

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# **FIN**

# DUST REDUCED, FAST SETTING STURDY LEVELLING COMPOUND, 1-5 MM.



## **DESCRIPTION**

Dust reduced, fast drying, fine grained and shapeable sturdy mortar. Suitable on most cement-based substrates. Primer free on normal absorbent cement-based subfloors.

### **USES**

- For indoor use only.
- Suitable on most cement-based substrates.
- For filling, repairing, leveling, and making slopes.
- For fast full-surface smoothing of the subfloors.
- For staircase and wall projections.
- To level out differences in height to adjacent areas.
- As a repairing mortar for filling holes and deepening.
- Can be used under textile, ceramic and elastic coverings.
- Suitable for applications on subfloor heating system.

# **CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES**

- Dust reduced
- Very fine grained
- Fast drying independent of the layer thickness
- Pumpable
- Easy to work with
- Primer free\*
- \*on normal absorbent cement based subfloors

# **APPROVALS / CERTIFICATES**

- EN 13813: CT-C25-F5
- EC1 Plus & M1 for low emission

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Composition	Cement-based
Packaging	15 kg
Shelf life	6 months from production date (s. packaging) in unopened packaging. Opened packaging should be closed immediately and used up as soon as possible.
Storage conditions	Store in cool, dry conditions.
Bulk density	1,02 kg/liter of dry powder

# APPLICATION INFORMATION

Mixing ratio	15 kg of poweder with 4,5 liter of cold water	
Consumption	approx. 1,3 kg/m²/mm	
Layer thickness	1-5 mm (locally up to 20 mm, max 0,5 m²)	

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Substrate temperature	Not below +5°C, best conditions between +15°C - +20°C, both substrate and leveling compound
Pot Life	approx. 20 minutes
Waiting time	<ul> <li>Walkable after approx. 30 min</li> <li>Coverable after approx. 3 hours</li> </ul>

### **BASIS OF PRODUCT DATA**

All technical data stated in this Product Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

# **ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY**

For information and advice on the safe handling, storage and disposal of chemical products, users shall refer to the most recent Safety Data Sheet (SDS) containing physical, ecological, toxicological and other safety-related data.

### APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### SUBSTRATE QUALITY

FIN is suitable on substrates like:

- Concrete
- Aerated concrete
- Cement and rapid cement screeds
- Mastic asphalt screeds (sanded) IC 10 and IC 15 according to EN 13 813
- Old substrates such as ceramic tiles, natural stones, and terrazzo
- Wooden substrates
- Gypsum boards.

#### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

#### Requirement of substrate:

- Adequate strength, bearing strength, dimensional stability and permanent dry.
- Free of layers which reduce adhesion, e.g. dust, dirt, oil, fat, wax cleaning agents and loose particles.
- Separation layers, sinter layers, and other similar contamination should be removed through sanding, brushing, abrasive blast cleaning, milling or thorough cleaning.
- Old, loose, and weak levelling layers should be removed mechanically.
- When installing floor coverings, the RH of the construction must not exceed 85%.
- Layers of water-soluble adhesives, e.g. sulphatic adhesives, should be removed completely.
- Old water-resistant adhesives should be mechanically removed as thoroughly as possible.
- Old floors, such as ceramic tiles, are to be thoroughly cleaned and sanded.
- OSB to be grinded intensively.
- Rooms that do not have a cellar underneath must be sealed against rising dampness in compliance with the standard.

The requirements specified in relevant valid stand-

# SURFACE PREPARATION

For priming the substrates, use a suitable Casco primer. For further information see the technical data sheet of the chosen primer.

ards, guidelines and specifications must be fulfilled.

#### **MIXING**

15 kg of FIN/ 4,5 liter of cold water

#### **APPLICATION**

- Use a clean bucket.
- Pour FIN into cold, clean water and stir to a homogenous mixture (speed mixer recommended, 600 rpm, 3 min).
- Spread, smooth, and model the levelling compound with a smoothing trowel or spatula.
- Protect curing FIN from high ambient temperatures, direct sunlight, and draughts.
- The leveling compound must be covered.

#### **APPLICATION METHOD / TOOLS**

Steel spatula and trowel.

#### **CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT**

Clean tools with water.

### **LOCAL RESTRICTIONS**

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data for this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data.

### **LEGAL NOTES**

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