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Nucem Primer

Bonding Tack Coat

Description

A two component primer/tack coat designed to bond new cement based products to existing concrete surfaces. Initially developed for use with the Nucem range of cementitious repair compounds, the primer is characterised by its excellent adhesion to both concrete and steel reinforcement. The formulation is based on a water dispersible epoxy resin containing cement which provides an alkaline environment to protect steel reinforcement from chloride and carbon dioxide attack.

Advantages

- Long usable life
- Excellent bond strength to concrete and steel
- Suitable for both wet and dry substrates
- Provides added protection to steel reinforcement

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Resin	Water Dispersible Epoxy
S.G.	1.1
Pot Life @20°C	2.5 Hours
"Tack" Duration @20°C	2 - 3.5 Hours
Coverage	3 - 5m ² per kg
Bond Strength	>2.0 N/mm ²
(Independently assessed by Taywood Testing)	Bond stronger than the substrate and the repair material.

Surface Preparation

Substrate must be clean and sound, and free from all grease, oil, paint, plaster and laitance must be removed. Grit blasting, steam cleaning or water jetting are the preferred methods. Moss or lichen should be treated with Nufins Fungicidal Wash. All rust scale should be removed from any exposed steel preferably by grit blast cleaning.

Mixing

Nucem primer is prepared by adding the contents of the base tin to the hardener tin and mix thoroughly. Usable life 2-3 hours.







Application Instructions

The prepared surface and cleaned reinforcement steel should be coated with the Nucem Primer using a stiff brush ensuring it is thoroughly worked into the surface. Nucem Primer may be applied to either dry or damp surfaces. Dampening the surface will aid application. Within 3 hours while primer is tacky, apply the repair mortar or screed. Should the primer dry the area should be re-primed prior to the application. Clean all equipment immediately after use with cold water.

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Packaging

Nucem Primer is supplied in 0.5 kg, 1.0 kg units and 5 kg units.

Storage

The shelf life is 12 months when stored unopened in dry, normal conditions and away from direct sunlight. Protect from frost.

Health & Safety

Product Safety Data Sheets (SDS) are available from Nufins. SDS sheets are provided to help customers satisfy their safe handling, use and disposal needs as well as assist with any conformance requirements made locally by health and safety regulations.

SDS are continually updated to provide the latest information to our customers. We therefore recommend contacting our head office to obtain the most recent and accurate SDS before handling and using any product.

Limitations

Applications should not be made when temperatures are below 5°C .



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Technical Support

Through our technical department and laboratories we can offer a comprehensive service to specifiers and contractors. Technical contacts are available to provide further information and arrange demonstrations.

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