

**CEMENT & CONCRETE PRODUCTS** 

# CONCRETE ACRYLIC FORTIFIER PRODUCT NO. 8610

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier is a highly water resistant acrylic resin formulation designed as a bonding agent admixture for thin Portland cement coatings.

## PRODUCT USE

QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier densifies surfaces and makes them more resistant to many chemicals and mild acids, as well as to the penetration of water or aqueous solutions.

## **APPLICATIONS WITH REPAIR PRODUCTS**

For making thin repairs to concrete, use with QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Sand (Topping) Mix, Quick-Setting Cement and other repair materials. Mix QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier directly into the repair material as part of the liquid addition.

### APPLICATIONS WITH WALL PRODUCTS

Use with QUIKWALL<sup>®</sup> Surface Bonding Cement or Heavy Duty Masonry Coating in new construction or rehabilitation to achieve improved bond strength and to increase water resistance. QUIKWALL<sup>®</sup> Surface Bonding Cement with Concrete Acrylic Fortifier is a good choice for rehabilitation of damaged concrete and masonry walls. Use Concrete Acrylic Fortifier with QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Finish Coat Stucco to provide increased bond strength and curing properties, reduced shrinkage cracking and to prevent separation between basecoats and finish coats.

## APPLICATIONS WITH TILE PRODUCTS

A 50:50 mixture of QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier and water is used with tile setting and grouting products to improve bond and water resistance.

### **SIZES**

• QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier is available in 1 qt (0.95 L) plastic bottles and 1 gal (3.8 L) plastic jugs

## TECHNICAL DATA

APPLICABLE STANDARDS

ASTM International

 ASTM C1438 Standard Specification for Latex and Powder Polymer Modifiers in Hydraulic Cement Concrete and Mortar

When added to the appropriate cementitious system, QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier will provide the following benefits compared to the unmodified system:

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• Exceeds the requirements of ASTM C1438

• Excellent toughness and good adhesion to clean stucco, concrete or masonry surfaces

• Reduced permeability to provide resistance to the penetration of salt water and other aggressive chemicals

- Reduced drying shrinkage which reduces the tendency for cracking and crazing in thin repairs
- Eliminates the need for moist curing under most circumstances
- Excellent water resistance to decrease spalling, cracking and
- surface degradation caused by repeated freeze/thaw cycles

• Suitable for use with trowel applied repair mortars and stuccos as well as sprayable systems such as QUIKWALL® Surface Bonding Cement

• One coat of QUIKWALL<sup>®</sup> Surface Bonding Cement or 2 coats of QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Heavy Duty Masonry Coating with Concrete Acrylic Fortifier added will meet most building code requirements for dampproofing concrete and masonry foundations.

## INSTALLATION

### SURFACE PREPARATION

• It is absolutely necessary that all substrates be completely clean and free from dust, dirt, oil, wax and grease

• Previously painted surfaces must be stripped to ensure that all remaining paint is removed

## MIXING

· Shake well before using

• Use the recommended amount of Concrete Acrylic Fortifier along with sufficient water to provide proper consistency

• For QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Sand Mix, or Finish Coat Stucco, use 0.5 gal (1.9 L) of Concrete Acrylic Fortifier per 80 lb (36.3 kg) bag or 3 pints (1.4 L) per 60 lb (27.2 kg) bag

• For QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Quick-Setting Cement and QUIKWALL<sup>®</sup> Surface Bonding Cement, add 0.5 gal (1.9 L) of Concrete Acrylic Fortifier per 50 lb (22.7 kg) bag

### **APPLICATION**

Apply in accordance with instructions for product being modified.

### CURING

Under normal conditions, do not moist cure since air is essential in the curing of Concrete Acrylic Fortifier mixes; however, under extreme conditions of wind and heat, moist curing may be required for the first 24 hours.

## PRECAUTIONS

QUIKRETE<sup>®</sup> Concrete Acrylic Fortifier is not to be used with polymer modified products

• Do not use with products containing air entrainment such as mortar mixes made from masonry cement

• Do not use in combination with Concrete Bonding Adhesive (#9902)

Store in a cool, dry place and protect product from freezing
Do not place finishes or patches at temperatures below 50 degrees
F (10 degrees C), or when temperatures are expected to fall below 40 degrees F (4 degrees C) within 24 hours

Note - It is extremely important that mixing proportions and directions are followed explicitly. Any deviations from mixing proportions that result in lesser quantities of Concrete Acrylic Fortifier could cause inadequate adhesion and performance.

#### WARRANTY

NOTICE: Obtain the applicable LIMITED WARRANTY: at <u>www.quikrete.com/product-warranty</u> or send a written request to The Quikrete Companies, LLC, Five Concourse Parkway, Atlanta, GA 30328, USA. Manufactured under the authority of The Quikrete Companies, LLC. © 2018 Quikrete International, Inc.

\* Refer to www.quikrete.com for the most current technical data, SDS, and guide specifications

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