



BASF Corporation - SPEC MIX® Incorporated Stucco System Program

Support Bulletin

THE PROGRAM:

The Wall Systems division of BASF Corp. issues a single source warranty for BASF Stucco Systems that substitute SPEC MIX Fiber Base Coat (FBC) stucco for BASF StuccoBase. Warranty terms for the SPEC MIX FBC stucco system are identical to those for BASF Stucco Systems with BASF StuccoBase. However, all other BASF products listed in the BASF Stucco Warranty Schedule must be used in order to qualify for the system warranty. All products in the systems must be applied in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. System installation must comply with BASF specifications and details.

SPEC MIX

SPEC MIX® is a national source for high quality; factory produced cementitious products for the construction industry. With more than 57 licensed manufacturers located in major markets across the U.S., and Canada, the SPEC MIX team utilizes computerized batching equipment and the finest materials to ensure total quality control throughout any project. SPEC MIX also offers various material delivery silo systems to maximize a contractor's efficiency and safety rating while continuously finding new methods that contribute to sustainable building efforts.

SPEC MIX Fiber Base Coat (FBC)

FBC is a dry, pre-blended cement stucco basecoat that is engineered with proprietary admixtures and fibers that reduce shrinkage and checking. SPEC MIX FBC is computer batched under strict quality control procedures for consistency and performance unmatched by traditional field-mixed stucco. It can be installed as a "one coat stucco" basecoat or as the scratch and brown coat in a traditional stucco application. The product formulation starts with dried sands meeting a specific gradation rather than aggregate with varying moisture content and particle size that can be a problem with field mixed stucco basecoat. FBC meets the requirements for ASTM C 926, Standard Specification for Application of Portland Cement-Based Plaster.

Program Benefits:

1. BASF Stucco Systems are engineered, tested, proven performers that are backed by a system warranty from the world's largest chemical company.
2. FBC is available in 3,000 pound silo packaging that eliminates packaging disposal to landfills and maximizes application efficiency.
3. BASF Stucco Systems have many available options for enhancing system performance to meet building envelope design objectives.

WARRANTY

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