

# Technical Data Sheet

## ROCKCOTE SANTINI

**Effective From** 10 Jun, 2019

ROCKCOTE Santini is composed of a high performance pure acrylic binder containing finely graded quartz sand and durable colour pigments, along with incorporated powerful mould and fungus inhibitors. ROCKCOTE Santini will provide a medium to heavy "bagged" finish when applied with a sponge or sheepskin mitt. Other attractive finishes such as broom finish can also be achieved, depending on method of application and finishing.

### Features

- Water based.
- Ease of use.
- Inexpensive way to achieve a rendered finish.
- Vapour permeable.

### Benefits

- Tough.
- Flexible.
- Water resistant.
- Excellent adhesion.
- Long term exterior protection.
- Can minimise surface imperfections.
- Tinted in the same way as paint, ensuring colour consistency.

### Uses

- ROCKCOTE Santini is suitable for application over properly prepared substrates such as brick, block, cement render, ROCKCOTE render, concrete, cement sheeting, AAC panels/blocks, and plasterboard.
- Can be used interior and exterior.
- Primarily for decoration and protection of surfaces but will also camouflage minor imperfection within a substrate.
- Can be over coated with ROCKCOTE Armour for added durability and lower maintenance.

### Colours and Gloss

- Can be tinted to a wide range of colours, from soft natural tones to strong vibrant colours.
- Low sheen when over coated with ROCKCOTE Armour/Flex.

**Sheen Level** Matt

**Coverage Rate** 8-15m<sup>2</sup>/15ltr

Coverage rates may vary according to the condition of the substrate, desired finish or method of application. ROCKCOTE Santini is usually applied at the rate of approximately 8 – 15 square metres per 15 litre drum. Care must be taken to avoid excessive build-up in corners and at reveals.

**Application Method** Trowel, High Build Texture Roller or Sheepskin Mitt

**Dry Film Build** Approximately 1.5mm

**Wet Film Build** Up to 3mm

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

**Drying Time** 24 hours

**Touch Dry** 4 hours

**Dry to Recoat** 24 hours

**Usual No Coats** 1

**Clean Up** Water

**Packaging Sizes** Trade 20L  15L  10L  4L  1L

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### Volume Solids

**Thinning** Up to 5%

### Elongation Rate

**Crack Bridging** Bridge cracks up to 900µm per applied coat.

**Abrasion Resistance** Excellent

### Moisture Control

**Water Resistance** Excellent

### Substrate Conditions

- It is advisable to apply a primer that has been tinted to the required finish colour to ensure colour consistency.
- ROCKCOTE Santini must be applied over properly prepared substrates that are free of dirt, dust, grime and any other contaminants.
- Substrates must not contain more than 15% moisture (WME) prior to the application of ROCKCOTE Santini.
- Do not apply ROCKCOTE Santini if air and surface temperatures are below 5°C or above 35°C.
- If applying over ROCKCOTE Quick Render, application of ROCKCOTE Santini may proceed after 48 hours if properly cured.

### Application

- The application of ROCKCOTE Santini is a specialised procedure and should only be carried out by a skilled and experienced applicator in accordance with ROCKCOTE's specifications.
- If using multiple pails of ROCKCOTE Santini contents must be boxed together to ensure colour consistency.
- Be sure to keep a wet edge with this product and plan your work to suit the product and weather conditions. See ROCKCOTE's Technical Article on Cutting In and avoiding "Picture Framing".
- If joining up to previous day's application, it is "good working practice" to start and finish on an external or internal corner.
- Keep the finished ROCKCOTE Santini sheltered from rain and moisture for 24-48 hours after completion dependent on climatic conditions.
- Can be applied with a high build texture roller, trowel or by sheepskin mitt to achieve desired finish.

### Precautions and Limitations

- ROCKCOTE Santini should not be applied in temperatures below 5°C or above 35°C.
- ROCKCOTE Santini is not suitable for areas of continual damp or areas submerged in water.

### Transport and Storage

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

### Disposal

- Dispose of in accordance with local council regulations

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### Safety Data

Refer to ROCKCOTE Santini SDS.

### Disclaimer

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