



Architectural & Protective Coatings

TEX·COTE® COLOR·COTE

DESCRIPTION

TEX·COTE® COLOR·COTE was developed as a superior coating to be compatible with and have excellent adhesion to the different types of TEX·COTE® Textured Coatings. COLOR·COTE is salt spray, moisture, and mildew resistant.

COLOR·COTE can be used for color changes, banding, to revive older TEX·COTE® projects, or by itself with an appropriate priming system over manufacturer approved substrates.

FEATURES

- Satin finish
- 100% Water based acrylic exterior coating

BENEFITS

- Mildew and dirt resistant.
- Resists salt spray and moisture.

RECOMMENDED OVER

TEX·COTE® COLOR·COTE is recommended over TC 600, TC 100, TC 300 and XL 70® Coating and other approved films. If coating over XL 70®, must allow XL 70® to cure a minimum of 10 to 14 days prior to coating.

APPLICATION

Application Equipment

TEX·COTE® COLOR·COTE can be applied by brush, roller or commercial grade airless. Tip size .015 to .019.

Surface preparation

All surfaces must be sound, clean and dry prior to application of TEX·COTE® COLOR·COTE. All loose, flaking or oxidized paint shall be removed from surface by sand blasting, water blasting, wire brushing or scraping.

Surface contaminants such as dirt, dust, mildew, form oils, loose substrate, etc., shall be removed. If old paint is in sound condition, wash off excess chalk and allow to dry thoroughly. Large cracks, holes and voids must be filled in with cement patching compound which utilizes a bonding agent such as TEX·BOND. Texture of patch shall match existing surface. Cracks less than 1/8" (3.2 mm) shall be filled with FLEX·PATCH® compound. Cracks greater than 1/8" and less than 3/8" can be patched

with TEX·COTE® SKIM COTE.

Application Rate

Coverage rates will be between 200-250 square feet per gallon (4.9 to 6.0 square meters/liter) depending on surface porosity and texture.

Application

Over a dry, clean, properly prepared surface, apply COLOR·COTE at the specified application rate herein. Application shall be at uniform film thickness over the entire wall. A wet edge shall be maintained during spraying (brushing or rolling) at all times. To prevent lap marks, avoid starting and stopping midway on walls. On large areas, two people spraying simultaneously are recommended to avoid lap marks and spray patterns. Darker colors are more prone to lap marks. Be sure to maintain wet edge.

If rolling on COLOR·COTE, with fully loaded roller, apply in vertical strokes

initially, then cross roll for even film, ending with vertical strokes. To prevent lap marks proceed as above and continue to a "natural break" such as panel edge, seam or corner.

Drying / Curing Times

To touch: 2 hrs. approximately
Hardness: 24 hrs. minimum
Note: After 24 hours, residual matters in film will continue to cure with additional days of drying. Times are based on ideal weather.

Maintenance

No special maintenance required. Should COLOR·COTE become soiled, clean with soap and water.

Clean Up

For wet material use water. For dry material use xylol, acetone or methyl ethyl ketone (MEK).

FOR BEST PERFORMANCE

1. Do not apply material when snow, rain and freezing are imminent. Wet conditions combined with cold temperatures may cause improper

curing of product.

2. Application temperature shall be between 45°F rising to 100°F (7°C to 38°C).

3. Do not apply if rain is imminent.

AVOID FREEZING.

4. Surfaces shall be clean, dry and properly prepared.

5. Formulated for use over TCA textured coatings.
6. Products shall be handled and stored as shown herein.
7. Roof & parapet top caps shall be

- installed and sealed against water penetration before application.
8. NOTE: If TEX•COTE® XL 70® coating has cured 14 days or more, under ideal conditions, one can use

- any of the TCA latex top coats.
9. TCA does not promote or recommend coating the sealant joints, nor is the sealant compound an approved substrate.

TECHNICAL DATA

Typical Properties	TEX•COTE® COLOR•COTE
Solids by Weight	57.8%
Solids by Volume	40.0%
Weight Per Gallon	11.2 lbs
Moisture Vapor Permeability	>0.5 metric perms
Resin Base	100% Acrylic
VOC, grams/liter	<100

ORDER INFORMATION

Packaging

Available in 1, 5, 30 and 55 gallon containers.

Colors

TEX•COTE® COLOR•COTE is available in 16 standard TEX•COTE® colors, or TCA will match your color chip. Deep tone colors subject to an

additional charge.

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Coverage rates will be between 200-250 square feet per gallon (4.9 to 6.0 square meters/liter), depending on surface porosity and texture.

Shelf Life

12 month shelf life, based on the

following:

- Containers stored upright and air tight in a cool, dry place at temperature between 45°F and rising to 100°F (7°C to 38°C). AVOID FREEZING.
- Skins formed on surface of product shall be removed prior to mixing, moving or using.

SAFETY

Warning

TEX•COTE® COLOR•COTE contains crystalline silica. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe spray mist or dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

First Aid

If you experience difficulty in breathing, leave area to obtain fresh air. If difficulty continues, seek medical attention. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with large quantities of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention if blurring or redness continues.

VOC COMPLIANCE

All TEX•COTE® products comply with federal and state Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) rules and regulations. Please contact your nearest TCA office for assistance on the local VOC compliance in the area of intended use.

WARRANTY

Upon completion of application of coating in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, Textured Coatings of America, Inc. will extend its limited commercial warranty for product replacement as a result of defect in the material. The manufacturer must be notified prior to the application of the coating and the application must be in compliance with the manufacturer's recommendations for installation. Textured Coatings of America, Inc. shall have no obligation to contribute to or otherwise participate in labor or cost associated with effecting repairs. Specimen copy of material warranty available upon request.



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