

# Limestone Rendering

Acrylic Finishes styled to create the look of limestone

## COLORS

Available in a wide variety of standard and custom colors.

For the appearance of added depth, it is recommended that the Limestone Finish be tinted to a slightly darker color than the Finetex Finish

## PACKAGING

31.7-kg per 19-liter pail  
(70-lbs per 5-gallon pail)

## COVERAGE

Varies depending on application technique and surface condition.



## DESCRIPTION

Limestone Rendering is a finish technique utilizing two textured acrylic finishes to create the look of limestone in a lightweight, easily installed architectural wall finish.

FEATURES	BENEFITS
Limestone look	The look of limestone in an acrylic based Finish
Lightweight	The look and feel of limestone at a fraction of the weight
100% Acrylic polymer chemistry	Long-term durability and weather resistance
Integral Color	Reduced maintenance and recoating; lasting color uniformity
Weather resistant	Repels water and resists wind-driven rain

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### USES

1. Provides an aesthetically pleasing surface color and texture for Finestone Wall Systems.
2. Can also be utilized as a textured finish for poured concrete or unit masonry, conventional stucco, Finestone Stucco Wall System, Finestone Cement-Board Stucco, certain insulating concrete forms, and interior veneer plaster or gypsum wallboard.
3. Can be utilized on quoins, arches and reliefs.

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### MIXING

1. Individually mix the factory-prepared Limestone and Finetex Finishes with a mixer until thoroughly blended. (Clean mixing paddle thoroughly between mixing of the two textures.)
2. A small amount of clean, potable water may be added to adjust workability.
3. Additives are not permitted.
4. Close container when not in use.
5. Clean tools with soap and water immediately after use.

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### APPLICATION

1. Substrate shall be dry, clean, sound and free of releasing agents, paint or other residue or coatings. Verify substrate is flat, free of fins or planar irregularities greater than 6.4 mm in 3 m (1/4" in 10').
2. Apply Limestone Finish directly to the substrate with a clean, stainless steel trowel.
3. Apply and level Limestone Finish during the same operation to minimum obtainable thickness consistent with uniform coverage.
4. Maintain a wet edge on Limestone Finish by applying and texturing continually over the wall surface.
5. Work Limestone Finish to corners, joints or other natural breaks and do not allow material to set up within an uninterrupted wall area.
6. Float Limestone Finish to achieve final texture and allow to dry.
7. Apply Finetex Finish to the dry Limestone Finish with a clean, stainless steel venetian trowel.
8. Trowel down to an even, tight application. Trowel Finetex Finish in two directions to ensure Finetex Finish is pushed into underlying Limestone Finish.
9. Float Finetex Finish using a small (max. 4"x10") stainless steel Venetian trowel.

**Note: Use the same final troweling tool and hand motion over the entire wall. Creating a uniform appearance on large wall areas may be difficult.**

10. To create more open pit marks on the finish surface, raise the angle of the trowel while leveling the Finetex Finish. Immediately float the Finetex Finish with the same Venetian trowel with circular motions. Varying the pressure of the float will also create pit mark variances. Ensure all installers utilize the same installation techniques and motions to create similar appearances.

#### Note:

1. If finish surface requires spritzing to keep finish open, be aware that finish color variations may occur.
2. Always prepare a full scale sample representative of the finish appearance and workmanship for final approval.

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### LIMITATIONS

1. Protect Finestone materials during transportation and installation to avoid physical damage.
2. Store Finestone materials in a cool, dry place protected from freezing. Store at no less than 4 °C (40 °F). Protect from extreme heat and direct sunlight. Shelf life is two years when unopened and stored as directed.
3. Do not apply Finestone materials in ambient temperatures below 4 °C (40 °F). Provide supplementary heat during installation and drying period (at least 24 hours after installation and until dry) when temperatures less than 4 °C (40 °F) prevail.
4. Do not apply Finestone materials to frozen surfaces.
5. Samples for job approval must be made in the field by the applicator, and approved prior to ordering.

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### VOC CONTENT

0 g/l, or 0 lbs/gal less water and exempt solvents.

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### TECHNICAL SUPPORT

Consult Master Builders Solutions Technical Services Department at +1 (800) 589-1336 for specific recommendations concerning all other applications. Consult the Wall Systems website at [finestone.master-builders-solutions.com/en](http://finestone.master-builders-solutions.com/en), for additional information about products and systems and for updated literature.

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