, concrete and all hydraulic or synthetic bound plastering
- For limewashing facades, with no discolouration from moisture or rain.

#### **Properties**

- Semi-liquid coating.
- Limewash texture.
- Ready for use.
- When dry the coating forms a protective layer that is as moisture-proof as a high-grade acrylic paint but also has the microporous and vapour-open qualities of a mineral paint. The result is an ideal protective layer whereby the treated material keeps its properties with respect to the moisture exchange with the environment. Even trapped water due to design or construction errors is able to dry without causing damage.
- Thanks to the tensio-active quality of the coating water and dirt do not penetrate the film resulting in a permanent unsoiled and easy to clean surface.
- The coating also forms a layer that is non-flammable and does not spread flames.

### **Directions**

#### **Preparation**

- The surface to be treated must be suitable and in good condition. It must be dry and clean and all dust, dirt, grease and loose and other materials must be removed.
- The masonry and all other materials to be treated including the jointing must be frost-resistant, contain no alkali or swelling agents and be free of efflorescence salts.
- Powdery bases must be pre-treated with Tensiocoat Fix or Gelfix complying with the appropriate directions.

# Work method

- Mix well before use.
- Apply in two layers with a brush.
- On masonry walls, a limewash texture can be obtained by using a long-haired brush.
- **Tensiocoat Quartz Xtra** can also be applied as a single filler layer, after which it can be finished with Tensiocoat Quartz or Tensiocoat.
- The normal drying time between two layers is 4 hours.

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# **Important remarks**

- The minimum temperature for film formation of **Tensiocoat Quartz Xtra** is 10°C.
- As usual with water-based paint systems, avoid working in direct sunlight or on a warm substrate, or during periods of frost or night frost.
- To avoid lines the product is applied wet in wet.
- Tools can be cleaned immediately after use with water or soapy water.
- Avoid strong air currents while applying and during the initial drying phase to avoid shrinkage cracks and pores in the finish.

# **Technical characteristics**

Form semi-liquid Specific weight +/- 1,6 Content of dry substances +/- 80 m%

Ingredients silane hybrid micropolymer

Moisture resistance W < 0,1 kg/m². 24 hours

class 1: watertight

Breathing capacity Sd < 0,1 m

class 1: vapour open microporous (Sd ≤ 0,1 m)

CO<sub>2</sub> permeability CO<sub>2</sub> permeable, no carbonation inhibitor

#### **Colors**

White and light colours (P-Base) using the colour-mixing machine.

For dark and deep colours, Tensiocoat Quartz Xtra can be finished with Tensiocoat Quartz or Tensiocoat.

#### Degree of gloss

Super matt (85°: <1)

# Quantity to use

Recommended layer thickness: min. 1 mm and max. 3 mm per layer.

# Theoretical:

- When applying 2 layers: total consumption +/- 2,5 kg/m²
- When applying 1 layer (as ground layer for Tensiocoat or Tensiocoat Quartz) +/- 1,8 kg/m²

Actual usage depends on the processing, the state of the substrate and the consistency. This may vary greatly.

### **Packaging**

1 kg and 12,5 kg

# <u>Safety information – Transport – Handling and storage - Waste</u>

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# **Transport and storage**

Transport and store away from frost. Protect the product and its packaging against direct sunlight. Avoid storage at temperatures >30°C.

# **Storage life**

1 year after manufacturing in the original closed packaging.

# **Considerations**

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