



# BUILDER'S LEGACY

## PREMIUM LEVEL 5 SURFACER

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SKIM KOTE LEVEL 5 SURFACER is our premium drywall surfacer formulated to create the smoothness, build, and seal of a level 5 drywall finish. This spray-applied professional finish increases production while reducing material and labor costs by providing the functionality of skim-coating without the labor needed for skimming drywall. When applied properly, the durable, high-building film has exceptional sealing qualities helping eliminate flashing and telegraphing for optimal performance.

SKIM KOTE LEVEL 5 SURFACER is designed to provide a premium paintable surface over interior level 4 finished drywall. The durable, high-building film can eliminate minor drywall repairs and imperfections making it the ideal primer/sealer/surfacer for new drywall finishing. SKIM KOTE LEVEL 5 SURFACER is ideal surfacer to use over new drywall and is particularly beneficial in areas with critical lighting and may be left unpainted on ceilings as a finish coat. With LEED v4 compliance, it can be used on residential, commercial, and institutional projects looking to meet the most stringent air quality standards.

### COMPLIANCE & CERTIFICATION

Gloss Level	1
VOC Content	< 5 g/L; < 0.042 lb./Gal
LEED v4 Credit Eligible	YES

### RECOMMENDED USAGE

- For Interior New Drywall
- Exceptional Holdout
- Ideal for Areas With Critical Lighting
- Use in Residential, Commercial, and Institutional Construction

### PERFORMANCE & FEATURES

- Lasting Protection
- Premium Film Build
- Labor Saving Performance
- Zero-VOC, LEED v4 Credit Eligible

### BENEFITS

**Premium Film Build:** This durable level 5 surfacer provides a finish that is far more durable and moisture resistant than drywall compound.

**High Film Build:** The high solids formula provides exceptional build and sealing helping to avoid telegraphing and flashing for improved performance and touch-up.

**Environmentally Responsible Coating:** Environmentally responsible Coating This LEED v4 credit eligible primer/surfacer contains no crystalline-silicates and can be used on all projects looking to meet the most stringent air quality standards.

### PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

**Vehicle Type:** Ethylene-Vinyl Acetate

**Color Tinting:** White. Do Not Tint

**Gloss:** Flat

2-4 units @ 60°

**Solid Content:** Weight: 59% ± 2

Volume: 38% ± 2

**Drying Time:** (75° F. & 50% R.H.)

To touch: 1 to 24 Hours

To recoat: 2-24 Hours

*Extended drying time may be expected when conditions such as high humidity, high dew point, low temperature, etc. are present. Allow product to dry thoroughly before top coating*

### Theoretical Coverage:

Apply at 160 sq. ft./gal. to achieve  
15.0-20.0 mils Wet Film  
Thickness  
6.0-8.0 mils Dry Film  
Thickness

*When calculating working coverage, allow for application losses, texture and porosity of surface, application technique, etc.*

### PRECAUTIONS/LIMITATIONS

- Please refer to Safety Data Sheets.
- Apply only if air, surface and material temperatures remain 50° F or above during application and drying.



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Surfaces must be dry, clean and free of dust, dirt, grease, oil, chalk, efflorescence or any other contaminants that may prevent proper adhesion. Tape joints and nailheads should be sanded and dusted clean before finishing. Mud on joints and nailheads must be thoroughly cured before finishing to help avoid photographing.

**Warning! If you scrape, sand or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. Lead is toxic. Exposure to lead dust can cause serious illness, such as brain damage, especially in children. Pregnant women should also avoid exposure. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the national lead information hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD (5323) or log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).**

### **HALLMAN LINDSAY FINISHING RECOMMENDATIONS**

**High-Performance Acrylic:** DURATECH Series

**Designer Finish:** PURE and LUSTRE Series

**Premium Finish:** WONDERKOTE and EARTHSCAPES Series

**Professional Finish:** PRO KOTE and RENEWAL Series

**Builder's Legacy Finishes:** MASTER KOTE, VELVET ARMOR, and Premium Hi-Build Series

### **APPLICATION**

Airless spray application only. Using the equipment listed below as a minimum, apply material 12-18" from surface with 50% overlap to insure keeping a "wet edge". Apply from left to right for initial application with subsequent cross application to insure proper film thickness. Minimum 20 mils wet for total film application with achieve desired effect. All products are formulated ready for application. If needed, thin sparingly and do not exceed 2oz per gallon. Clean all applicators with water immediately after use.

### **EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS**

**Airless:** Minimum 1.20 GPM, 3000 PSI, .025-.031" Tip

**HVLP:** Not Recommended

**Roller:** Not Recommended

**Brush:** Not Recommended