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WEATHERSHIELD TEXTURED MASONRY PAINT

Weathershield Textured Masonry Paint from **Dulux Trade** is an exterior quality fine texture emulsion paint based on an acrylic resin. Contains a fungicide to inhibit mould growth on the paint film. The formulation gives an attractive fine granular finish and allows a higher build.

KEY BENEFITS

- 10 Year All Weather Protection
- Helps Bridge Fine Cracks
- Coverage up to 8m² Per Litre

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Typical Use

Ideal for use most exterior masonry and rendering (including concrete, roughcast, pebble-dash and brickwork which is normally suitable for painting, such as rustic or sand faced bricks). Common or fletton bricks should not be painted. Painting of parapet, free standing and retaining walls below ground level damp-proof course is inadvisable, as it may be difficult to prevent moisture penetration and consequent failure of the paint coating. Painting this type of wall may also increase the risk of frost damage and spalling of the brickwork or stonework.

Pack Size

5L.

Colour Range

See appropriate **Dulux Trade** colour literature or visit *duluxtrade.co.uk*.

Film Properties

Chemical Resistance: Resistant to mild atmospheric fume attack and to the salts in new mortar, rendering and similar surfaces.

Heat Resistance: Not suitable for use on heated surfaces.

Water Resistance: Resistant to the levels of atmospheric humidity normally experienced in exterior environments.

Composition (nominal)

Pigment: Lightfast Pigments.

Binder: Acrylic Emulsion with Fungicide/algicide.

Solvent: Water.

Volume Solids

White: 44% (nominal). Other colours will vary.

SURFACE PREPARATION

To get the best results, ensure surfaces to be painted are sound, clean and dry (new surfaces particularly must be fully dry). Wash down previously painted surfaces with a detergent solution to remove all dirt, grease or chalking paint where practicable. Rinse off with clean water and allow to dry. Carefully scrape back to a firm edge all areas of poorly adhering or defective coatings and rub down thoroughly to 'key and feather' broken edges of existing coatings. Special precautions should be taken during surface preparation of pre-1960s paint surfaces over wood and metal as they may contain harmful lead.

Treat any areas affected by mould, lichens, algae and moss with **Weathershield** Multi-Surface Fungicidal Wash*. Make good minor defects with an appropriate **Polycell** filler. Use a sand and cement mix for larger holes and cracks. Allow to dry.

New or sound bare surfaces should be sealed with a thinned first coat of **Weathershield** Textured Masonry Paint (add up to 1 part clean water to 5 parts paint). Surfaces that remain powdery, friable or chalky after thorough preparation should be sealed with a coat of **Weathershield** Stabilising Primer. **Note:** do not seal sound new or bare surfaces with stabilising primer.

SYSTEMS INFORMATION

STIR THOROUGHLY BEFORE USE. Seal new or bare surfaces with a thinned coat of **Weathershield** Textured Masonry Paint (up to 1 part water to 5 parts paint). The normal finishing process is 2 full coats of **Weathershield** Textured Masonry Paint, but on previously painted surfaces in good condition, where similar colours are used, 1 coat may be sufficient.

For best colour consistency, purchase sufficient tinted paint for each job including touch-in at one time from the same source.

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APPLICATION METHOD

Brush, roller or spray.

Do not use in extremes of temperatures (below 7° C) or during rain, fog or relative humidity above 80%.

Practical Coverage

The spreading rate of this product will vary considerably according to the roughness and porosity of the surface.

On smooth surfaces of low porosity, such as rendering: up to 6-8m² per litre.

On textured surfaces of low porosity, such as pebbledash: 3-4m² per litre.

These figures are only an approximate guide due to the variation of different building surfaces and may be reduced. If in doubt, apply a small trial area.

Thinning

Sealing new or bare surfaces: Add up to 1 part clean water to 5 parts paint.

Normal use (not to be exceeded): Add up to 1 part clean water to 10 parts paint.

Conventional spray application: Add up to 1 part clean water to 5 parts paint.

Spray Recommendations

Conventional Spray: Only use with equipment that is suitable for use with textured materials.

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Drying Times

Single coat at standard thickness:

Touch Dry: Normally touch dry after 1-2 hours. **Recoat:** 2-4 hours. Drying time will vary according to temperature and humidity, and will be significantly longer in cold, damp conditions.

Cleaning Up

After use, remove as much product as possible from equipment before cleaning with water.

When this paint container is empty please ask your stockist about recycling. If you have leftover paint, please dispose of it responsibly and consider donating it to **Community RePaint.** Find out more at *duluxtrade.co.uk/pp.*

Transportation & Storage

Do not use or store in extremes of temperature and protect from frost. To prevent spillage, please store and transport upright.

VOC

EU limit value for this product (cat.: A/c): 40g/l (2010). This product contains max. 10g/l VOC. VOC content: Low (0.30-7.99%).

FURTHER SUPPORT

If you need further support, please contact the **AkzoNobel** Technical Advice Centre on <u>0333 222 70 70.</u>

* Weathershield Multi-Surface Fungicidal Wash contains: Benzalkonium Chloride.

Use biocides safely. Always read the label and product information before use.

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<u>Safety datasheet (SDS 419) is available free on request</u> by telephoning the **AkzoNobel** Technical Advice Centre or by visiting *duluxtrade.co.uk*.

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