

Product Description

Akona® Heavy-Duty Waterproofing Base Coat is a Portland Cement based waterproof coating for use over concrete, block, brick or stucco surfaces. Use for interior or exterior coating of foundation, basement or retaining walls above or below grade. When applied over non-uniform areas, this product provides a smooth or textured surface that can be left as a finished decorative coating. In addition, this product can serve as a base coat for paint or similar faux finishes.

When/Where to Use

- Interior/Exterior Foundation, Basement or Retaining Walls
- Above or Below Grade Application
- Concrete, Block, Brick, Stucco
- Apply Over Non-Uniform Surfaces

Advantages

- Portland Cement Based Waterproof Coating
- Applies to a Smooth or Textured Finish
- Use as a Decorative Coat
- May Be Painted or Faux Finished

Available Sizes:

50lb. bag

Coverage

Each 50 lb. bag will cover approximately 45-55 sq.ft. at 1/8" thickness.



Helpful Items:



Preparation:

Remove all loose or unsound materials. Thoroughly clean all surfaces and substrates of dirt, dust, grease or other contaminants. Do not apply to painted surfaces - paint must be removed to ensure proper adhesion to the substrate. For patching or filling any holes or cracks, use Akona® Repair Products. ALWAYS PRE-WET SURFACE JUST PRIOR TO APPLICATION.

Mixing

For normal applications: mix one part of Concrete Bonding Additive to 3 parts of water.

For non-porous surfaces: on hot, windy days, mix one part of Concrete Bonding Additive to 1 part of water. Add approximately 1-1½ gallons of clean, cool liquid per 50 pounds of powder. Always add powder to liquid to avoid lumps. Mix complete contents of the bag in a wheelbarrow, bucket, mortar box or mechanical mixer. Mix product thoroughly to achieve a uniform, mortar consistency eliminating any lumps. Avoid high speed mechanical mixing which can entrap air into the mixture. Let product stand for five minutes, remix and add a little more mixing liquid to bring to a suitable consistency. If the product becomes firm before application, re-mix to proper consistency. Do not add accelerators or retarders.

Application

For best results, do not apply when temperatures drop below 40° F within 48 hours of application. Do not apply to frozen or frost-filled surfaces. Do not apply in direct sunlight on hot, windy days or when rain is forecasted within 24 hours. Clean up with soap and warm water as soon as application is completed. Protect the surface from use until mortar is completely hard and set.

For decorative applications: apply Akona® Heavy-Duty Waterproofing Base Coat using a steel trowel onto surface area at a thickness of approximately 1/8" to level uneven surfaces. For waterproofing applications, a second coat of Heavy-Duty Waterproofing Base Coat is required at a



thickness of approximately 1/8". Second coat should not be applied until first coat is firm and set. Dampen surface before second application. Smooth out any edges or trowel marks with a lightly, moistened sponge or sponge trowel.

Clean Up

Typically water will satisfactorily clean tools after using Akona® Heavy-Duty Waterproofing Base Coat. If the material has begun to harden, warm soapy water may be helpful for cleaning hands and tools.

Warranty:

Seller warrants that its product will conform to and perform in accordance with the product specifications. The foregoing warranty is in lieu of all other warranties, express or implied, including, but not limited to, those including merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. Because of the difficulty in ascertaining and measuring damages hereunder, it is agreed that, seller's liability to the buyer at no point for any particular project shall exceed the total purchase price of said product.

WARNING: INJURIOUS TO EYES!

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN!

PRECAUTIONS:

Avoid contact with eyes and skin. If contact with eyes occurs, flood eyes repeatedly with clean water and see a physician immediately. Do not rub eyes. Wash hands thoroughly after handling or before eating with warm, soapy water. Do not take internally. Keep out of reach of children.