## **COSTARFLO 100**

Normal Setting Cementitious Self-Leveling Underlayment



### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

COSTARFLO 100 is a cementitious self-leveling single component product, suitable for use in light to Medium-duty internal applications on new or existing substrates in order to receive all kinds of flooring covering. It has good abrasion resistance and provides a tough surface.

### BENEFITS

- Excellent self-leveling properties
- Low VOC
- Smooth surface profile
- Excellent bonding properties
- High Strength and reduced Shrinkage
- Ensures safe use in places with poor ventilation
- Excellent flow with long slump life
- Excellent flexural and tensile strength
- Dense corrosion resistance surface
- Great resistance to chemicals, acid and solvents
- Great anti-static properties

## **APPLICATION AREAS**

COSTARFLO 100 is used in areas such as:

- Hotels, theaters, hospitals, schools Industries, etc.
- For levelling existing concrete pavements, terrazzo, ceramic, or natural stone after a good surface preparation and priming.
- It can be applied over light weight screed.

## APPLICATION

#### **Surface Preparation**

- Clean surface of oil, grease, dirt, laitance and loose material, down to sound concrete.
- New concrete surfaces should be allowed to cure 4 – 6 weeks.
- All cracks and damaged areas should be repaired.

## Priming

Concrete substrates should be primed with Costar Primer 10 before application of Costarflo 100.

#### **Mixing Instruction**

- Do not mix partial bags, each 20 Kg bags of Costarflo100 is to be mixed with 5 - 6 liters of clean water in a paddle type mixer on a slow speed drill.
- Slowly addthe Costarflo 100 into the water. Mix for a minimum of 2 minutes until lump free.
- Ensure that the mixed material has a temperature not exceeding 300.

### **Application Instructions**

- Pour the mixed material onto the prepared floor and allow to flow and attain a smooth finish.
- Minimal work with a smoothing trowel is required.
- The use of a spiked roller will help eliminate entrapped air and smooth out flow lines to give a more uniform surface appearance.
- The mixed material should be applied at a thickness between 3mm to 6mm, but can be taken down to afeathered edge if required.
- For best results, an overall thickness of at least 3mm should be maintained.

### **Consumption**:

Theoretical consumption of (1.3kg/m2) can be adopted for use.

**NOTE:** Actual consumption of product is dependent on the porosity of substrate and the existing profile of the substrate.



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## TECHNICAL PROPERTIES

Packaging	20kg bag
Appearance	Grey/white powder
Shelf life	12 months from date of production
Storage conditions	Product must be stored in original, unopened, and undamaged sealed packaging in dry condition and temperature between +5 °C and +35 °C.
Water ratio	5 to 6litres of water per 20kg bag of product
Setting time, ASTM C191	Initial: Approx. 20 minutes Final: 20 to 40 minutes
Unit weight	128 lb/cu ft (2051 kg/m3)
Compressive strength	24 hours: (19.5 MPa)   7 days: (27.4 MPa)   28 days: (30.3 MPa)   ASTMC109 modified
Length change,	28 days, air : ≥ -0.05% 28 days, water: $\leq 0.05\%$ <b>ASTM C157</b>
Application temp	Minimum 10°C, Maximum 30°C
Density	2.0kg/l
Open time	Approximately 100 minute@20°C and 45minute@35°C
Substrate temp	+5 °C min. / +35 °C max
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#### SHELF LIFE \_\_\_\_\_\_

Protect from freezing and contamination. Shelf life in unopened, original containers is 12 months, when stored at 68°F (20°C).

#### STANDARD COMPLIANCE

- ASTM C109 Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Hydraulic Cement Mortars
- ASTM C157 Standard Test Method for Length Change of Hardened Hydraulic-Cement, Mortar, and Concrete
- ASTM C191 Standard Test Methods for Time of Setting of Hydraulic Cement by Vicat Needle

#### HEALTH & SAFETY \_\_\_\_\_

- In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
- If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.
- Keep the coating materials above 10C.
- Do not apply when surface temperature is below  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$  or over  $35^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Do not apply in environments of high humidity/moisture, or if pending rain is a possibility.
- Once mixed, it be must use within its pot life as specified in earlier section

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Costarchem manufactures a complete range of construction chemical products which include:

- Concrete admixtures
- Waterproofing system
- Flooring system
- Cementitious and epoxy precision grouts
- Damp-proofing products
- Sealants and adhesives
- Repair and refurbishment systems

For more information on any of our products, please contact Costarchem global or regional office.

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