

BritPaint Care and Maintenance Guide

BritPaint Textured Finishes:

Usage

On primed external timber surfaces such as plywood or hardwood, masonry and brickwork.

Overview

BritPaint stipple paint is a flexible coating that moves with the natural movement of the wood. It is a fine-textured, durable and reliable exterior paint with excellent water-resistant properties. It is easily stippled when applied with a texturing roller or pad. Also available with class 2 flame retardant certification.

- Flame Retardant certification.
- Dirt-resistant & waterproof.
- Extremely durable & covers fine cracks.
- Touch flexible formulation.
- Allows timber to breathe.
- Does not crack.
- · Mould and algae resistant.
- Can be firmed into a range of textures and designs to suit.
- Over coated using BritPaint Masonry coat.
- Available in a range of colours we can also manufacture in any colour you require.
- Supplied in 5 litre, 10 litre and 20-litre tubs.
- · Ready to use on arrival.

BritPaint textured finishes can be made in any consistency to suit your requirements, with guaranteed quality of 10 years when applied and maintained according to the BritPaint guidelines.

Application

Apply stipple paint over the surface area evenly using a well-loaded textured or iris roller, then rework to achieve the required textured finish.

Cleaning

Materials and equipment should be washed in water. The skin should be washed in warm water and soap.

Coverage

1 m2 - 1.5 m2 per litre

Drying Time

Touch dry: 8 hours Fully dry: 24-72 hours

In wet and damp conditions, drying time will be longer. (The above are guide times; the drying time can be affected by the use of heaters and thickness of application)

Environmental Conditions

When applied the temperature must be above the 5°c with humidity below 80%.

Storage and Handling

Storage: Store in an enclosed environment with a temperature range of 5-25 degrees Celsius.

Shelf life: Provided it is stored as above in unopened containers the product has an expected shelf life of 6 months from the date of manufacture.

Product information

Composition: Based on waterborne, high solids, colloid stabilised styrene acrylic copolymer dispersion with suitable pigments and extenders.

Flashpoint: None.

Safety Precautions

Non-Flammable: Water-based product.

Disposable Considerations

The waste product should not be discharged directly into drains or waterways without treatment. The disposal of products and packaging should always comply with local

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and national regulations. EU waste code – no waste code number available.

Ecologic Information

Derogation/Elimination – doc elimination after 2 days. Bioaccumulation – no evidence for bioaccumulation. Eco toxic effects – the product is not classified as dangerous. All surfaces must be dust-free, clean and dry with no splintered or loose material. All fixings should be galvanised and as an extra precaution, they should be coated with an oil-based metal primer. This will prevent the possibility of rust spots occurring at a later stage. All timber surfaces should be primed using Britpaint Stain Blocking Primer. Prime both sides of the boards. Joints between the panels should be sealed with Britpaint Scrim Tape.

Health and Safety

Please see the safety sheet.

General Maintenance (Britmet Guidelines)

With the correct care and planning, it is possible to achieve a complete care program for your home. A little time spent every 6 months or so on precautionary maintenance can save you the possibility of costly repairs later.

Blocked or leaking gutters can have a dramatic effect on the surface coating. Constantly dripping or overflowing water will result in staining and will also encourage the growth of mould and algae. As well as having a damaging effect on the coating, constantly dripping or overflowing water will ultimately result in the breakdown of the substrate itself, leading to very expensive replacements.

Mould and algae growth may be more dominant if there are several tall shrubs,

trees or plants sited close to the home.

If you have any mould or algae growth in your home, a strong solution of a mould and algae remover (shop brought) and water (about 50%) sprayed or brushed on and allowed to dry will almost always solve the problem.

The home should be washed down using a solution of water and liquid soap applied using a soft-headed sweeping brush and then hosed with an ordinary hosepipe.

For BritPaint's textured finishes to give optimum protection, it is important to check for any water penetration to the substrate. Pay particular attention to seals around door and window frames. If any faults are found they should be sealed with a high-quality exterior-grade filler, and overpainted with BritPaint Smooth Masonry Finish.

Although BritPaint's textured finishes will give many years of trouble-free service, there will be a time when you feel that your home needs "Brightening up a", change of colour or just reinforcing the weatherproofing.

Always choose BritPaint Smooth.

Masonry Finish which is formulated and manufactured to the same high standards and is compatible with BritPaint Textured finish. We recommend a fresh coat of masonry coat every 2-3 years. If you have any queries regarding the upkeep of the exterior surface of your home, please do not hesitate to contact BritPaint for professional advice.

Whilst every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the information contained in this document, it is the responsibility of the end-user to satisfy themselves that the product is suitable for their needs.

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