

# <u>OmegaCrete</u>

Vertical Concrete Finish Coat





# Coverage

Approximately 100 ft<sup>2</sup> (9.3 m<sup>2</sup>) at a 1/16" thick.

Coverage may vary due to ambient temperature, surface temperature, surface porosity, mixing methods, and/or application methods.

## Packaging

Moisture resistive, 50lb (22.7kg) bags or 50lbs in 5 gal. pails

## Storage

- 1.Store in a cool, dry location.
- 2.Store away from direct contact with the ground and/or concrete.
- 3.Store out of direct sunlight.
- 4. Protect from weather and other damage.

#### Shelf Life

1 year

# Color

Light Grey / Cement

# **Product Description**

megaCrete is a premium, one component, polymer-modified cementitious coating designed to create a smooth finish on poured-in-place, tilt-up, precast, or other concrete surfaces. Specially formulated to be easily applied over these porous substrates, OmegaCrete will cure to become an integral part of the wall while maintaining the wall's durability and breathability. OmegaCrete is an excellent choice to cover bugholes, honeycombs, and other small imperfections in concrete surfaces to produce a clean, uniform, smooth appearance.

Features	Benefits	
Vapor Permeable	Allows wall to naturally breath	
No VOCs	Low odor and toxicity	
Single component	Only requires water to be added, which reduces chance of mixing errors or inconsistencies	
Easy to Use	Excellent workability, sandable, and cleans up with water	
Versatile	Applied feather-edge to 1/4" thick in one pass	

# Basic Uses

OmegaCrete is designed to be a skim coat finish over vertical or overhead concrete substrates

to create a clean, smooth, cement appearance. It may be left exposed, sealed, or painted.

OmegaCrete can be used in interior or exterior applications.

# Area of Use

OmegaCrete may be applied over the following properly prepared substrates:

- 1. Poured-in-place and/or tilt-up concrete
- 2. Precast concrete
- 3. Stucco/Brown coat
- 4. Masonry CMU, brick, and porous stone or tile
- 5. Other approved, porous substrates

# Application Instructions



# Surface Preparation

All surfaces to receive application must be properly cured, structurally sound, clean and free of debris, dirt, dust, efflorescence, grease, oils, curing agents, and cleaning solutions. If necessary, roughen or etch smooth surfaces such as precast and cast-in-place concrete to ensure good mechanical adhesion of OmegaCrete. Repair all larger cracks or voids with the appropriate patching material for the existing substrate. Just prior to application, dampen all surfaces that are to receive the OmegaCrete with clean, potable water.

Mix by hand or use a paddle mixer of less than 300 RPM to avoid over entraining air.

- 1. Gradually add 50 lbs of OmegaCrete to approximately 2 gallons (7.6L) of cool, potable water while mixing. Do not use hot or warm water.
- 2. Mix the material thoroughly to a smooth consistency.
- 3. Allow it slake (stop mixing) for 5 to 10 minutes then break the set (remix). Do not add additional water or powder after slake period.
- 4. During the application, occasionally stir the mixture to help maintain workability.

## Application

- 1. Evenly wet the substrate with potable water.
- 2. Apply OmegaCrete using a brush, float, or trowel with sufficient pressure to fill any surface defects. Maximum thickness of a single coat should be approximately 1/4-inch.
- 3. If desired, after the first coat has sufficient strength, apply a second coat and trowel to desired appearance.
- 4. If desired, sand OmegaCrete once it has dried.

### Curing

Curing and/or drying time may vary due to climatic conditions. Drying should occur within 24 hours at an ambient and surface temperature of 70°F (21°C) and 55% R.H. When hot, dry, or windy conditions exist, protection should be provided. All freshly applied material must be protected from inclement weather until fully dry. Full adhesion strength should take one to four days. Full curing strength typically occurs in approximately 28 days.

# Limitations

DO NOT apply product when the ambient and surface temperature is below 40°F (4°C).\* The ambient and surface temperature must maintain the above requirements until fully dry (See CURING). Material that is allowed to freeze before fully drying may suffer irreparable damage.

DO NOT add any other materials to the mixture of the product without written approval from Omega Products International.

**DO NOT** deviate in the mixing or application procedures contained in this, or any other Omega product data sheets, without written approval from Omega Products International

DO NOT apply OmegaCrete if there are contaminates on the receiving surface. Contaminates may include, but are not limited to dust, debris, efflorescence, and/or oils.

DO NOT use a paddle mixer that exceeds 500 RPM.

DO NOT use on a wearing surface.

NOTE: Failure to follow manufacturer's written specifications could result in the following, but not limited to spalling, cracking, peeling, chipping, delamination, discoloration, wash off, and overall system failure.

Due to job conditions beyond the control of Omega Products International we make no warranty as to the acceptance of the final color. The finish should be applied on a sample section of the project and verified for color accuracy prior to the actual application process.

## Cleaning

Cleaning may be accomplished with water immediately after use.

Avoid contact with eyes or prolonged contact with skin. Wash thoroughly after handling. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with running water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician immediately. Do not take internally. Be sure to provide adequate ventilation in enclosed areas. Use of an approved respirator is recommended

## Technical Data

TEST	METHOD	RESULTS	
	C109 MOD.	1 day	2500 psi
Compression Strength		7 days	4000 psi
		28 days	5000 psi
Tensile Strength to Concrete	C1583 MOD.	180 psi	
Initial Set Time	-	1.5 hours	
Final Set Time	-	2 hours	

Values listed are typical results for the tests indicated, but should not be considered specifications. Actual product performance will depend on job conditions and application methods.

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