



# CGC READY-TEX™ BRAND WALL AND CEILING SPRAY TEXTURE

## DATA SHEET



### FOR A VARIETY OF LIGHT, APPEALING TEXTURES IN INTERIORS

- For use over gypsum panels or concrete
- Superior open time for hand-tooled knockdown finishes
- Excellent surface relief (standout)
- Low shrinkage formula



ORANGE PEEL



SPATTER



SPATTER/KNOCKDOWN

### DESCRIPTION

CGC Ready-Tex™ Brand Wall and Ceiling Spray Texture is a vinyl formulation for texturing interior above-grade surfaces. Ideal where moderate to bold texture patterns are desired. Designed for spray application over gypsum panel, concrete and most other interior wall and ceiling surfaces. Formulated to create unique texture patterns such as spatter, spatter/knockdown and orange peel designs. Dries to a white surface but should be overpainted when dry. Not washable unpainted.

### LIMITATIONS

1. Application below grade or in high-humidity areas is not recommended.
2. Heavy water-based textures may result in sagging of gypsum board ceilings under these conditions: high-humidity, improper ventilation and/or board application to framing and insufficient board thickness for span between supports. When using water-based textures, refer to the following table:

BOARD THICKNESS		APPLICATION METHOD	MAXIMUM FRAME SPACING O.C.	
mm	inch	(Long edge relative to frame)	mm	inches
9.5	3/8	Not Recommended	—	—
12.7	1/2	Perpendicular Only	406	16*
15.9	5/8	Perpendicular Only	610	24

**Note:** Double-layer laminated. 19 mm (3/4") or greater total thickness—610 mm (24") o.c.

\*If 12.7 mm (1/2") CGC Sheetrock® Brand UltraLight Interior Ceiling Board is specified, maximum frame spacing is 610 mm (24") o.c.

3. Texture is not washable unpainted. Should be overpainted when dry.

### DIRECTIONS

### PREPARATION

Surface must be dry, clean, sound and free of oil, grease and efflorescence. Dull glossy surfaces; prime metal with a good rust inhibitive primer. Concrete should be fully cured (at least 60 days after pouring). Grind plane differences and remove grinding dust and sludge. Fill and level with CGC Sheetrock® Brand Setting-Type or CGC Durabond® Brand Setting-Type Joint Compound. Reinforce and conceal drywall joints using CGC Joint Tape and a CGC Joint Compound. Fill all fastener depressions with joint compound. Smooth surface scratches and scuffs. Correct plane irregularities, as these are accentuated by sharp, angular lighting. When prepared surfaces are dry and free of dust, apply CGC First Coat Drywall Paint or a prime coat of good quality white interior latex flat wall paint with high solids content. Paint should be applied undiluted and allowed to dry before texturing.

**Note:** Application of a prime coat is to equalize the surface porosity and to provide a uniform colour. Primers are not intended to reduce sag potential or to prevent migratory stains or contaminants from leaching to the finished surface.





**MIXING**

Use heavy-duty drill fitted with a suitable mixing paddle; operate at not over 400 rpm. Excessive or high-speed mixing may produce voids in finished appearance. Thinning of texture with water will vary considerably, depending on the finished appearance desired and method of application to be employed. Mix until consistency is smooth and uniform. Do not mix with other materials in wet or dry form.

Applicator should experiment with some of the mixed material prior to use, then adjust water proportions to suit the job. Over-thinning may cause poor bond, pinholes and cracking.

- For orange peel pattern: add up to 3.39 L (0.9 gal.) of water per 27 kg (59.5 lb.) of texture.
- For spatter and spatter/knockdown patterns: add up to 2.26 L (0.6 gal.) of water per 27 kg (59.5 lb.) texture.

**COVERAGE**

Use 27 to 65 m<sup>2</sup> (300 to 700 ft.<sup>2</sup>) per 27 kg (59.5 lb.) as an estimated coverage rate. Actual coverage will vary depending on factors such as the type of texture design, the condition of the substrate surface, the amount of dilution of the product, application technique and the uniformity of the coating.

**APPLICATION**

Texture must be evenly spread and free from runs, sags and other blemishes. Allow texture to dry before applying paint. Maintain minimum air, texture material and surface temperature of 13 °C (55 °F) within working area until texture is completely dry.

**DECORATION**

This product is not washable unpainted. For final decoration, apply paint following manufacturer's directions.

**CLEAN-UP AND STORAGE**

Wash all equipment immediately after use with water containing household detergent. Protect container and contents from exposure to weather. Store at moderate temperatures, avoiding extreme heat, freezing and direct sunlight.

**PRODUCT DATA**

<b>Colour</b>	White. Not washable unpainted.
<b>Tinting</b>	Not recommended. Overpaint when dry.
<b>Shelf Life</b>	Up to 9 months under protected storage conditions.
<b>Packaging</b>	27 kg carton.

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

See [cgcinc.com](http://cgcinc.com) for the most up-to-date product information.

**WARNING**

Spraying mist or dust created from product may cause eye, skin, nose, throat, or respiratory irritation. Avoid inhalation of mist or dust. Wear a NIOSH/MSHA-approved respirator when dusty or misty or if spray applying. Use proper ventilation and/or dust collector to reduce mist/dust exposure. Prolonged and repeated exposure to respirable mica may cause disease. Wear eye protection.

If eye contact occurs, immediately flush thoroughly with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, call physician. Wear long-sleeved work clothing to prevent skin irritation. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after use. Do not ingest. If ingested, call physician.

Product safety information: (800) 507-8899.

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