Finestone Stucco Wall System with MasterSeal 581

Finestone Stucco is a direct applied cement plaster stucco system for concrete and CMU featuring MasterSeal 581 waterproof cement-based coating with cement plaster component applied to a thickness of up to 5/8". Optional Finestone base coat and BASF DiamondShield™ reinforcing mesh are available for superior crack suppression. Finishes are available in a limitless color selection. Performance enhancement options include increased resistance to dirt pick-up and mildew, and specialty finishes that create stone-like, metallic or mottled stucco appearances. The system features easy installation, proven durability and low maintenance.

Integrated system components include MasterSeal 581, StuccoBase™/StuccoBase Premix, optional Stucco Prime, and 100% acrylic polymer finish. Apply the system over poured concrete and unit masonry substrates.

**Uses**

New or retrofit residential, institutional and commercial construction such as hotels, hospitals, retail centers, schools, multi-family apartments, condominiums, and government facilities.

**Advantages**

- Resistant to impact and punctures; good for high traffic areas
- DiamondShield reinforcing mesh option further increases crack resistance
- Durable
- Susceptibility to efflorescence can be reduced by using Stucco Prime
- Additional safeguards against incidental moisture intrusion
- Direct applied removing the need for lath and mechanical fasteners
- Factory prepared StuccoBase minimizes potential site mixing errors; improves quality control
- Fire-resistant properties
- Low maintenance and life-cycle cost
- Elastomeric finish coat bridges hairline cracks
- Wide color and texture choices
- Fade-, abrasion- and dirt-resistant finishes contribute to low maintenance and life-cycle costs
- EPS shapes integrate into the system for economical architectural detailing
- Wide selection of finish textures, standard colors and unlimited custom colors

**Design Considerations**

- The design wind load shall not exceed the system’s allowable wind load as stated in applicable code reports.
- Details shall conform with Finestone Wall Systems’ recommendations and shall be consistent with the project requirements.
- Expansion joints are required in the system where they exist in the substrate, where the system adjoins dissimilar construction, at changes in substrates.
- System shall terminate at expansion joints.
- Sealant joints shall be detailed and installed per sealant manufacturer’s recommendations.
- A minimum 6:12 slope is required on all horizontal surfaces greater than 1” (25mm).
- Backer rod and sealant are required at door and window openings.
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<tr>
<td>Freeze-thaw Resistance</td>
<td>Per ICC-ES acceptance criteria AC-11</td>
<td>No sign of deleterious effects after 10 cycles</td>
<td>BASF StuccoBase passed with no visible evidence of deterioration when examined under 5x magnification</td>
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<td>Water Vapor Transmission</td>
<td>ASTM E96-Wet Cup</td>
<td>Report Value</td>
<td>BASF StuccoBase 20.4 perms, MasterSeal 581 12 perms</td>
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<td>Compressive Strength</td>
<td>ASTM C109</td>
<td>Report Value</td>
<td>3245 psi (22.4 MPa) average for BASF StuccoBase</td>
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<td>Flexural Strength</td>
<td>ASTM C348</td>
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<td>663 psi (4.57 MPa) average for BASF StuccoBase</td>
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<td>Surface Burning</td>
<td>ASTM E84</td>
<td>Report Value</td>
<td>&lt;25 Flame Spread &lt;450 Smoke Developed Includes MasterSeal 581, StuccoBase and Finestone Finishes</td>
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<td>Non-Combustibility</td>
<td>ASTM E136</td>
<td>No flaming, excess temperature rise or weight loss when exposed to 1382 °F (750 °C)</td>
<td>Pass StuccoBase</td>
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<td>Fire Resistance Rated</td>
<td>ASTM E119</td>
<td>No transmission of heat greater than 250 °F above ambient; no passage of flame or hot gasses; no passage of water from hose stream test; for load bearing walls — ability to withstand load under test conditions</td>
<td>Does not affect rating of concrete or masonry wall</td>
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<td>Tensile bond</td>
<td>ASTM D4541</td>
<td>Report Value</td>
<td>Min 150 psi, StuccoBase to MasterSeal 581</td>
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