



## DAKAR

### PRODUCT DATA INFORMATION SHEET

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

AMANI's DAKAR IS A STRESSED, TEXTURED WALL COATING THAT PROTECTS THE WALL AND WILL OUTLAST ANY CONVENTIONAL PAINT.

#### FEATURES & BENEFITS:

- Suitable for interior or exterior use on either new or previously painted walls that have been properly prepared.
- A choice of five colours in the range.
- Flexible and provides excellent crack bridging properties.
- High build texture effectively hides surface imperfections.
- Extremely tough and durable
- Eco friendly and water based.
- Supplied ready to use.
- Rolled on then block brushed.
- Primer plus two coats.
- Can be over coated with **Amani Signature Glaze**

#### USES:

Designed for interior or exterior use as a protective and decorative coating for a wide variety of new or previously coated surfaces that have been **suitably prepared and primed**.

This includes cement plasters, concrete, fibre cement, ceiling boards, off shutter concrete, highly porous surfaces, gypsum. Special primers might be required for some of these surfaces, discuss with your applicator.

#### PACKAGING:

5- & 20-liter containers.

Spread rate: 2 m<sup>2</sup> / L / Coat (a 2-coat system)

#### REFURBISHMENT BUILDING TIPS:

- Prepare the surface by removing all loose and flaking paint, dirt, grease, and grime.
- Make sure plasterwork is sound, dry, and clean.
- Don't skimp on the preparation work, repair cracks, blow holes etc.
- Has the waterproofing been done by a professional?
- Ensure that any scaffolding is positioned at a comfortable distance away from the wall so that the application technique is not compromised. (400-600mm).

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### NEW BUILD TIPS:

- Prepare the wall to ensure that the surface is clean, dry, and sound.
- Inspect the substrate: The plaster substrate must have a smooth and even finish. This can be achieved with a steel float. The new plaster should be allowed to cure. This may take up to 21 days, depending on weather conditions. Test that it is dry before application. The moisture reader should show a saturation level of less than 12%.

### APPLICATION METHOD:

- Ensure the wall is clean, dry, and sound.
- If the surface is very dense or porous, further preparation may be necessary. On some surfaces a universal primer may be required first. Let your painter advise you.
- Apply 1 even coat of **AMANI X FORCE PRIMER** and allow to cure.
- Application tools: lambs-wool roller and block brush.
- Apply the **DAKAR** first coat with a roller and allow to dry.
- Then apply the topcoat with a roller and block brush. It is recommended that two Applicators work together on the same area. The first applicator spreads the material evenly by crosshatching with a roller and second applicator finishes off by using a block brush to achieve either a crosshatching or vertically pattern to achieve the desired textured finish. Allow for drying time between coats.
- **The spread rate is 2 sq.m per litre per coat.**
- The spread rate is a guideline only. The applicator needs to determine the actual spread rate.
- The product is supplied ready for use. **DO NOT THIN.**
- Mix gently with a flat paddle before and during application. Do not use a mechanical mixer as this could over develop the colour.
- Clean with water.

### SHELFLIFE AND STORAGE:

- 6 - 8 Months in unopened containers.
- Store in a cool dry and well- ventilated place away from excessive heat or open flame.
- Do not allow to freeze.

### CLIMATE CONDITIONS:

- Before the coating has cured for 24 hours, Dakar cannot be exposed to heavy rainfall.
- The coating should never be applied in adverse weather conditions or on wet surfaces.
- In hot temperatures try not to apply in direct sunlight if possible.
- Variations in temperature will affect drying times.



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### **HANDLING AND SAFETY:**

This product is water based and non-toxic. Keep out of reach of children. It does contain chemicals that may be irritants to the skin. Appropriate protective clothing must be worn. Protect eyes and skin from exposure. Wash spillages immediately with water. Do not induce vomiting if swallowed. Consult a physician if irritation of skin persists or if product is ingested. Gather up environmental spillages and dispose of in accordance with regulations of the local authorities.

### **DISCLAIMER:**

*All information given here is given in good faith. We reserve the right to make changes to the product in the interests of product development and improving technology*

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