# STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE

## SatinCrete

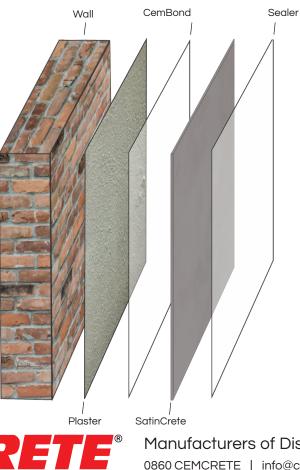
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### What do you need:

🖈 Tools & Consumables	Products	C Difficulty
<ul> <li>Mechanical Mixer</li> <li>6mm Notch Trowel</li> <li>Sponge Float</li> <li>Steel Trowel</li> <li>Roller / Brush</li> <li>Mist Sprayer</li> <li>Nail &amp; Masking Tape (Optional)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>CemBond</li> <li>SatinCrete</li> <li>Sealer</li> </ul>	★ ★ ★ ☆

#### The system:





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The plaster should be cured for at least 28 days before SatinCrete is applied. Prime the plaster with a solution made up of 1 part CemBond and 5 parts water. Apply two coats of this solution and overcoat when first coat is dry. Apply SatinCrete the next day.



Mix 1 volume clean water to 4 volumes of SatinCrete and mix thoroughly using a mechanical mixer.



Gradually add more water or powder (depending on consistency) a little at a time, until a smooth paste consistency is achieved.



Using a 6mm steel notch trowel, apply the first layer forcing the material tightly against the surface (similar to tile glue).



Immediately follow with a steel trowel ensuring that the lines left by the notch trowel have been flattened.



At this stage check the depth of the Satincrete using a 3mm gauge, and either add or remove product as required. A 3mm gauge can be made using a nail and masking tape.



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Once touch dry, use a sponge float to even out the surface and remove high spots (similar to Rhinolite).



Followed immediately by smoothing with a slightly damp steel trowel. Note: Do NOT splash water onto the surface (as this will discolour the final finish), rather gently wet the steel float itself.

#### Curing instructions:

• Leave to air cure for at least 24 hours before moist curing with a light mist spray of water at least 3 times during the day. Always spray from bottom to top to avoid water run marks. Allow to dry for at least 3 days before sealing. The moisture in the substrate must be less than 5% prior to sealing.

#### Sealing instructions:

· Cemcrete manufacture a wide range of sealers designed for various purposes. Please contact your local representative for the best solution to meet your needs.

