

<p><b><u>Plaster Recipe - Discovery coat</u></b></p> <p>Hawthorn Bond: 30L  EPK: 10L  Sand: 4L  Water: 2L  Wheat Paste: 2L</p>	<p><b><u>Plaster Recipe - Infill coat</u></b></p> <p>Sand: 5L  Water: 1.5 – 2L  Chopped Straw: 1L packed  Wheat Paste: 1.5L  Hawthorn Bond 1 bag (50 lbs)</p>
<p><b><u>Plaster Recipe - Finish coat (exterior)</u></b></p> <p>Hawthorn Bond: 10L  Sand: 20L, packed  Wheat Paste: 10L  Cat Tail Fluff: 2L, not packed  Water: 5L, usually less</p>	<p><b><u>Plaster Recipe - Finish coat (interior)</u></b></p> <p>Wheat Paste: 10 litres  Sand: 20 litres, packed  Cat Tail Fluff: 2 litres, not packed  EPK: 10 litres  Water 5 litres, usually less</p> <p>Mixing Instructions:  In a 70 litre bucket, first add the wheat paste, then the sand on top. Mix thoroughly.</p> <p>Add the cat tail fluff and mix in by hand until just combined. Mix thoroughly with the power mixer.</p> <p>Add a small amount of water and mix thoroughly.</p> <p>Wearing a dust mask, measure the clay.</p> <p>Add half the clay to the wet ingredients and mix thoroughly.</p> <p>If the mix becomes too thick, add a small amount of water.</p> <p>Add the second half of the clay and a small amount of water. Mix thoroughly.</p> <p>Only add more water if the mix is very thick and heavy. Be very careful not to add too much water!</p> <p>Ideal consistency is easy to mix, and feels light when you draw a finger through it, but the plaster still holds its shape from the finger mark.</p>

# Wheat Paste:

## Larger stock pot:

Bring 10 litres of water to a rolling boil.

In the blender, combine 2 cups of white flour with 2 cups of cold water. Blend until smooth. Repeat two and a half more times (for a total of 7 cups of flour and 7 cups of cold water).

Remove the pot from the heat.

Slowly add the flour mixture to the hot water while stirring constantly with a whisk.

Allow to cool before using.

Makes about 12.5 litres.

## Smaller stock pot:

Bring 8 litres of water to a rolling boil.

In the blender, combine 2 cups of white flour with 2 cups of cold water. Blend until smooth. Repeat twice more (for a total of 6 cups of flour and 6 cups of cold water).

Remove the pot from the heat.

Slowly add the flour mixture to the hot water while stirring constantly with a whisk.

Allow to cool before using.

Makes about 10 litres.