

# Acrylitex®

**Paint & Texture System**

**Acrylitex Paint & Texture system creates a highly durable interior finished wall while offering a competitive price and a considerable savings in time**

- ▶ Washable
- ▶ Mold & Mildew Resistant
- ▶ Vapor Permeable
- ▶ Flame Resistant



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- ▶ Produces a completely finished interior wall surface
- ▶ A proven system that saves time and money
- ▶ Focused on quality and production
- ▶ Eliminates flashing and surface imperfections
- ▶ Reduces the need for touch-up
- ▶ Replaces conventional texture & paint

### Acrylitex vs. conventional method on a 2500 square foot house

Day 1 Conventional Method	Day 2 Apply Texture Mud	Day 3 Apply Primer	Day 4 Apply Paint-Spray & Back-roll
Apply Prep coat Sealer Application Time: 2-4 hours Dry Time: 5-8 hours	Application Time Hopper: 6-8 hours Spray rig: 2 hours Dry Time: 6-8 hours	Application Time: 2-4 hours Dry Time: 6-8 hours	Application Time: 6-8 hours Dry Time: 6-8 hours  Conventional Method Completed

#### Day 1 The Acrylitex System

Apply Acrylitex Base coat & Texture Coat  
Application Time: 4 hours  
(2 hours base coat, 2 hours Texture Coat)  
Dry Time: Allow to dry 1 hour after Base coat  
1-4 hours after Texture Coat  
  
Acrylitex System Completed

**A Savings of  
Time and Money!**

# Acrylitex Base Coat and Texture Coat



## Frequently Asked Questions

- Description and Use of Acrylitex Interior Texture Coatings:**  
Acrylitex Base coat and Texture Coat products are an acrylic textured coating used for application on interior walls and ceilings. The products are applied as a two-step system, exhibiting rapid drying characteristics. It creates a durable, mildew-resistant and flame resistant finish used in a variety of textures. The product is colorfast and does not support combustion.
- What are the recommended uses of Acrylitex Base coat and Texture Coat products?**  
These products are suited for use on interior wall and ceiling surfaces. Recommended substrates include gypsum wallboard properly finished to Gypsum Association Level 3 or higher, concrete masonry and cast in place concrete.
- What types of finishes are available?**  
Finishes include light, medium and heavy orange peel; light, medium and heavy knockdown; and a variety of hand textures.
- Is priming necessary?**  
Priming is not necessary over new drywall. Acrylitex Qwik Prep is required over skim or putty coated surfaces. Acrylitex Qwik Prep is necessary if choice of color is very light or off white.
- How much time should be allowed before application of the Texture Coat?**  
Allow Base coat to completely dry before application of Texture Coat. Drying time will vary dependent on mil thickness and type of texture. Other factors which influence drying time are air temperature, ventilation and relative humidity.
- Does the Base coat or Texture Coat need to be diluted prior to use?**  
No. Acrylitex products are bucket ready and do not require additives.
- What type of equipment is recommended for a production application?**  
For Base coat: a commercial grade airless sprayer is recommended that sprays at least 1 gallon per minute, 3300 psig. For Texture Coat: a portable texture sprayer such as the Kodiak New Generation M2 setup for Acrylitex.
- Can other equipment be used?**  
Acrylitex may be sprayed through a large spray rig but the clean up requires more time. The product may also be sprayed through a hopper for very small projects. Hawk and trowel or pan and knife are used for hand textures.
- After the Texture Coat is applied, is there any need to apply regular paint?**  
No, the application of the Texture Coat completes the interior wall finish.
- What kind of maintenance is involved?**  
Protect the applied wall finish material from damage due to subsequent construction activity. Wash as needed with a mild cleaning solution or soap and water. Allow at least 7 days to cure after application prior to scrubbing.
- If heat is needed during and after application, what type of heat is recommended?**  
Utilize forced air heating units installed in the structure and maintain ambient temperature of at least 50 degrees. Propane heat should not be used as it emits additional moisture into the air.
- Can the product be applied to a substrate that is not completely dry?**  
Product should not be applied to a substrate that has a moisture content exceeding 18%. Use of a moisture meter is recommended to determine moisture content. Product may be applied over a wet substrate for minor touch up areas.
- Do Acrylitex Base coat and Texture Coat products have a warranty?**  
Yes, Manufacturer warrants the finished surface under normal conditions of exposure and wear when the materials are applied according to manufacturer's instructions. The warranty period is five years commencing with date of substantial completion.
- What are the storage recommendations and shelf life?**  
Product should be stored in a dry area with a temperature above 40 degrees; and protected from direct sunlight. The shelf life is one year when properly stored and sealed.
- What type of sheen does the product have on the finished surface?**  
Acrylitex Base coat and Texture Coat dry to a low luster finish for clean-ability and easier touch up.
- Does the product touch up similar to paint?**  
Acrylitex Base coat and Texture Coat do touch up similar to paint. These products also reduce the need for touch-up because of its durability; and it helps to eliminate flashing and surface imperfections.
- Have Acrylitex products been tested?**  
Yes, Acrylitex products have been independently tested by the American Society of Testing and Materials.

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