

# Fabritone® Tiquing Agent



- Integral Colouration
- Variegated Colours
- Natural Appearance
- Earth Tone Colour Range

## DESCRIPTION AND USE

Fabritone® Tiquing Agent is a powder colouring wash for decorative concrete surfaces. Fabritone® Tiquing Agent is mixed with water and applied as a flood coat to stamped and imprinted concrete to provide secondary colour and accent to create the authentic appearance of stone and tile finishes. Fabritone® Tiquing Agent is a powder that is mixed with water in varying concentrations to achieve customized and varying results. Fabritone® Tiquing Agent can be used in new decorative concrete applications or to revitalize weathered concrete surfaces. Fabritone® Tiquing Agent is available in 12 standard colours that can be mixed together in varying concentrations to achieve infinite customized and varying results.

## ADVANTAGES

Fabritone® Tiquing Agent goes on easily and because it is a wash, it can be applied and rubbed off for maximum control of the colouring process. This product is water-based, non-hazardous, and contains zero V.O.C.'s. The concrete character is highlighted producing the look of authentic, natural elements of nature. Colours produced from each of the twelve available colours are unique to each surface and vary widely over the area stained. These variegations, variances and colour shifts are both natural and desirable in this colouration system.

## APPLICATION

Inspect all surfaces to ensure that they are sound, free of dirt and other contaminants. Existing concrete should be at least 28 days old. Surface preparation and cleaning is the important in obtaining desirable results. A light acid wash is desirable prior to application to ensure that there is some surface suction available. Remove loose material, scaling and oxidized particles from surface.

Mix the dry Fabritone® Tiquing Agent with clean water. Start with a concentration of 1 cup (250ml) of Tiquing Agent to 1 gallon of clean water. The quantity of dry material can be varied depending on the desired effect. Lightly dampen the surface to be treated to improve workability of the product. Apply a liberal and uniform amount of material. Keep the solution agitated to prevent pigment from settling and to ensure colour consistency during the installation process.

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## LIMITATIONS

Fabritone® Tiquing Agent should not be applied to tight steel trowelled concrete as there must be sufficient absorption to draw the product into the surface.

Product will lighten in colour as it dries. Once it has dried, surfaces treated with Fabritone® Tiquing Agent should be sealed with an appropriate Fabriglaze® product to provide long term durability and surface abrasion resistance. Contact the manufacture for specific product recommendations..

## COVERAGE

Fabritone® Tiquing Agent is available in 3 lb. containers and when mixed with water in varying concentrations yields 1,500-3,000 square feet depending on desired result. A mixed gallon of solution will cover about 200 square feet. **TEST PANELS ARE IMPERATIVE.**

## GUARANTEE

FABRIKEM MANUFACTURING LTD. guarantees its products when they are applied in accordance with its printed instructions. Results of inadequate surface preparation, improper mixing, incorrect application, inadequate protection, and other factors beyond the manufacturer's control cannot be held to the manufacturer's responsibility. No responsibility can be accepted beyond the purchase price of the product.

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