TECHNICAL GUIDANCE

Paint Type Summary Chart TGN 3 (RJ 8.01)



Products	Sizes	Approximate Coverage		Drying Time	Thinners/ Clean	Usage		VOC
	Litres	No. of Coats	m²/can/coat	Approx. hrs between coats	brushes in	External	Internal	Regulations 2012
Pure Limewash	5 & 15	3 - 4	25 & 75	24	Water	Not normally suitable	Lime plaster, porous building materials	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Casein Bound Limewash	5 & 15	3 - 4	30 & 90	24	Water	Lime renders, porous building materials	Lime plaster, porous building materials	Category A/c Exterior walls – mineral substrate <5g/l (2010 Limit 40g/l)
Tallow Bound Limewash	5 & 15	3 - 4	25 & 75	24	Water	Lime renders, porous building materials	Not normally used	Category A/c Exterior walls – mineral substrate <5g/l (2010 Limit 40g/l)
Claircolle	2.5 & 5	1	25 & 50	24	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Soft Distemper	2.5 & 5	2	25 & 50	12	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Casein Distemper	2.5 & 5	2	30 & 60	12	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Oil Bound Distemper	2.5 & 5	2	25 & 50	12	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Permeable Matt Emulsion	2.5 & 5	2	30 & 60	12	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Vinyl Matt Emulsion	2.5 & 5	2	30 & 60	12	Water	Not suitable	Ceilings & walls	Category A/a Interior walls & ceilings <5g/l (2010 Limit 30g/l)
Exterior Emulsion	2.5 & 5	2	Dependant on surface texture	12	Water	Cement render ex. masonry paint	Not suitable	Category A/c Exterior walls – mineral substrate <5g/l (2010 Limit 40g/l)
Water Based Eggshell	1 & 2.5	2	14 & 35	6	Water	Not suitable	Joinery & Woodwork	Category A/b Interior woodwork & trim <5g/l (2010 Limit 100g/l)
Oil Based Eggshell	1 & 2.5	2	14 & 35	24	Genuine Turpentine	Not suitable	Joinery & Woodwork	Category A/d Interior woodwork, metal & trim <299g/l (2010 Limit 300g/l)
Flat Oil	1 & 2.5	2	14 & 35	24	Genuine Turpentine	Not suitable	Low usage joinery panelling & shelving	Category A/d Interior woodwork, metal & trim <299g/l (2010 Limit 300g/l)