

# Aquasilk

Interior / Exterior Finish



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A high quality decorative wall finish based on 100% acrylic copolymer emulsion with medium sheen / silky finish that is highly washable, stain resistant and resist yellowing.

## USES

Suitable for interior and exterior surfaces such as cement, plaster, concrete, brick, stucco, gypsum board, building boards. Particularly suitable in areas subject to condensation and wear and tear including kitchens, bathrooms, corridors, hallways and public areas.

## PROPERTIES

### Appearance

Silk

### Colour Range

Brilliant white

PATSA Colour range "Freedom of colour choices"

### Volume Solids

52% ± 2%

### Pack Size

5 litres and 16 litres

### Spreading Rate

Up to 13 sq. mtr. /litre depending on surface texture, porosity and method of application.

### Drying Time

Surface dry in 1 hour. Recoatable after 3 hours (in normal drying conditions)

### Shelf Life

2 years when stored in dry and cool conditions.

## APPLICATION DATA

Stir well before use. Apply by brush, roller, air spray or airless spray. For details of spray equipment, contact PATSA Technical Services Department.

### Thinning

Brush and Roller: 5% sweet water (The first coat may be

thinned up to 10% on very absorbent surfaces). Air spray and Airless spray: 10% sweet water.

### Cleaning

Clean all tools and equipment immediately after use with clean water.

### Caution

Donot use when humidity levels may cause surface condensation (maximum 85%), during rainy conditions or if temperatures are likely to fall bellow 5°C during application. Protect from frost

## SPECIFICATION

### Surfaces Preparation (New and Previously Decorated Surfaces).

#### General

All surfaces should be sound, clean, dry and free from loose and flaking material, dirt, efflorescence oil, grease, wax and polish. When appropriate the relevant PATSA Primer should be used. Fill small cracks and surface imperfections with PATSA AQUAFILL, larger cracks may be filled with ASOCRET RN.

See notes [i, ii]

### Exterior Concrete, Brick, Render, Plaster, Gypsum board, Fiberboard etc.

Prime with one coat of AQUAPRIME. Allow to dry.

See notes [i, ii, iii]

### Decoration (New Work and Previously Decorated)

#### All surfaces

Apply two coats of PATSA AQUASILK.

See notes [iv, v]

## NOTES

- i. Organic growth (moss, fungus, mildew) Should be treated with a proprietary Fungicidal treatment in accordance with Manufacturer's instructions.

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- ii. On previously decorated surfaces, after the removal of loose and flaking material apply PATSA AQUAPRIME to bare areas overlapping onto the existing decoration.
- iii. Surfaces of high porosity (very chalky and powdery) should be primed with one coat of AQUAPRIME or Acrycoat - 66.
- iv. For interior surfaces thin first coat to satisfy the porosity of the surface, a third coat may be required on very porous surfaces. Do not use in heated surfaces.
- v. A third coat may be required if there is marked colour contrast between the surface and the paint to be applied.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

Use only in well ventilated areas. In case of insufficient ventilation during spraying, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Do not breathe vapour / spray.

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of sweet water and seek medical advice. Keep out of reach of children.