



The Choice of Professionals

RuCoat® Equalizer Plus is a specially formulated product designed to reduce the time and effort it takes to accomplish a level 5 gypsum board finish. In accordance with the GA-214/ASTM C-840 level 5 gypsum board finish specifications, a skim coat of joint compound over the entire wallboard surface, followed by a primer coat of paint will give you the highest quality drywall finish. This two-step process is costly and labor intensive. It can be eliminated by applying RuCoat Equalizer Plus in an easy one-step spray application over a level 4 finish. Using RuCoat Equalizer Plus will help provide a superior surface for final decorations.



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ADVANTAGES

Easy to use: Apply with airless sprayer instead of hand application.

Economical: Eliminates skim coat and prime coat at approximately 100 ft²/gallon.

Reliable: Consistent time after time.

Efficient: Minimizes callbacks due to joint banding and photographing.

LIMITATIONS

Allow RuCoat Equalizer Plus to dry and then apply a quality wall size before applying wallpaper or vinyl wall covering.

During storage, protect material from temperature extremes and moisture. Protect from freezing. RuCoat Equalizer Plus ages naturally during storage, so failure to rotate stock may produce performance problems.

Not recommended over new plaster finishes.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE

SURFACES: All surfaces must be clean, dry and free from any dirt, grease or water-soluble materials. Prime all exposed metal surfaces with a rust-inhibitive primer.

GYPSUM WALLBOARD: Maintain minimum air, product, and surface temperature of 50° F at all times. Treat all joints and nail heads, then sand smooth.

CONCRETE: Remove oils, grease, efflorescence or other deposits. Grind unlevelled surfaces and remove dust. Treat irregularities with RuCo Sure Sand Set Type compounds.

MIXING: Stir thoroughly prior to applying. Do not thin. Thinning may result in unsatisfactory product performance.

APPLICATION: Apply RuCoat Equalizer Plus with an airless sprayer. For best results, apply a full coat at 14 to 20 mils. Use an airless paint sprayer capable of a minimum of 1.1 gallons per minute. Apply with a sprayer equipped with a 1/4" hose (1/8" whip option-al), and a .523 tip. Spray at a minimum of 3000 psi. Material dries to touch within 1 hour under 75° F / 50% R.H. conditions. Allow RuCoat Equalizer Plus to dry for 12 to 24 hours before applying decorative coating. Variation in equipment and/or technique will cause a difference in results.

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