



Baumit SilikonTop Fine

Silicone resin render, for achieving a fine, smooth texture



- Vapour permeable
- Highly water repellent
- For smoother finishes

Product Overview Ready-to-use, silicone resin finish render for external use. Manual and machine handling to achieve a fine texture.

Composition Silicone resin emulsion, organic binder, mineral filler, additives and water.

Properties Mineral based, weather resistant, water vapour permeable, stain resistant, non-flame retarding and easy to use.

- Application**
- A topcoat render application providing decoration and protection to facades.
 - For application over old and new mineral coatings, renovation render basecoats, concrete surfaces and mineral basecoats

Technical Data

reaction to fire:	B
adhesive strenght:	0.3 MPa
µ-value:	60 - 80
gross density:	app. 1.8 kg/dm ³
thermal coefficient:	0.7 W/mK
pH-value:	8.5

consumption	
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Delivery Format 25kg bucket, 1 pallet = 24 buckets = 600kg

Storage Store in dry, cool conditions, free from frost in sealed tubs. Shelf life 12 months

Subsurface Substrates must be sound, clean, dry, free from frost, dust efflorescence and not water repellent. Existing mineral based coatings and paints must be sound and well bonded to the substrate (confirm with pull off tests and/or cross cut tests acc. To Baumit guidelines).

Suitable substrates:

- Basecoats on External Wall Insulation systems.
- Lime, cement renders and concrete.
- Well bonded mineral, silicate and dispersion paints and coatings.
- Organic basecoats (e.g. SilverFlex).
- Gypsum plasterboards (pretreated with 2 coats of Baumit SperrGrund).

Refer to Baumit for advice regarding other substrates and substrate preparation.

Subsurface Pre-treatment Surfaces (excluding Baumit PowerFlex basecoats) must always be prepared with a full and even coat of a suitable Baumit Primer before applying Baumit SilikonTop. Allow to dry for 24 hours. Refer to Product Data Sheet.

Processing

Mixing: Baumit SilikonTop must be well and slowly mixed with an electric hand mixer before application. It may not be mixed with other paint materials. Where required a minimal amount of water (max. 5%) may be added to improve workability.

Application:

The Baumit SilikonTop is applied with a stainless steel trowel or a fine spray machine and trowelled through to the grain thickness to produce a full and even coat. The surface is then textured using a plastic float, moving in tight circular motions. It should be applied systematically and continuously in complete sections. (Maximum thickness: 4 mm). If using as a full-surface coat, we recommend the Swiss variety (two-coats, first coat with 2 mm Baumit SilikonTop).

Notes and General Informations

The air, material and background temperature must be above +5° C during application and curing. Protect the facade from direct sunlight, rain and strong winds (i.e. with scaffold nets). High air humidity and low temperatures can prolong drying times considerably. Products from different batches must be mixed together prior to application. Colour tone development can be affected by the background conditions, temperature and air humidity level.

Baumit SilikonTop is equipped with a basic level of protection against algae and fungal growth. This achieves a preventative and inhibiting effect. For projects in critical environments (e.g. areas with above average humidity, rainfall, close proximity to water, plants, shrubbery, trees and woodland) we recommend an increased level of protection. A long term eradication of algae and fungal growth cannot be guaranteed.

The sands used in the Baumit facade renders are natural products. On occasion some of the sand grains may appear slightly darker. This does not in any way constitute a problem with quality of the product, but may represent a faint optical detracting, due to the natural properties of the raw materials.

A Light Reflectance Value lower than 25 must not be used for application on to External Wall Insulation systems.

Baumit SilikonTop should be left to dry for at least 14 days (at +20 C° and 60 % rel. humidity) before receiving any further coatings. Protective measures: Protect eyes and skin, and surrounding areas, especially glass, ceramic, brick, natural stone, varnishes and metals. Wash away any splashes with plenty of water. Do not allow to dry and harden.

Clean tools and equipment thoroughly with water immediately after use.

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