



# Spectrum Base Coat

**Description:** Spectrum Base Coat is a 100 % acrylic based product that is designed to be used with Type I Portland Cement.

**Uses:** The Spectrum Base Coat can be used to adhere to UL approved EPS insulation board to approved substrates. Spectrum Base Coat is intended for foam shapes over conventional stucco.

**Coverage:** 180 – 240 sq. ft.

**Dry Time:** Allow 8-12 hours, however, dry time will depend on surface temperatures, humidity and porosity of material being painted. Protect coatings from rainfall for at least 24 hours after application.

**Job Conditions:** Do not apply if temperature or substrate is below 40° F for a minimum of 24 hours.

**Precautions:** Use adequate ventilation. Keep away from small children. Harmful if swallowed. Contact physician or poison control office if ingested. Dispose of in accordance with local, state and federal laws.

**Surface Preparation:** Clean area and remove all dust, grease, oil, paint, dirt, efflorescence and any unsound concrete. Please note: Spectrum Acrylic Primer must be applied over uncured cementitious materials to ensure that improper pH levels do not cause coating failures or shadowing issues.

**Mixing:** Gradually add Type I Portland Cement at a 1:1 ratio by weight to Spectrum Base Coat. Mix with a drill paddle mixer for 10 minutes or until lump free consistency is achieved. Let product sit for 5 minutes.

**Application:** Apply with a stainless steel trowel to desired thickness. Finish can be applied as soon as base coat has dried thoroughly.

**Clean Up:** Clean tools and equipment with water immediately after use.

**Storage & Shelf Life:** Store off the ground in a dry area. Protect from extreme heat, moisture, direct sunlight and freezing temperatures. Product can be stored for a period of 12 months in original un-opened container and protected from moisture. After opening, Spectrum Base Coat will keep for several weeks if stored and resealed properly.

**Weight & Packaging:** Packaged in 55 lb pail.

**Warranty:** All Spectrum Stucco products come with a limited 5 year warranty.

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