# **WEATHERPRIME™**

Colour-tinted acrylic primer for Weatherlastic<sup>™</sup> finishes

#### Description

Weatherprime is a water-based, color-tinted acrylic primer, which provides a flat, non-slip uniformly absorbent, color-coordinated surface for application of Dryvit exterior Weatherlastic finishes. Weatherprime is available in a variety of standard colors as well as custom colors

#### Uses

Weatherprime is recommended for the surface preparation of stucco, concrete and masonry to color coordinate the substrate with the selected Dryvit Weatherlastic finish.

## Coverage

Approximately 140 m<sup>2</sup> (1500 ft<sup>2</sup>) per 23 kg (50 lb) pail, depending upon surface roughness and porosity of the substrate.

#### **Properties**

**Drying Time** - The drying time of Weatherprime is dependent upon the air temperature and relative humidity. Under average drying conditions [21 °C (70 °F), 55% R.H.], Weatherprime is dry to the touch in 1/2 hour and sufficiently dry for application of a Weatherlastic finish in 2 hours. Protect from rain for at least 4 hours.

#### **Application Procedure**

Job Conditions - Air and surface temperature for application of Weatherprime must be 4 °C (40 °F) or higher and must remain so for a minimum of 24 hours.

**Temporary Protection** - Shall be provided at all times until all work is completed to protect the wall from weather and other damage.

**Surface Preparation** - Surfaces shall not be below 4 °C (40 °F) and must be clean, dry, structurally sound and free of efflorescence, grease, oil, form release agents and curing compounds. On painted surfaces, remove all blistered or peeling paint to a sound substrate. Remove all gloss by sanding.

**Mixing** - Stir to a smooth, homogeneous consistency.

**Application** - Weatherprime can be applied using a brush, paint roller or spray equipment.

**Clean Up** - Clean tools with water while Weatherprime is still wet.

## Storage

Weatherprime must be stored at 4 °C (40 °F) or above in tightly sealed containers out of direct sunlight.

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