

ALKYD DA-TEX INTERIOR-EXTERIOR LOW-LUSTRE ENAMEL

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SURFACE PREPARATION:

GENERAL - Surface must be clean. Remove oil and grease with a detergent solution or paint thinner. Wash off dirt with warm soapy water and rinse with fresh water. Rust should be removed by wirebrushing or sanding. Refer to "**Surface Preparation Guide**" for more detailed instructions.

UNFINISHED SURFACES:

WOOD - Sand smooth and apply one coat of Primer Undercoat. After primer has dried overnight, putty nail holes and cracks, then spot-prime putty with primer. Again, allow the primer to dry overnight, sand lightly and topcoat.

MASONRY AND CONCRETE - If efflorescence or cement dust is present on masonry and concrete, it should be removed by etching with a 10% solution of muriatic (Hydrochloric acid) solution; wear protective goggles and rubber gloves. Flush off surface, after etching, with clean water and allow to dry.

On surfaces where muriatic acid cannot be used to neutralize the efflorescence, sand, scrape, and wire brush and coat with Masonry Conditioner before painting.

Prime with latex primer and allow to dry four hours before topcoating. Rough concrete and haydite blocks should be filled with Latex Block Filler. Allow to dry overnight before priming.

PLASTER AND WALLBOARD - Prime with latex primer and allow to dry four hours before topcoating.

IRON AND STEEL - Prime with metal primer and allow to dry overnight before topcoating.

GALVANIZED METAL - Prime with galvanized metal primer and allow to dry overnight before topcoating.

ALUMINUM - Sand surface lightly with fine sandpaper and prime with Metal Primer. Allow to dry overnight before topcoating.

PREVIOUSLY FINISHED SURFACES:

Remove all loose and flaking paint by scraping and sanding. All calcimine paints must be removed before painting by scraping and washing.

Walls and ceilings should be washed to remove dirt, dust, grease, oils, nicotine, waxes, etc.

Scuff sand slick, hard glossy surfaces with coarse sandpaper.

Liquid deglossers may be used to promote adhesion by softening and dulling the old slick, hard glossy paint and removing grease, wax, etc.

Spot prime bare areas with recommended primer and allow to dry before topcoating.

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Values based on **Alkyd Da-Tex Int-Ext Low-Lustre Enamel White, 5455**

Weight Gallon: 11.38

Weight Solids: 75.9%

Volume Solids: 58.3%

Coverage:

@ 1 Dry Mil: 934 sq. ft./gallon

@ Spread Rate: 400 sq. ft./gallon (4.0 mils wet)
Deposits a 2.3 mil dry film

VOC (g/l): Not to exceed 380

Viscosity: 85-90 K.U. @ 77° F.

Gloss @ 60: 30-40

Grind (Hegman): #6-6.5

DOT Class: Combustible, Flash Point 103°F

Federal Specification: TT-E-529 Performance Alternate

HMIS/NFPA: 1,2,0

Cure Time (Based on 70° F. & 50% R.H.):

To Touch: 3 Hours

To Recoat: Overnight

Recommended Thinner: None. Apply at package viscosity. Mineral spirits for clean-up

Temperature Resistance: Continuous 150° F., Intermittent 200° F.

CAUTION! Keep away from heat and open flame. Avoid prolonged contact with skin and breathing of vapor or spray mist. Do not take internally. Close container after each use. Use only with adequate ventilation. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. For specific safety requirements, refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet.

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