

Before full application applying a test patch is recommended to ensure product compatibility and to ensure colour satisfaction, please evaluate colour once dry.

In order to help projects run smoothly, if, at any stage during application, guidance is required please do not hesitate in contacting us for advice. We will do all we can to supply information to the best of our knowledge and experience.

Surface Preparation

Newly rendered surfaces must be given sufficient time for the render to have fully carbonated 'cured' and dried out, before an application of Oil Bound Distemper (1-3 months). Check with render manufacturer for accurate full drying times.

Extreme care should also be taken with surfaces that have been 'spot' repaired. The use of silicone or polymer based fillers, sealers or water proofers are generally impervious to water and very often lead to Oil Bound Distemper failing to adhere.

All loose materials should be removed from the surface to be coated. The substrate must be free from dirt, grease and any other contaminants likely to impair adhesion. It should be remembered that any repairs carried out (filling of holes, cracks etc.) are very likely to be of a different porosity to that of the rest of the substrate and therefore will offer a different absorption rate to the Oil Bound Distemper, this may well lead to patchiness when the distemper is applied.

Dilution & Application

It is recommended that the first coat of Oil Bound Casein Distemper is thinned with fresh clean water by up to 20%, especially on new surfaces. This will help to avoid the distemper being applied too thickly resulting in 'mud cracking', poor adhesion and or visible brush lines.

Diluting also helps avoid porous walls drawing out the water too quickly from the distemper again resulting in 'mud cracking', poor adhesion and or visible brush lines.

If at any point during application the brush feels as though it is 'snagging' or is not brushing out smoothly we would recommend diluting the distemper to help avoid any issues and to ensure an even finish is achieved.



Example of Mud Cracking

Apply and handle distemper as you would a modern emulsion using a good quality brush making sure to brush out well and to not apply too thick.

Existing painted surfaces should be lightly abraded before application, this can be done using a stiff brush. Apply only when temperatures are above 5°C, failure to observe minimum temperature will result in poor film formation and poor adhesion.

Surfaces should not be painted when the relative humidity is above 65%. A good test is to moisten the surfaces and

if it dries within 10-15 minutes painting can begin. Immediately before use thoroughly stir the contents and always replace the lid when not in use.

Cleaning

Surfaces can be gently cleaned with a damp cloth or sponge.
Application tools & equipment should be cleaned with warm soapy water.

Storage

This paint range is water-based and therefore should always be protected from frost. Store upright between 5°C & 25°C. Always replace lid after use & use within 3 months.

Disposal & Environmental Advice

Do not empty into drains or watercourses. Dispose of contents/container to waste disposal site in accordance with local/national regulations. Contact the local Environmental Department for disposal instructions.

Health & Safety Advice

Keep out of reach of children. Ensure good ventilation during application and drying. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

Contact with skin

Clean skin with proprietary cleaner and wash with soap and water. Remove heavily soiled clothing.

If in eyes

Remove glasses / contact lenses, irrigate eye with copious amounts of water for 10 minutes & seek medical help.

If ingested

Do not induce vomiting – seek medical help immediately.
Full Safety Data Sheet available on request.

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