



### **WEATHERGUARD - ULTRASMOOTH**

# **PRODUCT USES**

Suitable for application to new exterior cement plaster, fibre cement, concrete, brickwork, and various types of composition boarding. Particularly recommended for fibre cement gutters and down pipes.

Suitable for application to previously painted surfaces which have been correctly prepared.

May be applied to metal and wooden surfaces providing an appropriate primer has been used.

**FEATURES AND BENEFITS** 

Attractive smooth coating.

Protects against dirt.

Excellent adhesion.

Early weather resistance.

Superior alkali resistance.

High quality washable, smooth wall finish ideal for exterior use

# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

**Appearance** Smooth 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 Base 6

Density at 23°C Approx.: 1.37 kg/L

Solids Content By weight: Approx. 53%

By volume: Approx. 35%

Packaged Viscosity Viscosity at 23°C: Approx 100 KU

7 to 9m<sup>2</sup> per litre depending on surface porosity, Spreading Rate

profile and application method

Recommended

**DFT** per coat

Min. 35µm. Max. 50µm.

# **APPLICATION INFORMATION**

Application Surface Temperature between 10 - 35°C conditions

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 60 minutes

(Drying times will be extended during cold,

wet or humid conditions)

**Recoating Time** 4 hours

Cleaning of equipment

Clean immediately with water

Substrates Suitable for cement plaster, gypsum plaster,

concrete, fibre cement, ceiling boards,

PVC, metal and wooden surfaces provided that appropriate preparation and priming is carried out.















## APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### **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 new 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.

Prime with one full coat Dulux Plaster Primer.

#### **Fibre Cement and Composition Boards**

Spot-prime metal strips and nail heads with appropriate metal primer.

Prime with one full coat Dulux Plaster Primer.

#### Concrete

Remove any uncured cement, grease, and mouldrelease 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 Plaster Primer.

#### Galvanised Iron, Aluminium, and all non-ferrous metals

Clean and degrease with **Dulux Galvanised Iron** Cleaner. A water-break free surface indicates thorough cleaning - running water should not form droplets.

Prime with one coat Dulux Galvanised Iron Primer.

#### **PVC Gutters/Downpipes**

Sand well to improve adhesion. Ensure surface is clean and drv.

Prime with one coat Dulux Supergrip.

#### Wooden Surfaces

Prime with **Dulux Wood Primer**.

Alternatively, timber surfaces can be primed with Dulux Supergrip to give a complete water based system.

#### PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES

#### Sound, not powdery

Clean surfaces with Fixit 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 using highpressure washing and spot prime bare areas with **Dulux Plaster Primer.** 

Fill and repair imperfections with the appropriate Fixit filler and prime with Dulux 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.

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 4:1 water/HTH (chlorine), or 4:1 water/JIK (sodium hypochlorite). 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.

### **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.



# **i** ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## **Storage Conditions**

Store under cool dry conditions.

#### **Disclaimers**

Colour references are as accurate as printing will allow. Please refer to the in-store stripe cards/ standard card, or on-shelf colour displays for an accurate representation of the colour.

Among others, the following factors may affect final colour appearance: product sheen and texture, colour and light reflections, application, surface texture and preparation.

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.