

## Control Finish

## Finishing Aid

Fritz-Pak Control Finish is a dry, powdered finishing aid. It is packaged in an easy-to-use, **water-soluble bag** that allows for easy preparation of solutions at the job site. This product improves concrete surface finishing characteristics without retempering with water. This avoids many common surface problems, including plastic shrinkage cracks, dusting, cracking, and crazing. Sprayed on lightly and troweled in, Control Finish produces a high quality surface that is easy to finish and extremely durable. It also makes stamping and the addition of color hardeners much easier.



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## MEETS STANDARDS

There are not applicable standards for this product.

## PACKAGING:

<b>SIZE</b>	(2) 9 oz. Bags
<b>BAGS/CASE</b>	30
<b>CASES/PALLET</b>	32

Also available in 50 lb. bags

## ADVANTAGES

- No need to retemper the concrete surface
- Reduced risk of crazing due to windy conditions
- Enhanced concrete color
- Small packaging fits inside narrow-mouth sprayers



## DOSAGE

Mix one inner package in 1.5 gallons (5.7 liters) of water. Mix both inner packages in 3 gallons (11.4 liters) of water. For a stronger solution, both inner bags may be added to 1.5 gallons (5.7 liters).

One full packaged of Control Finish creates a solution that will cover 1,000 square feet (100 square meters).

## DIRECTIONS

1. Determine the amount of Control Finish required and the area you want to cover.
2. Each Control Finish package is double bagged. Remove the protective outer bag and add one or both of the entire Fritz-Pak inner packs to water in a spraying can or power trowel tank. The bags will easily dissolve with agitation.
3. Mix or shake for 3-5 minutes to uniformly dissolve. Periodic remixing may be required.
4. Prior to troweling, mist Control Finish evenly on the concrete surface. Only a light application is necessary.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- Q.** What is the shelf life of Control Finish?
- A.** In the liquid form, it can be used for up to 6 months. Remixing will be necessary after long periods of inactivity. In powdered form, if stored properly, about 2-3 years. If the material ever seems hard or caked, do not use it. It will not break up in the mix.
- Q.** Will Control Finish affect concrete colors?
- A.** Control Finish has recently been reformulated to avoid using dark colored material. If applied lightly and evenly, there should be no effect on concrete color.
- Q.** Can Control Finish be used with color hardener?
- A.** Yes, it is particularly suited to help in the application.
- Q.** Can Control Finish be reapplied?
- A.** Yes, you can rewet as needed as you move through the finishing area.
- Q.** Will it retard the set of concrete?
- A.** Not if applied correctly. If excess amounts are sprayed, and accumulate on the surface, some surface retardation may be seen.

## COMPATIBILITY & PRECAUTIONS

When using Control Finish, avoid heavy or uneven applications, which may slightly discolor and retard the concrete surface. Like all Fritz-Pak concrete admixtures, Control Finish should be stored in a dry location where it will be protected from breakage, deterioration, and contamination. Control Finish can be used with concrete containing most common admixtures, and it is not subject to damage from freezing temperatures.

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