

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET – RENOSCREED CS PRIMER (PRIMER FOR CALCIUM SULPHATE/ANHYDRITE)

Product Overview

RENOSCREED CS PRIMER is a specialist, high-performance primer formulated specifically for use on calcium sulphate (anhydrite) screeds. It penetrates and seals the screed surface to prevent moisture-related failures and chemical incompatibility when used in conjunction with cement-based levelling compounds and adhesives.

Renoscreed CS Primer provides a reliable barrier layer, enhances bond strength, and reduces the risk of reaction between gypsum-based screeds and cementitious toppings. The primer is pigmented red for clear visibility during application.

Applications

- Interior calcium sulphate / anhydrite screeds
- Heated calcium sulphate screeds (UFH)
- Prior to application of cement-based levelling compounds
- Pre-smoothing before tiling or resilient floor coverings

Key Benefits

- Designed for use on calcium sulphate screeds
- Creates a barrier layer to avoid chemical incompatibility
- Fast drying ready for overcoating in approx. 1 hour
- Pigmented for easy visual control during application
- Excellent adhesion and bond promotion
- Improves workability of smoothing compounds

Technical Data

Property	Value
Packaging	1L, 5L, and 25L plastic containers
Colour	Red
Application temperature	+5°C to +30°C (optimum: 15°C – 25°C)
Drying time (@20°C)	Approx. 60 minutes
Coverage per 5L container	Approx. 32.5m ²

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Property	Value
Consumption rate	Approx. 0.15kg/m²

Substrate Preparation

All calcium sulphate screeds must be:

- Fully cured and dry
- Mechanically prepared to remove all surface laitance
- Free from dust, dirt, grease, sealers, or any contaminants
- Below 85% RH for levelling compound application
- Below 75% RH for resilient floor finishes

For heated screeds (UFH):

- The system must be fully commissioned before priming
- Switch off underfloor heating a minimum of 48 hours prior to primer application
- The floor must be cool before applying Renoscreed CS Primer

Laitance must be removed mechanically (e.g., sanding, grinding, or shot-blasting). Vacuum the surface thoroughly to remove dust prior to priming.

Application Instructions

- Shake well before use to ensure consistent distribution of solids and pigment.
- 2. Apply **undiluted** using a short pile roller, brush, or squeegee.
- 3. Ensure even, full coverage. Work the primer into the surface to assist penetration.
- 4. Avoid pooling or over-application—excess product may hinder drying.
- 5. Apply in one direction where possible. Do not overwork.
- 6. Allow to dry fully before walking on or applying smoothing compounds (typically 60 minutes at 20°C).
- 7. In low temperatures or humid conditions, allow additional drying time.

Note:

Do not dilute. Apply only to suitably dry, well-prepared surfaces. Always ensure compatibility with cementitious products used afterwards.

Important:

Do not apply primer over dusty, contaminated, frozen, or damp surfaces. Avoid using in temperatures below +5°C or above +30°C.

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Compatibility

Renoscreed Primer RTU is designed for use with:

- Calcium Sulphate Screed
- Anhydrite Based Screed

Coverage Guide

Unit Size	Approximate Coverage
1 litre	~6.5m²
5 litres	~32.5m²
25 litres	~162.5m²

Limitations

- Not suitable for non-calcium sulphate substrates
- Do not apply if RH exceeds 85% or surface is contaminated
- Application temperature must not fall below 5°C
- Do not use in areas subject to rising damp without a DPM
- Do not apply cementitious toppings until the primer is fully dry

Storage & Shelf Life

Store unopened in a cool, dry place. Use within 12 months of manufacture.

Health & Safety

This product is not classified as hazardous. A full Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) is available upon request.

Cleaning & Disposal

Clean all tools and equipment immediately after use with clean water. Do not allow to dry on tools. Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local regulations.

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