

# WHERE TO USE

Restoring masonry where a first layer that improves the bond of the render and evens out the absorption of the substrate is needed. It can be used both on loose surfaces and waterproof coating for creating anti-condensation cycles

Renovating brick, stone and tuff masonry, including new build, damaged by capillary rising damp or by the crumbling effect of sulphates, chlorides and nitrates, when the substrate is extremely crumbling.

## Some application examples

**PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** can be applied as the first layer for:

- anti-condensation cycle on retaining walls in partially underground or underground environments.
- structural, breathable renders on particularly problematic masonry such as stone or mixed masonry, highly porous masonry or extremely weak surfaces.
- Internal and/or external macro-porous, de-humidifying and insulating render on stone, brick, tuff and mixed masonry, including those recently built, when the substrate is extremely crumbling.

# **TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

**PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** is a ready-mixed powdered mortar made from special hydraulic, pozzolanic-reaction binders, natural sand, special additives with very low emission of volatile organic compounds (EMICODE EC1 Plus) according to a formula developed in the MAPEI Research and Development laboratories.

This product is classified as GP according to EN 998-1

standard: "General purpose mortar for internal/external render Category CS IV.

When mixed with water in a cement mixer or in a continuous feed spraying machine, PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus forms a breathable scratch-coat with a semi-fluid consistency which is easy to apply by rendering machine or by trowel both on vertical surfaces and ceilings. The properties of a mortar made with **PoroMap** Rinzaffo Plus, such as mechanical strength, modulus of elasticity and porosity, are very similar to those a of mortar made using lime, lime-pozzolan or hydraulic lime originally used in the construction of old buildings. Compared with these types of mortar, however, PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus also has properties which make it resistant to acid rain, freeze-thaw cycles, the leaching action of rainwater, alkali-aggregate reactions and soluble salts often present in the masonry and in the ground on which the masonry is built. Typical values are shown in the Technical Data table (see Application Data and Final Performance sections) which refer to the main characteristics of PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus at both the wet and hardened states.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- In case of particularly problematic masonry such as stone or mixed masonry, highly porous masonry or extremely weak surfaces it is recommended to apply PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus as first layer to improve the bonding of the next coat of render and to even out the absorption of the masonry.
- Do not use PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus as consolidating injection slurry (use MapeWall Inject & Consolidate).
- Do not add any additive, cement or other binders (lime or gypsum) to PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus.





Application of Poromap Rinzaffo Plus on Mapelastic Foundation for creating anti-condensation cycle



Removal of damaged



Powerwashing of the masonry

- Do not apply **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** if the temperature is lower than +5°C.
- Do not use PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus on masonry with high concentration of salts without creating in the same masonry a horizontal chemical barrier using Mapestop or Mapestop Cream.

# **APPLICATION PROCEDURE Preparation of the substrate**

If the product is used for an anti-condensation cycle, apply **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** directly on **Mapelastic Foundation**. Make sure that the surface is free from dust or any other substance that could affect bonding. In case of extremely weak masonry or if the substrate is extremely crumbling, remove all traces of loose or crumbling material, dust, mould and any other substance or material that could affect the bond of **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** until the substrate is clean, sound and compact.

Clean the masonry with low-pressure water jets to remove any efflorescence or soluble salts present on the surface. Repeat this operation several times if necessary. Repair any gaps and uneven areas in the masonry by patching or tacking them using MapeWall Muratura Fine or MapeWall Muratura Grosso or MapeWall Render & Strengthen, according to the performances required to the mortar together with stone, bricks or tuff with similar characteristics to the original material.

Saturate the substrate with water to prevent it drawing off water from the mortar and compromising its final performance characteristics. Excess water must be left to evaporate off so that the masonry is saturated and the surface is dry (s.s.d. condition). Compressed air may be used to speed up this process. If the substrate cannot be saturated with water, we recommend that it is at least wetted or treated with a suitable consolidating product to allow the mortar to adhere correctly.

Apply a layer of **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** approx. 5 mm thick to completely cover the substrate to be treated with **PoroMap Deumidificante**.

# **Preparation of the product**

Prepare PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus in a drum concrete mixer, if the product is applied with a trowel, or in the hopper of a continuous feed rendering machine if the product is applied by spraying. Although the product can be applied also manually, it is recommended to apply it using a rendering machine in case of large surfaces, as the yield of the product is improved. Small amounts of the product may be prepared using an electric drill at low speed with a mixing attachment. Mixing by hand is not recommended.

# Application of the product

Application with rendering machine
Pour the contents of the bags of **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** into the hopper of a
continuous feed rendering machine (such as
a PFT G4 or G5, Putzmeister MP 25, Turbosol
or a similar machine) and set the

flow-rate at 440-460 l/h, depending on the type of equipment used, until a "plastic", consistency is obtained. Tests to validate the product were carried out using a Putzmeister MP 25 with the following set-up:

Stator - Rotor - Mixer Hose - Spray lance

Model	Rotor stator	Mixer	Flowmeter setting (I/h)
Putzmeister MP 25	D6 - Power	standard	440-460
PTF G4 or G5	D6 - 3	standard	440-460

Apply a single layer of **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** around 5 mm thick to completely cover the surface to be treated, starting from the bottom working upwards. It is recommended to apply the product at a distance of approx. 20 cm, so that the product is applied uniformly. After applying the product, do not float or compact the mortar. Wait until **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** has hardened before applying dehumidifying.

### Application with a trowel

After pouring the minimum amount of clean water required into the mixer (4.75 litres for every 25 kg bag of PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus), slowly add the powdered mortar in a continuous flow. Mix for approximately 3 minutes and check that the blend is well mixed, even and lump-free, and that any lumps of powder that have stuck to the sides or bottom of the mixer are removed. Add more water if required up to a maximum of 5.25 litres per bag including the water added at the start of mixing. Then mix PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus again for a further 2-3 minutes, depending on the efficiency of the mixer, to obtain an even, plastic and thixotropic mix. Apply a single layer of PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus around 5 mm thick to completely cover the surface to be treated, starting from the bottom working upwards.

It is recommended to apply the product at a distance of approx. 20 cm, so that the product is applied uniformly. After applying the product, do not float or compact the mortar.

Wait until **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** has hardened before applying **PoroMap Deumidificante**.

Even though **PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** contains products which contrast the formation of micro-cracks, it is good practice to apply the mortar when the wall is not exposed to direct sunlight and/or wind. In such cases, such as during hot and/or particularly windy weather, take special care when curing the mortar. Spray water on the surface or employ other systems to prevent the mixing water evaporating too quickly.

#### Cleaning

Remove the mortar from the tools with water before it hardens. Once hardened, cleaning is much more difficult and must be carried out mechanically.

#### **PACKAGING**

25 kg bags.

# **TECHNICAL DATA (typical values)**

PRODUCT IDENTITY				
Type of mortar (EN 998-1):	GP - General purpose mortar for internal/external render			
Consistency:	powder			
Colour:	light grey			
Maximum size of aggregate (EN 1015-1) (mm):	2.5			
Bulk density (kg/m³):	1,000-1,100			
EMICODE:	EC1 Plus - very low emission			
APPLICATION DATA (at +20°C - 50% R.H.)				
Mixing ratio:	100 parts of <b>PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus</b> with 19-21 parts of water (4.75-5.25 I of water for each 25 kg bag)			
Consistency of the mix:	semi-fluid			
Bulk density of wet mortar (EN 1015-6) (kg/m³):	1,800			
Recommended application temperature range:	from +5°C to +35°C			
Workability time of wet mortar (EN 1015-9):	approx. 60 mins.			
Thickness to be applied (mm):	5			



Performance characteristic	Test method	Requirements according to EN 998-1	Performance of product	
Compressive strength after 28 days (N/mm²):	EN 1015-11	CS I (from 0.4 to 2.5)		
		CS II (from 1.5 to 5.0)	≥ 8 (Category CS IV)	
		CS III (from 3.5 to 7.5)		
		CS IV (≥ 6)		
Adhesion to substrate (brick) (N/mm²):	EN 1015-12	declared value and failure mode (FP)	≥ 0.5 Failure mode (FP) = B	
Capillary action water absorption [kg/(m²·min <sup>0.5</sup> )]:	EN 1015-18	W 0 (not specified)		
		W 1 (C ≤ 0.40)	Category W 1	
		W 2 (C ≤ 0.20)		
Coefficient of permeability to water vapour (μ):	EN 1015-19	declared value	< 20	
Thermal conductivity ( $\lambda_{10, dry}$ ) (W/m·K):	EN 1745	chart value	0.57 (P = 50%)	
Reaction to fire:	EN 13501-1	value declared by manufacturer	Class A1	
Resistance to sulphates:	Anstett test	not required	high	
Saline efflorescence (after semi-immersion in water):	/	not required	absent	



Application of PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus with a rendering machine



Application of PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus with a trowel





#### CONSUMPTION

7.5-8 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (per 5 mm of thicknness).

#### STORAGE

**PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus** can be stored for 12 months in a dry, covered area in its original, unopened packaging. This product complies with the prescriptions of Reg. (EC) N. 1907/2006 (REACH) - Annex XVII, item 47.

# SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION AND APPLICATION

PoroMap Rinzaffo Plus contains cement that when in contact with sweat or other body fluids causes irritant alkaline reactions and allergic reactions to those predisposed. It can cause damage to eyes. During use wear protective gloves and goggles and take the usual precautions for handling chemicals. In case of contact with the eyes or the skin wash immediately with plenty of water and seek medical attention.

For further and complete information about the safe use of our product please refer to the latest version of our Safety Data Sheet.

PRODUCT FOR PROFESSIONAL USE.

#### WARNING

Although the technical details and recommendations contained in this product data sheet correspond to the best of our knowledge and experience, all the above information must, in every case, be taken as merely indicative and subject to confirmation after long-term practical application; for this reason, anyone who intends to use the

product must ensure beforehand that it is suitable for the envisaged application. In every case, the user alone is fully responsible for any consequences deriving from the use of the product.

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