

## Leaflet Skinrock<sup>®</sup>

### Area of application

#### **Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Basic type S**

Natural stone panels with rear coated in quartz sand as wall covering indoors and for limited use outdoors.

#### **Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Basic type N**

Natural stone panels for refining kitchen cabinets, furniture, etc.

#### **Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Translucent**

Natural stone panels with translucent background. Is applied to acrylic glass or glass indoors and lit from behind.

#### **Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Basic Plus**

Natural stone panels with an applied seal and rear coated in quartz sand. Is used as flooring indoors and for limited outdoor use. In exposed areas (bathroom, outdoors), the format is limited to 1200 x 1200 mm at most. We recommend the Skinrock<sup>®</sup>-Basic Plus flooring only in private buildings. We recommend against use in public areas.

### Required tools

Spirit level / alignment bar or laser, angle grinder with diamond cutting disc, dust mask, goggles, drilling crown, notched trowel 4 mm, trowel, roller or brush, press-on roller, bucket, sponge and hot-air blower.

### Cutting

Skinrock<sup>®</sup> can be easily cut with a wet mill, plunge-cut saw or angle grinder with diamond cutting disc. A suitable dust mask must be worn for this. At concealed cutting edges, the cut may also be made with sheet scissors. A low ambient temperature reduces deformation capacity of the material.

### Glues

2-component PU glue is required as glue for installation of Skinrock<sup>®</sup>.

(Mapei Ultrabond Eco PU 2K or Benfer Jolly from Benfer)

Skinrock<sup>®</sup> panels were installed by floating-buttering. For hollow-free installation, the panel then must be pressed on from the middle outwards with a press-on roller.

To facilitate removal of glue residues and joint material during processing, we recommend previously impregnating the cleaned Skinrock<sup>®</sup> panel with Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Protect before installation. Impregnation can be applied by roller, brush, airless or a soaked cloth. Glue residues must be removed at once with a moist sponge.

The rear of the Skinrock<sup>®</sup> must be cleaned with Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Cleaner before installation.

**No objects (towel holder, soap dispenser, etc.) must be glued to the Skinrock<sup>®</sup> panels.**

**Approved residual moisture for installation of Skinrock<sup>®</sup>: <0.5 mass-CM% on all substrates.**

## Colour deviations

Our natural stone veneers are only made from fissile materials. They are made of different deposit layers and therefore have different colours between the different layers. Therefore, each veneer is one of a kind. Of course, we always try to deliver only panels of similar colours and structures. Therefore, you must inform us of your colour and structure wishes in particular for larger cohesive areas. The processor must look at the Skinrock<sup>®</sup> panels before installation with the customer and review them for accuracy. After installation, the claim to exchange of the panels expires.

## Impregnation, cleaning and care

The Skinrock<sup>®</sup> panels must be cleaned thoroughly with clean water and Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Cleaner after installation. Once the panels are dry, they are impregnated with Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Protect or Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Protect Premium.

Depending on the stress on the material, in particular in exposed areas, impregnation must be repeated at intervals.

Natural stone surfaces should regularly be cleaned moist in spite of impregnation. For the maintenance cleaning we recommend use of Skinrock<sup>®</sup> Care.

Regular care will keep the natural stone's colours and structures.

Do not use any abrasives, lubrication soap, acid-containing cleaners and strongly alkaline cleaners (grease solvents) in any case.

## Warranty

The warranty claims under sales law require a defect in the sense already described (Naturstein-Verband Schweiz). The relevant time for assessment of defectiveness of the object shall be the time of passing of risk (on this, see sect. 185 and sect. 220 OR). The purchaser shall inspect the goods after receipt. It must inform the seller of any defects at once (report of defects, sect. 201 para. 1 OR). If it does not do so, the object is deemed approved purs. to sect. 201 para. 2 OR. The report must be filed at once after discovery if any defects occur at a later time. Liability of the seller is not an option if the purchaser knew the defect or should have known it (sect. 200 OR). Expiration for the movable object is provided for in sect. 210 para. 1 OR and for properties in sect. 219 para. 3 OR. The deadline shall commence on delivery of the purchased object. According to sect. 199 OR, the seller's liability may also be contractually restricted or even excluded.

Skinrock AG shall not assume any warranty for bonding of the panels. Any liability is refused in case of improper installation or impregnation.

