

CARBRA-MIX TYROLEAN FINISH

OFF WHITE



EXTRA WHITE



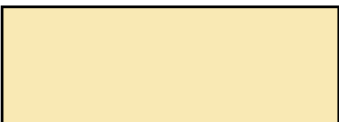
YORK



CREAM



HALF CREAM



MELLOW STONE



MIST GREY



SUFFOLK



SHELL



• Existing Renders

The surface to be decorated must be sound, dry and clean any cracks or damaged areas should be repaired with similar material as the existing render and allowed to harden before the application of Carbra-Mix.

Any organic growth or spores should be removed with an appropriate fungicidal wash.

• New Renders

The new rendering should be compatible with the background to which it is to be applied, and allowed to cure sufficiently

• Suction

Suction on some dense surfaces may need to be improved. A coat of a proprietary P.V.A agent diluted with water and Carbra-Mix of the colour to be used should be brushed onto the surface before applying the textured coat. Allow 24-48 hrs for the coat to dry.

• Masking

Any area not to be covered must be masked with a suitable material i.e. Polythene sheet or Plywood

• Shading

The shades indicated on the shade chart are a guide; but due to the characteristics of tyrolean finishes an exact match of shades cannot be guaranteed. It is recommended to test a small area to ensure the correct shade has been chosen. Small samples will be supplied when requested.

• Mixing Instructions

Dry Mix contents before the addition of water, when using more than one bag it is advisable to dry mix from different bags. Mix approximately 2½ parts powder to 1 part water. Mix thoroughly until the required consistency is required for application. Do not mix more than can be used within one hour

Approximate Coverage: - 1m² per 5 kg / 25 kg per 5m²

• Weather Conditions

If excessively rapid drying occurs due to high temperatures, or drying winds, a fine mist spray of clean water should be applied twice daily until finish has hardened fully

If rain is imminent and any freshly applied finish cannot be covered, it is advisable not to proceed.

DO NOT PROCEED if there is a likelihood of frost or freezing.

To reduce the possibility of **WHITE STAINING** in coloured mixes, avoid using during **WET** or **ADVERSE WEATHER**.

• Health and Safety

Carbra-Mix is cement based. Prolonged contact with the skin should be avoided. Wash deposits off with clean water. Protect eyes at all times. Respiratory protection is advised when handling dry materials

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- New Renders

The new rendering should be compatible with the background to which it is to be applied, listed below are the various types of mortar mixes available for the different types of background and degree of exposures.

<u>Type Of Background's</u>		<u>Severe</u>	<u>Moderate</u>
Aerated Block	Undercoat	1:6	1:8
	Finishing	1:7	1:9
Concrete Brick / Block	Undercoat	1:6	1:6
	Finishing	1:6	1:6
Normal Brickwork	Undercoat	1:5	1:6
	Finishing	1:6	1:7
No Fines Concrete	Undercoat	1:4	1:5
	Finishing	1:5	1:6

- Applying Carbra-Mix

Dry Mix contents before the addition of water, when using more than one bag, it is advisable to dry mix from different bags. Mix approximately 2½ parts powder to 1 part water. Mix thoroughly until the required consistency is required for application. Do not mix more than can be used within one hour.

Fill the Tyrolean or Open hopper spray gun (available from any tool hire company) with approximately 1ltr of mixed Carbra-mix. Do not overload the gun.

The flicker bar adjuster should not be set beyond the second notch when using a new machine, and should only be adjusted beyond it when the bar is worn.

Stand with the gun at least 1/2 meter from the surface to be covered.

The gun should be square to the surface, and pointing slightly down.

When rotating the handle, keep the gun moving evenly over the surface, control the speed of the handle to maximise the amount of Carbra-Mix projected onto the surface, a thin coat is sufficient at this stage.

Do not try to cover in one pass. It is better to build the texture up slowly, allowing each coat to stiffen before applying the next coat.

Further layers can be applied with the gun slightly closer to the surface and angled at 45° passing from the right and then to the left.

Reduce speed at which you rotate the handle, to compensate for being closer to the surface.