FX Australia® Product Information

2 FX Topping Compound X (Interior)

Product Description

FX Topping Compound X is a premium, plaster-based product purpose-built to partner FX Super Base Coat X – Joint Compound. It has minimal shrinkage and is easy to sand. It is suitable for substrates such as fibre cement and Magnum Boards and is ready to be undercoated when dry. FX Topping Compound X is part 2 of a high-performance, integrated compound system. Developed by FX Australia and manufactured locally, the use of all products guarantees a time-saving, superior finish and greater strength for substrates.

Features Benefits

Water-based Ease of application
Pre-mixed Easy spreading
Easy Sanding Time-saving
Light-weight Easy clean-up

Uses

FX Topping Compound X is used over FX Super Base Coat X for a smooth, seamless finish. This system will ensure a premium surface ready to paint or achieve a level 5 plaster finish. Suitable for fibre cement sheeting and Magnum Board.

Surface Preparation

All surfaces must be thoroughly cleaned and free of dirt, dust and grease. Substrates need to be constructed or installed to industry /Australian Standards. Apply FX Super Base Coat X, part 1 of the integrated FX Compound System, using instructions in the FX Super Base Coat X Product Information Sheet, before applying FX Topping Compound X.

Application

Stir contents thoroughly before and during use with a broad, flat stirrer using an upward action or a power mixer.

Apply one coat of FX Topping Compound X over FX Super Base Coat X using a 280 mm trowel. Allow to dry for 3–4 hours at 25 °C and 50% humidity. If required, apply a second coat of FX Topping Compound X using the same method as the first coat. Allow to dry for 3–4 hours at 25 °C and 50% humidity. If any imperfections, lightly sand using a 220-grade sandpaper before proceeding to undercoating. FX highly recommends using FX Max Superprep for undercoating.

Approximate Spreading Rate: N/A.

Approximate Film Thickness per coat: Wet: 1000 Microns; Dry: 600 Microns.

Requires: 1-2 coats. Thinner: N/A. Tinting: N/A.

Method: Trowel or spatula.

Drying Times (at 25 °C): Touch: 1–2 Hours; Recoat: 6 Hours.

Note: Do not apply product if the air temperature or substrate temperature is below 12.5 °C or above 35 °C.

The temperature should not fall below 10 °C during the drying process.

Clean-up: Water. Safety: Dust Mask. Gloss Level: N/A.

Note: Minimum temperature for application has changed

Safety and Environmental Care

Safety

Personal Protection: Wear eye protection and dust mask when sanding, as product may cause eye irritation and inhalation of dust particles may cause respiratory irritation.

Asbestos cement sheeting: Do not disturb, sand or scrub, and avoid any peripheral dust. If you do not have professional expertise in the handling/removal of asbestos sheeting, use a licensed asbestos removalist.

Refer to product labels, current FX Australia Safety Data Sheets or call FX Australia for detailed information.

Clean-up

Slippery when spilled • Restrict access to area until clean-up is completed • When cleaning up spills, use personal protection equipment • Stop leak if safe to do so and contain spill with absorbent material such as sand, vermiculite or other inert material • Prevent spill from entering waterways • Collect and dispose of spilled material according to local regulations • Wash away remnants with liberal amounts of cold water.

Storage

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place out of direct sunlight • Store away from strong acids and moisture • Keep containers closed at all times and check regularly for spills.

Disposa

Refer to State/Territory Land Waste Management Authority: most authorities permit disposal at approved land waste sites.

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