

# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

## ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op

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**Description** ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op is a high performance full acrylic primer for use over many different substrates. The deep base formulation ensures that ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op can be tinted to darker colours if tinting is required. ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op provides a low suction substrate that will increase the lifespan of subsequent paint coatings. ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op is ideal as a primer for use with ROCKCOTE high performance membranes and colored textures.

### Features

- 10 year warranty\* • Alkali resistant • Easy to use • Highly adhesive

### Benefits

- Reduces suction • Can be tinted to deep colours

**Uses** • Reduces suction on porous and high suction substrates such as A.A.C, cement sheeting, render and masonry • Ideal for priming or sealing substrates prior to the application ROCKCOTE High Performance Membranes and Roll On Texture systems • Can be used interior and exterior

**Colours and Gloss** Can be tinted to a wide range of colours

**Sheen Level** Low Sheen

### Typical Data at 25°C and 50% Relative Humidity

**Thinning** 5%

**Coverage Rate** Approximately 6 square metres per litre, Figures are a guide only. Coverage rates vary according to substrate, application technique, wastage factors and substrate preparation.

**Drying Time** 2 hours

**Touch Dry** 1 hours

**Dry to Recoat** 2 hours

**Abrasion Resistance** Excellent

**Usual No Coats** 1

**Packaging Sizes** 15 Ltr pails

**Clean Up** Water

**Substrate Conditions** • Surfaces should be clean, dry and free from loose or crumbling material, oil or form release agents • Care should be taken to keep ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op off windows and adjacent surfaces that are not to be coated, as they can be very difficult to remove once allowed to dry • All substrates must be installed as per manufacturers' specifications prior to application • Not suitable for areas that will be submerged in water or subjected to continual moisture

**Flooring Installation** N/A

**Mixing** N/A

**Application** • If using multiple pails on a wall, box drums prior to use • The application of this product is a specialist procedure which should be carried out by a skilled and experienced applicator • substrates must not contain more than 15% WME before application can commence • It is important to maintain a wet edge when applying to avoid tracking and picture framing. [See ROCKCOTE's article on Picture Framing] • Must be applied evenly and consistently to provide colour consistency and opacity for top coats • Can be applied with a quality brush or 15-20mm long nap sheepskin roller • For tilt up precast concrete panels, ROCKCOTE Solprime must be applied prior to application

**Safety Data** Refer to ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op SDS

**Precautions and Limitations** • Should not be applied in air and surface temperatures below 5°C or above 35°C • Should not be applied over glossy silicone based paints or sealants • ROCKCOTE Primers should only be used over sound clean substrates, and are not suitable for areas that will be submerged in water or subjected to continual moisture • ROCKCOTE Masonry Primer Hi Op must only be used on

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substrates with a moisture level of less than 15% WME • ROCKCOTE Primers are not suitable for use direct to substrate below damp proof installments

### Transport and Storage

- Store in a cool dark place • Keep pail sealed • Do not stack over 3 high

### Disposal

- Spilt Material must be absorbed with sand/sawdust and lifted for proper disposal
- Product must not be allowed to run into drains or open bodies of water
- Residual small amounts of leftover paint on brushes and rollers should be wiped on to an old newspaper and allowed to dry, rather than being washed down the sink. Dispose of in accordance with local council regulations
- Suitable for disposal through the RA Industries Reclaimer Portable Paint Wash Recycling System

### Disclaimer

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\* WHEN USED AS PART OF A FULL ROCKCOTE SYSTEM.