PRODUCT USES

All purpose wall and ceiling finish for interior and exterior use on cement plaster, fibre cement, concrete, brickwork and various types of composition boarding.

Also suitable for application to metal and wooden surfaces, provided those surfaces are suitably primed before the application of this material.

FEATURES AND BENEFITS

Good exterior durability.
Low sheen finish resists dirt pick-up.
Water based - two topcoats can be applied during the same day.
Hard wearing and easy to apply.
Excellent interior washability.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Appearance     Low Sheen
Colour         White, a range of ready-mixed colours, and colours from the Dulux Colour System in the Pastel Base 7, Medium Base 8, Deep Base 9 and Transparent Base 6
Density at 23°C Approx. 1.32 kg/L
Solids Content By weight: Approx. 48%
                 By volume: Approx. 34%
Packaged Viscosity Viscosity at 23°C: Approx 105 KU
Spreading Rate  Approx 10m² per litre depending on surface porosity, profile and application method
Recommended DFT per coat Min. 30µm. Max. 40µm.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application conditions Surface Temperature between 10°C - 35°C
Relative Humidity between 10 % - 85 %
Application methods Brush, roller or airless spray
Thinner Thinning not recommended
          Ready for use after thorough stirring
Drying Time Touch dry 30 minutes
(Drying times will be extended during cold, wet or humid conditions)
Recoating Time 4 hours
Cleaning of equipment Clean immediately with water
APPLICATION INFORMATION

Substrates
Suitable for cement plaster, gypsum plaster, concrete, fibre cement, ceiling boards and wooden surfaces provided that appropriate preparation is carried out.

Precautions
Ensure that surfaces are sound and free from dust, dirt, grease and oil. Surfaces must be thoroughly dry - no more than 12% moisture content.
Do not apply during cold (below 10°C) or wet weather.
Do not apply directly to bare metal surfaces.
Not suitable for direct application to powdery or friable surfaces whether previously painted or not.

Coats required
Apply two to three finishing coats to surfaces to achieve a closed film and solid colour.

SURFACE PREPARATION

NEW SURFACES
Cement Plaster (non friable)
It is recommended that fresh plaster should be allowed one week drying for every 5mm thickness; and longer in cold or damp weather.
Spot-prime metal strips and nail heads with appropriate primer.
Prime with one full coat Dulux Trade Alkali Resistant Plaster Primer.

Fibre Cement, Gypsum Plaster, Composition Boarding
Spot-prime metal strips and nail heads with appropriate primer.
Prime with one full coat Dulux Trade Alkali Resistant Plaster Primer.

Concrete
Remove any uncured cement, grease, and mould-release agents by high-pressure water blast, or wash with a strong solution of sugar soap. Rinse off thoroughly with clean water.
Prime with one full coat Dulux Trade Alkali Resistant Plaster Primer.

Galvanised Iron, Aluminium, and all non-ferrous metals
Clean and degrease with Dulux Cleaner for Galvanised Iron. A water-break free surface indicates thorough cleaning - running water should not form droplets.
Prime with one coat Dulux Trade A100 Etch Primer.

PVC Gutters/Downpipes
Sand well to improve adhesion. Ensure surface is clean and dry.
Prime with one coat Dulux Trade A100 Etch Primer, or Dulux Supergrip All-Surface Primer.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES
Sound, not powdery
Clean surfaces with Dulux Sugar Soap. Wash down with water.
For emulsion surfaces apply finishing coats.
For enamel surfaces, sand to a matt finish to aid adhesion and follow with a coat of Dulux Undercoat for All Surfaces. Apply finishing coats.

Old Paint in Poor Condition
Strip loose and flaking paint completely and spot prime bare areas with Dulux Trade Alkali Resistant Plaster Primer.
Friable and porous surfaces must be removed and repaired.
Mould instructions. To kill lichen and algae growth, scrub with one of the following solutions: either 25% chlorine solution and water or 25% bleach (sodium hypochlorite) and water solution. Ensure that the areas are completely saturated, and allow the solution to react for a minimum of 4 hours. Rinse the complete wall surface thoroughly with clean water.

Filling
Fill and repair imperfections with the appropriate Dulux Filler and prime with Dulux Trade Alkali Resistant Plaster Primer once the crack filler has dried properly. Failure to do this will result in uneven sheen levels between the repaired and normal areas.

HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION

For detailed safety information refer to Material Safety Data Sheet.
Keep out of reach of children.
Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.
Non-flammable.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Storage Conditions
Store under cool dry conditions.

Disclaimer
For best colour and sheen consistency, it is advisable to use containers of the same batch number, or to mix different batches together in a large container, or to finish in a corner before starting a new container.