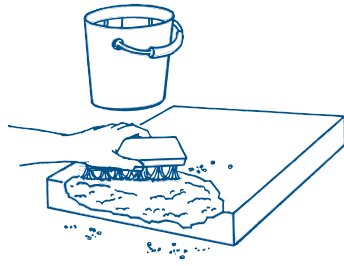


STEP ONE

PREPARE

The better you prepare your surface, the better your project will turn out.

Remove any loose dirt, debris, paint or sealers from your surface. In many cases, a stiff wire brush and water will work well. Bonding to some surfaces may require heavier abrading or grinding.



Saturate the surface with water and allow the water to soak it. Remove any puddles before applying the Rapid Set®.

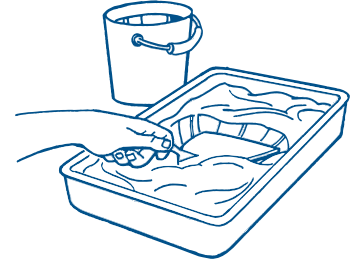
Now, you're ready to mix your Rapid Set®.

REMEMBER: Your mix will begin to set in about 15 minutes. Use very cold water or SET Control® if you need more time.

STEP TWO

MIX

Measure the water you will need (according to the instructions on the Rapid Set® package) and pour it into a clean bucket or mixing container. If you are using SET Control®, now is the time to add it to your mix water.



Pour some clean water into a second bucket. This will be used later, if needed, to adjust the consistency of your mix.

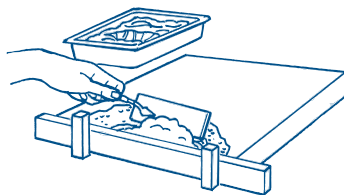
Add the Rapid Set® by slowly pouring and stirring it into the bucket of measured water. NOTE: Add the dry powder to the water. Adding the water to the dry powder often requires more aggressive mixing.

Continue to add the powder until you have achieved the desired consistency. If mix is too thin, add more dry mix. If it is too thick, add more water.

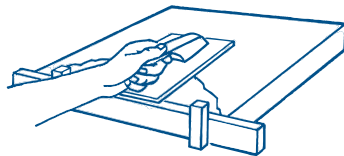
STEP THREE

APPLY

For horizontal, vertical, and overhead applications, place your mixture to the desired height immediately - in one layer. Screed, trowel or float in the finished height.



Quickly apply any troweled finish you desire. For stucco projects, use a rubber or sponge float to produce a textured surface.



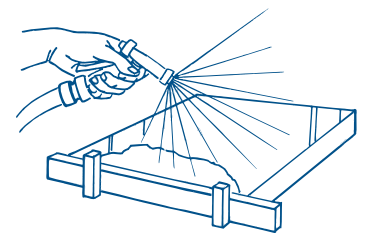
STEP FOUR

CURE

After your mixture has been placed and begins to harden, water cure the area to ensure a strong, crack-free finish.

As cement hardens, the surface will begin to dry out. This is the time to begin your water curing.

Spray a fine water mist over the surface for at least 30 minutes. Cure longer for thin sections, in cold weather, or when using SET Control® (NOTE: For smaller jobs, a spray bottle may be used).



Remember to clean your tools immediately after use.