

## Granite

A seamless finish of granite, quartz and ceramized sands and mica flakes with the appearance of natural stone. Granite is a water-based, vapor permeable, durable acrylic texture coating.

### RECOMMENDED USE

It is ideal for high traffic areas on interior walls. Interior commercial, hospitality, military, educational and residential wall applications. Granite may be applied over prepared drywall, CMU block, masonry, plaster or concrete

### COVERAGE

Each 5 gal. pail of Granite provides 80 -110 ft<sup>2</sup>. Variations in substrate conditions and applicator technique will affect coverage.

### PACKAGING

1 gallon pail: 11.2 lbs. net, 11.9 lbs. gross  
5 gallon pail: 56 lbs. net, 58.8 lbs. gross

### PROPERTIES

#### Drying Time

**Initial Set:** 5 hrs. @ 77°F, 50% RH  
**Cure:** 72 hrs. @ 77°F, 50% RH

#### VOC Compliance

Granite complies with all known regulations limiting the Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) content of architectural coatings and sealers.

#### REDUCTION

Use potable water. Material may be diluted with up to 8 oz. of water per 5-gallon pail in order to achieve desired consistency.

#### EQUIPMENT

Stainless steel trowel and acrylic float. See the PermaTone Application Guide for information on equipment for specific textures.

#### APPLICATION

##### Surface Preparation

Walls must be prepared to be paint ready. Surfaces must be clean, dry and free of dust, grease or other materials that may affect bonding. Previously painted surfaces must be scraped to remove all loose paint. Interior drywall must be taped, floated and sanded using normal interior drywall finishing procedures. Use CorevMix to repair minor drywall damage.

Prime with PintuFondo in a similar color to Granite. Allow PintuFondo to dry for 8 - 12 hours prior to application of Granite.

#### Material Preparation

Mix Granite to a homogeneous consistency with a mud mixer at low speed.

#### Application Procedures

GRANITE comes ready for application, prior to use, the material inside the bucket should be mixed with a mud mixer at low speed prior to use. Apply with a clean stainless steel trowel to the thickness of the larger aggregate size and work the trowel to make the surface smooth. Press down firmly using a 10 degree angle with the trowel to bring the mica to the surface and enhance the granite appearance. The working time depends upon material, ambient temperatures and surface conditions. Allow minimum of 24 hrs to dry.

#### CLEAN-UP

Tools should be cleaned with water while Granite is still wet.

#### STORAGE

Store Granite in its original container at temperatures not less than 40°F (4°C) or greater than 90°F (32°C). Store out of direct sunlight. Do not stack pails more than three high.

#### SHELF LIFE

Approximately one year if stored properly.

#### MAINTENANCE

Surface may be cleaned with a mild soap and water solution and medium bristle brush.

#### WARRANTY

Granite is conditionally warranted for 10 years against delamination and color fading. FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION, CONSULT PERMATONE'S LONG FORM SPECIFICATIONS AND PRODUCT WARRANTIES.

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#### LIMITATIONS

- For use on interior wall and ceiling surfaces only.
- Patching limitations standard to applied coatings.
- This product requires skilled application.
- Surface air and substrate temperatures shall be 60°F to 85°F during application and for a period of 24 hours thereafter.
- Granite is not compatible with solvent base products or cleaners.
- Use in well ventilated areas.
- Protect all adjacent surfaces (door frames, windows, etc.) adequately.
- Do not apply over quickset joint compound.
- Prepare metal surfaces such as corner bead with rust inhibitors prior to application of Granite.
- Always wear appropriate eye and skin protection when using this product.
- Avoid constant moisture in the wall cavity behind the coating.
- Harmful if swallowed.

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