



# Super Cement

Premium, All-purpose, Plastering Cement



## Coverage

Approximately 10yd<sup>2</sup> to 11.1yd<sup>2</sup> (8.4m<sup>2</sup> to 9.3m<sup>2</sup>) at 3/8" thick. Coverage may vary due to ambient air temperature, surface temperature, surface porosity, mixing, and or application techniques. The amount of sand used will also cause coverage to vary.

## Packaging

Moisture resistive, 94lb (42.6kg) bags

## Storage

1. Store components in a cool, dry location.
2. Store away from direct contact with ground and/or concrete.
3. Store out of direct sunlight.
4. Protect bags from weather and other damage.

## Shelf Life

1 year

## Color

Natural grey

## Product Description

**S**uper Cement is a mixture of portland cement complying with ASTM C150 and proprietary ingredients that increase the workability and early strength of the product. Super Cement is an excellent alternative to standard plastic cement or common cement with lime. Super Cement is available either as fibered or non-fibered.

## Features

## Benefits

<i>Proprietary Mixture</i>	Increased early strength and workability
<i>Eliminates Lime</i>	Cost savings and reduced inventory
<i>Pumpable</i>	Increased productivity; reduced labor costs
<i>Less Alkali</i>	Reduced efflorescence
<i>Factory Mixed</i>	Batch to batch consistency; no field additives

## Basic Uses

Super Cement is designed for use in the production of portland cement-based plaster in accordance with Table 21-A and 25-F of the Uniform Building Code, Section 2512 of the International Building Code, or ASTM C926. Super Cement meets the requirements of ASTM C926 Type P and ASTM C1328. It is an acceptable alternative when portland cement with Gibco or lime is specified.

## Area of Use

Super Cement may be applied to the following substrates:

1. Approved lath
2. Masonry
3. Poured-in-place and/or tilt-up concrete
4. Other approved cementitious substrates

## Optional Product Upgrades/Enhancements

PRODUCT	BENEFIT
E-FX Admix	Liquid admix to reduce efflorescence
AkroLoc/PolyLoc/ Admix 500	Liquid admixtures that reduce cracking and increase tensile, bond, and flexural strengths
OmegaCure	Liquid accelerator to improve hydration, increase early strength/hardness, and allow cold weather application
Crack Isolation System	Supplementary system designed to mitigate surface cracking in new and existing plaster systems by integrating woven fiberglass mesh into the base coat or brown coat prior to applying the finish

## Surface Preparation

### Solid Substrates

For solid substrates, such as concrete or masonry, surfaces to receive application must be structurally sound, clean and free of debris, dirt, dust, efflorescence, grease, oils, curing agents, and cleaning solutions. Repair cracks with the appropriate patching material for the existing substrate as needed. Bonders or admixtures may be required to ensure proper adhesion.

### Framing

Ensure substrates, water-resistive barrier, and lathing have been installed and inspected as required by Omega Product's literature and local building codes as applicable.

## Mixing

Mix per IBC section 2510, ASTM C926, or as follows:

1. Add a sufficient amount of potable water to the mixing apparatus.
2. Add Super Cement to mixer and optional admix per admix data sheet.
3. For the first coat, add 2.5 to 4 parts plaster sand per 1 part Super Cement by volume or approximately 200lb to 320lb (90kg to 145kg) per 94lb bag of Super Cement. For the second coat, add 3 to 5 parts plaster sand per 1 part Super Cement by volume or approximately 240lb to 400lb (109kg to 181kg) per 94lb bag of Super Cement. Plaster sand should comply with ASTM C897. Amount of sand added may vary due to moisture content and/or composition of plaster sand. The same or greater sand proportion shall be used in the second coat than is used in the first coat.
4. Mix for approximately 3 to 5 minutes.
5. Stop mixer and allow the material to take its initial set.
6. Material may be retempered once adding only enough water to reach the desired consistency.

NOTE: Do not over mix.

## Application

Omega Super Cement can be hand troweled or machine applied. Apply per IBC section 2510, ASTM C926, or as follows:

### Over Lath

1. Scratch Coat: Apply the mixed Super Cement to a nominal thickness of 3/8" using a hawk and trowel or pump.
2. Brown Coat: Once the scratch coat has sufficient strength to hold the brown coat, apply the mixed Super Cement to a nominal thickness of 3/8" using a hawk and trowel or pump.
3. Rod and screed to achieve a uniform surface.
4. Float the freshly applied Super Cement to prepare surface for finish.

### Over Masonry or Cementitious Substrates

1. Ensure surface is structurally sound and properly prepared to ensure bonding. Use of bonding agent may be necessary.
2. Apply the mixed Super Cement to a maximum of a 1/2". Greater thickness is possible, but requires lath.
3. Rod or screed to achieve a uniform surface.

4. Float the freshly applied Super Cement to prepare surface for finish.

NOTE: All coats must be applied with sufficient material and pressure to ensure tight contact and complete coverage of the base, to a nominal thickness.

## Curing

Provide sufficient moisture in the plaster mix or by moist or fog curing to permit continuous hydration of the cementitious materials. The length of time and most effective procedure for curing will depend on climatic and job conditions. Product should fully cure in 7 to 28 days following application. Curing time may vary due to ambient temperature, surface temperature, surface porosity, application methods, and/or thickness of material. All freshly applied material must be protected by an approved protective system from inclement weather until material has sufficient strength not to be damaged.

## Limitations

**DO NOT** apply product when the ambient and surface temperature is below 40°F (4°C).\* The ambient and surface temperature must maintain the above requirements until material has sufficient strength not to be damaged (See CURING). Material that is allowed to freeze may suffer irreparable damage.

**DO NOT** add any other materials to the mixture of the product without written approval from Omega Products International.


**DO NOT** deviate in the mixing or application procedures contained in this, or any other Product Data Sheets, without written approval from Omega Products International.

**DO NOT** apply Super Cement if there are contaminants on the receiving surface. Contaminates may include, but are not limited to, dust, debris, efflorescence, and/or oils.

**DO NOT** saturate the wall during preparation and/or water curing.

**DO NOT** use excessive amounts of water when floating.

NOTE: Failure to follow manufacturer's written specifications could result in the following, but not limited to spalling, cracking, peeling, chipping, delamination, discoloration, wash off, and overall system failure.

 To ensure proper hydration in cold weather applications (approximately 50°F to 32°F) use OmegaCure admix. Refer to OmegaCure data sheet for additional information.

## Cleaning

Cleaning may be accomplished with water immediately after use.

## Safety

Avoid contact with eyes or prolonged contact with skin. Wash thoroughly after handling. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with running water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician immediately. Do not take internally. Be sure to provide adequate ventilation in enclosed areas. Use of an approved respirator is recommended.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

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