NZDU03761 Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen on Painted Masonry [Exterior]

Scope of Works

DULUX Weathershield X10 Low Sheen Acrylic is a 100% acrylic self priming paint for exterior use. Its unique MaxiFlex Stretch Technology gives a tough flexible finish, for long life protection from the extremes of weather.

Substrate and Substrate Preparation

Substrate Notes

This is a generic masonry and cementitious substrate. It includes concrete block substrates. The following substrates are excluded: Precast, Tilt-up and Off-form, Concrete Flooring, Roof Tiles and Cement Render. Other specialty masonry or cementitious substrates may also not be covered by this substrate.

BRICK
Bricks are predominantly kiln-fired clay, which can be glazed or unglazed. The glazing on glazed bricks should be ground or scabbled to improve adhesion of the coating system. Brickwork is often raked, so rendering requires much more material than face-laid brickwork. The surface must be clean and sound, free of dirt, grime, mould, fungus, stains, powdery mortar smears and all other contaminants. The surface should be examined to determine if it has been laid to specification (flush jointed or face laid) and that the surface variation is within acceptable tolerances. If applying a texture coating, the degree to which the texture coating camouflages flush walls depends on how flush the substrate has been constructed.

BLOCKWORK
Blockwork is largely cement based and highly porous, and usually flush-laid. The surface should be examined to determine if it has been laid to specification (flush jointed or face laid) and that the surface variation is within acceptable tolerances. The degree to which texture coatings camouflage flush walls depends on how flush the substrate has been constructed.

AUTOCLAVED AERATED CONCRETE (AAC)
AAC is manufactured from sand, lime and cement, to which is added water and aluminium paste. After mixing, the cement slurry is poured into moulds. The aluminium paste reacts with the alkaline elements in the mixture and forms hydrogen gas. This liberated gas expands the mixture forming extremely small finely dispersed air spaces. The product is removed from the mould after a few hours, cut to the required dimension and finally cured under pressure in a steam autoclave.
AAC Block Wall Systems are (typically) load-bearing external wall solutions for homes as an alternative to traditional double brick construction. Blocks are glued together (thin bed) using AAC Manufacturer's adhesive to a design standard of providing a level, fully filled joint.

AAC Panel is (typically) a 50 or 75mm panel of Autoclaved Aerated Concrete (AAC) with corrosion protected steel reinforcement embedded during production. This lightweight, yet solid masonry panel is designed for external cladding in timber or steel frame construction. Panels are glued together (thin bed) using AAC Manufacturer's adhesive to a design standard of providing a level, fully filled joint.

Substrate Preparation Notes

ASSESS SUITABILITY
Inspect to determine the degree of deterioration of existing coatings. Identification of the existing coating is also very helpful in determining the repaint system. Check coating adhesion using the cross-cut adhesion test, carried out in various locations.

REMOVE SURFACE CONTAMINANTS
Clean to remove all dirt, dust, efflorescence, laitance, powdery surfaces, mould and all other surface contaminants by using a suitable cleaning agent, such as Dulux Prep Wash and rinsing/water blasting clean with water. Water blasting will also give a good indication as to the coatings integrity. Efflorescence may also be removed with an acid treatment, followed by washing down the surface with water.

REPAIR SURFACE IMPERFECTIONS
Prepare all areas that have poor adhesion, cracking, peeling and flaking by sanding, power sanding, scraping, wire brushing, grit blasting, burning off or chemical stripping as appropriate, to leave a clean surface. Feather edges of the surrounding sound paint to completely remove visual ridges and wash/dust off to remove debris. Any major design faults leading to structural failure must be corrected prior to repainting. Use an acrylic based patching compound with the addition of 10-20% fresh Portland cement to patch any surface defects.

SANDING
Sand the entire cleaned coating to an even flat gloss level to provide a smooth, even surface and to provide a good key for the new coating system to adhere to. Ensure all sanding dust is removed prior to continuing.

PRIME
Spot prime any exposed areas with a suitable water based primer. If a specialized, penetrating solvent based primer is required, use Dulux AcraTex 501/2 AcraPrime solvent based primer.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:
• Ensure all previously painted enamel finishes are thoroughly abraded to ensure adequate adhesion of subsequent coating system.

Coating System Summary

- 1st Coat — Dulux PREP WASH
- Spot Primer — Dulux 1 Step Prep Water Based Primer Sealer Undercoat
- 2nd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen
- 3rd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

Coating System

1st Coat — Dulux PREP WASH

Coat Type	Datasheet
1st Coat	**NZDU00398 Dulux PREP WASH**

Read the full Datasheet details at Dulux PREP WASH

Application Methods

Brush

Broom Garden sprayer

	Min	Max	Recommended
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)	6	12	
Recoat Time **	n/a	n/a	n/a

Meets ECNZ V.O.C. Requirements?
Not Applicable

Coating Application Details

Apply by broom or brush. Or by garden sprayer.
1. Add one part Dulux Prep Wash concentrate to one part water in a clean plastic bucket and mix well.
2. Test on a small inconspicuous area at recommended dilution to determine effectiveness and strength required.
3. Apply diluted Dulux Prep Wash solution to walls/roof/trim with a broom/brush or garden sprayer. Leave the solution on the surface until mould and mildew stains disappear or soften (approximately 10 minutes), avoiding allowing the solution to dry out. Scrub vigorously.
4. Rinse off the surface with water using a high pressure or garden hose and allow surface to dry. Surface may be slippery while wet (roof).
Stubborn stains may require longer time, more vigorous scrubbing, or additional treatment. Severely stained surfaces may need a power washer, or treatment with undiluted Dulux Prep Wash concentrate.

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Spot Primer — Dulux 1 Step Prep Water Based Primer Sealer Undercoat

Coat Type	Datasheet
Spot Primer	**NZDU00432 Dulux 1 Step Prep Water Based Primer Sealer Undercoat**

Read the full Datasheet details at Dulux 1 Step Prep Water Based Primer Sealer Undercoat

Application Methods

Air Spray **Airless Spray** **Brush** **Roller**

	Min	Max	Recommended
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)			14
Wet Film Per Coat (microns)			71
Dry Film Per Coat (microns)			31

Recoat Time **	2 Hours		

V.O.C. Level **< 40g/L untinted**	Meets ECNZ V.O.C. Requirements? **Not Applicable**

Coating Application Details

Brush, roller, conventional or airless spray.
ROLLER: Using a medium nap roller apply a full even coat direct from the container and finish by light parallel strokes with a dry roller.
Stir contents thoroughly before and during use.
AIRLESS/CONVENTIONAL SPRAY: Suitable for application by all standard spray equipment. If necessary thin with up to 100ml per litre of water to aid atomisation.
BRUSH: Wet brushes with water prior to use to avoid clogging. Apply a full even coat direct from the container.
When painting exterior surfaces, ensure topcoat is applied no more than one week after application.

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2nd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

Coat Type **2nd Coat**	Datasheet **NZDU00231 Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen**

Read the full Datasheet details at Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

Application Methods

Air Spray **Airless Spray** **Brush** **Roller**

	Min	Max	Recommended
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)	16	16	16
Wet Film Per Coat (microns)	63	63	63
Dry Film Per Coat (microns)	24	24	24
Recoat Time **	2 Hours	Indefinite	

V.O.C. Level **<45 g/L untinted**	Meets ECNZ V.O.C. Requirements? **Yes** Total Volatile Organic Content (TVOC) values are calculated in accordance to the stated methodology within Green Star Technical Manuals. The TVOC content is theoretically calculated as the sum total of the known VOC values of the product's raw material components. These materials include the base paint plus additional low VOC tinter required for non-factory packaged colours.

Coating Application Details

Brush, roller, conventional and airless spray

Within 1km of sea for Galvanised iron, Zincalume
Apply one coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield. Preparation/coating system can vary depending on the quality and conditions of pre-primed timber/fibre cement, Colorbond® & colorsteel® and tilt-up & precast concrete surfaces. For help and advice, please call Dulux Help & Advice on 0800 800 424 for specific guidance. Some colours may require more than the recommended number of coats to achieve full opacity. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), when painting over contrasting colour, apply 1 coat of Dulux 1Step prepcoat.

Steel/wrought iron
Apply 2 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

Bare surfaces including brick, masonry, fibre cement, Zincalume
Apply 3 coats of Weathershield.

Galvanised iron

Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), apply 1 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

For Zincalume/galvanised iron roofs
Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), apply 1 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

Bare unpainted timber
Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), for improved resistance to cracking on hardwoods (eg Mt Ash, Oak), apply a coat of Dulux 1Step Prep-coat prior to the application of two topcoats of Weathershield. Professional Painters refer to Duspec Specification Sheets to qualify for guarantee. Check the weather forecast. Do not paint on excessively cold or humid days. Exposure to rain or overnight dew whilst drying may result in the coating being damaged or removed. If painting during the hottest time of the day, cool the surface by hosing before painting and paint on the shady side of the house. Stir contents thoroughly before and during use with a broad flat stirrer, using an upward lifting action.

Brush/roller
Soak brush or roller in water before starting and use while still slightly damp. Thinning is usually not required.

Airless or conventional spray
Suitable for application by all standard spray equipment. Apply wet even coats. If necessary thin with up to 100 ml/litre water to aid atomisation. Under hot or very windy conditions, up to 100 ml/litre of Dulux Hot Weather Thinner may be added to ease application. On previously painted surfaces, apply 2 coats of Weathershield.

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3rd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

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* Practical Spreading Rate will vary from the quoted Theoretical Spreading Rate due to factors such as method and condition of application and surface roughness. ** Recoat times are quotes for 25°c and 50% relative humidity, these may vary under different conditions.

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