

Shimmerstone

Metallic Acrylic Textures

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

DuROCK Shimmerstone is a premixed, water-based, 100% acrylic coating. The colour is achieved solely through the combination of pearlescent and metallic pigments and can be matched to a variety of custom colours. **DuROCK Shimmerstone** is ideally suited for both new and/or retrofit construction. **DuROCK Shimmerstone** is flexible, breathable, water-repelling, dirt pick-up resistant (DPR), ultra-violet resistant finishes consisting of granulated quartz or marble, pigment, resin and other additives specially formulated for both exterior and interior use.

STORAGE & MIXING

Store **DuROCK Shimmerstone** above 4°C (40°F) and below 40°C (104°F), off the ground and in a dry place away from direct sunlight. Under no circumstances shall **DuROCK Shimmerstone** be permitted to freeze.

Using a stainless steel or corrosion resistant mixing blade and power drill, mix at 400 – 500 rpm, ensuring not to induce air into the product. Mix product until a uniform consistency is attained. Up to 250mL (8oz) of potable water can be added to a full pail of finish coat to adjust workability in hot temperature conditions. Accelerators and other additives are prohibited.

APPLICATION & COVERAGE

Substrate must be clean, dry, and free of cracks or loose material. Surface and ambient temperatures must be at least 4°C (40°F) for a minimum of 24 hours, and must remain so until **DuROCK Shimmerstone** have dried. The surface shall be dry and firm to the touch before being exposed to ambient conditions. Do not apply **DuROCK Shimmerstone** in direct sunlight at temperatures exceeding 30°C (86°F) and protect from winds exceeding 25 km/hr (15 mph) as well as precipitation for at least 24 hours.

DuROCK Shimmerstone finishes are applied by trowel. For trowel application a team of two people is recommended when applying **DuROCK Shimmerstone** finishes to wall and ceiling areas. The application must be continuous across wall areas, starting and ending at natural breaks in the surface, such as expansion joints, control joints, termination points, and corners. With a stainless steel trowel, the first person applies the coating using sufficient pressure to ensure an even, consistent coat. Use the aggregate within the coating to control the thickness of the coat. Maintain a wet edge for colour and texture uniformity. Immediately afterward, using minimal force, the second person begins to float the coating with a plastic trowel in a circular motion. Continue floating until a uniform pattern is achieved and all trowel marks are removed. Do not allow the coating to form a surface film prior to floating. Clean tools with water before material dries.

DuROCK Shimmerstone is available in 19 L (5 gallon US) pails, with a coverage rate of 120ft² at a thickness of 1.2mm. This coverage is an approximation only and actual rates are dependent upon jobsite conditions and other factors.

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