

Kerakover Acrilex Finish

Eco-friendly, organic mineral covering, completely coloured, ideal for use in GreenBuilding. With reduced solvent content, safeguards the health of both operators and the environment.

Kerakover Acrilex Finish creates high-thickness decorative coverings that are resistant to algae and atmospheric agents and based on styrene-acrylic resins. Flexible, excellent workability, high aesthetic quality of a compact effect. Internal, external.



GREENBUILDING RATING®

Kerakover Acrilex Finish

- Category: Organic Mineral products
- Protection and decoration

Rating based on average colour formulations



RATING SYSTEM ACCREDITED BY CERTIFICATION BODY SGS

PRODUCT STRENGTHS

- Compact effect
- Protects against atmospheric agents
- Excellent spreadability and slide
- Resistant to attack from mould, algae and fungi
- Excellent elasticity
- Suitable for insulation systems
- Available in 3 grain sizes (1.0 mm – 1.2 mm – 1.5 mm)



ECO NOTES

- Formulated with locally-sourced minerals meaning lower greenhouse gas emission during transportation
- Improved on-site safety guaranteed

AREAS OF USE

Use

Plastic coverings of:

- new cured plasters/renders
- old plasters/renders that are well anchored to the masonry substrate
- cement conglomerate elements
- prefabricated concrete elements:
- surfaces with synthetic or mineral finishes, all in good condition
- thermal insulation panelling system
- gypsum-based surfaces, provided they are suitably prepared
- plasterboard

For internal and external use.

Do not use

In the presence of rising damp.

* ÉMISSION DANS L'AIR INTÉRIEUR Information sur le niveau d'émission de substances volatiles dans l'air intérieur, présentant un risque de toxicité par inhalation, sur une échelle de classe allant de A+ (très faibles émissions) à C (fortes émissions).

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

The instructions for use for applications in heat-insulating systems refer, where required, to the Italian Technical Report UNI / TR 11715 "Heat-insulating products for buildings - Design and installation of external heat-insulating systems (ETICS)".

Preparation of substrates

Clean the various types of substrate carefully using suitable equipment to remove all traces of dirt, dust or efflorescence.

If necessary, apply the Kerakover Eco Acrilex Primer water-based primer on the surface to consolidate, even out absorption, and improve the adhesion of the next decorative cycle.

In Klimaexpert insulating panelling systems, use Kerakover Acrilex Fondo. Kerakover Eco Acrilex Primer and Kerakover Acrilex Fondo base coat may be coloured by adding up to 20% of Kerakover Quarzite or Kerakover Eco Kompact Pittura to obtain a coloured base before application of Acrilex Finish fine renders.

If an additional consolidating effect is required, apply one or more coats of Kerakover Acrilex Consolidante solvent-based stabilizing agent. In this case samples should be done in advance to verify the level of consolidation and absorption achieved.

Newly laid renders must be perfectly cured. New render patch layers must be left to cure, i.e. until the bonding agent has set.

Remove all sections of partially deteriorated synthetic or mineral-based paint coatings and coverings that are fragmenting or separating from the substrate.

In the presence of deposits of mould or biodeteriorating agents, repair first with Kerakover Activ.

For the treatment of substrates other than those mentioned and for additional information on the types of intervention to be carried out, we recommend to consult Kerakoll's Guide to decorating and preparing substrates.

Preparation

Kerakover Acrilex Finish is ready-to-use. Always remix the product before application. If necessary, it can be diluted using water.

Application

Kerakover Acrilex Finish must be applied using a steel float in one or more coats on supports that are completely dry or with a residual humidity of not more than 6%, and must be finished using a plastic float.

The product must be applied with a stainless-steel spreader or trowel and finished with a plastic spreader. Iron spreaders may release traces of metal; over time and in case of bad weather, they may show signs of oxidation on the façade, altering the aesthetic appearance of the decorated surfaces.

Conditions required for decorating are ambient and substrate temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C and relative humidity lower than 80%. The product must be applied after the render has been cured for approximately 4 - 5 weeks.

If application in several layers is necessary, wait for a minimum of 12 hours between subsequent layers, or make sure that the film has dried completely.

Do not apply when the substrate is directly exposed to sunlight. After application, external surfaces must be protected from rain and humidity for 48 hours.

In cases where different lots of coloured product are used, or when completing a job in which a tintometer has been used, it is advisable to mix the various quantities together so as to avoid slight differences in tone.

Always restart application from a corner.

Cleaning

Residual traces of Kerakover Acrilex Finish can be removed from tools with water before the product hardens.

SPECIAL NOTES

The colours shown in the sample charts are indicative and not binding. We therefore recommend testing the product onsite to check the exact colour and coverage that will be obtained.

Eliminate any type of water infiltration taking care to treat well in advance all the substrates concerned.

Before applying the coloured coating, clean the scaffolding boards by thoroughly washing them and remove all traces of surface dirt. In case of wind or rain, dust, traces of ferrous metals or residues from the building site may be projected onto the still fresh decorated surface and stain it; stains can no longer be removed after the fine plaster has dried.

Arrange for appropriate protective coverings for scaffolding and always protect surfaces where the paint product will not be applied.

High environmental humidity, condensation and the roughness of the substrate may encourage deposits of dust, spores and other nutrient sources and generate surface growth of micro-organisms that might modify the aesthetics of the finish.

For bright or intense shades, always evaluate their sensitivity to ultraviolet light, as indicated in the reference colour chart and in our GreenDesign software. This information is also provided in the documentation enclosed with the product samples, or in the documentation produced by the colour measurement department when sending the formulations requested.

Evaluate seasonal application conditions (different temperature and humidity conditions result in significant differences in paint drying and/or reaction times).

When applying the paint product to large surfaces, the application must stop in the vicinity of joints or guttering.

Subsequent supplies of product with the same colour code might show slight differences in shade. Always make sure you purchase a sufficient quantity to complete the work you are doing. When re-ordering the product, always indicate the batch code for the original supply.

ABSTRACT

Protection and decoration of internal and external surfaces and of panelling systems, involving application using a steel float and finishing using a plastic spreader of a compact effect, high coverage, mineral base using water-based, styrene-acrylic resins providing high protection from atmospheric agents, pollution, bacteria, fungi and algae, such as Kerakover Acrilex Finish (1.0 mm - 1.2 mm - 1.5 mm) by Kerakoll Spa, compliant with the performance requirements of Standard EN 15824, GreenBuilding Rating® 4. Permeability to water vapour class V2 (medium) under EN ISO 7783-2, permeability to liquid water class W3 (low) under EN 1062-3, adhesion ≥ 0.3 MPa under EN 1542, thermal conductivity (λ) 1.21 W/(m K) under EN 1745:2002.

TECHNICAL DATA COMPLIANT WITH KERAKOLL QUALITY STANDARD

Appearance	white or coloured paste
Volumetric mass	≈ 1.85 kg/ℓ
Chemical nature	styrene-acrylic resins
Shelf life	≈ 18 months from production in the original sealed packaging
Warning	protect from frost, avoid direct exposure to sunlight and sources of heat
Pack	25 kg buckets
Temperature range for application	from +5 °C to +30 °C
Humidity of the substrate	$\leq 6\%$
Waiting time between subsequent coats	≥ 12 hrs
Maximum thickness per layer:	
- grain size 1.0 mm	≈ 1.0 mm
- grain size 1.2 mm	≈ 1.2 mm
- grain size 1.5 mm	≈ 1.5 mm
Coverage per single coat:	
- grain size 1.0 mm	≈ 1.8 kg/m ²
- grain size 1.2 mm	≈ 2.1 kg/m ²
- grain size 1.5 mm	≈ 2.4 kg/m ²

Values taken at +20 °C, 65% R.H. and no ventilation. Data may vary depending on specific conditions at the building site.

PERFORMANCE

HIGH-TECH

Permeability to water vapour	class V2 (medium)	EN 7783-2
Permeability to water in liquid form	class W3 (low)	EN 1062-3
Respects the Kuenzle theory	$w < 0,5 \text{ kg/m}^2 \cdot \text{h}^{0,5} - S_D < 2 \text{ m}$	DIN 18550
Adhesion	$\geq 0,3$ MPa	EN 1542
Thermal conductivity (λ)	1.21 W/(m K)	EN 1745:2002
Reaction to fire	Class A2-s1, d0	EN 13501-1

Values taken at +20 °C, 65 ± 5% R.H. and no ventilation. Data may vary depending on specific conditions at the building site.

WARNING

- **Product for professional use**
- abide by any standards and national regulations
- use at temperatures between +5 °C and +30 °C
- make sure the substrate is not frozen
- protect surfaces from direct sunlight and wind
- protect all painted surfaces from rain and strong humidity during the first 48 hours following application
- if necessary, ask for the safety data sheet
- for any other issues, contact the Kerakoll Worldwide Global Service +39 0536 811 516 - globalservice@kerakoll.com

The Rating classifications refer to the GreenBuilding Rating® Manual 2013. This information was last updated in November 2020 (ref. GBR Data Report - 1220); please note that additions and/or amendments may be made over time by KERAKOLL SpA, for the latest version, see www.kerakoll.com. KERAKOLL SpA shall therefore be liable for the validity, accuracy and updating of information provided only when taken directly from its institutional website. The technical data sheet given here is based on our technical and practical knowledge. As it is not possible for us to directly check the conditions in your building yards and the execution of the work, this information represents general indications that do not bind Kerakoll in any way. Therefore, it is advisable to perform a preliminary test to verify the suitability of the product for your purposes.



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