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## **PRISTINA**

# **Description and Application**

#### **CATEGORY**

Wall Coating / Paint techniques / Wood paint

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Pristina Acrylic PVA is a quality emulsion paint suitable for interior and exterior use. Pristina has been formulated to the highest PVA specifications, is based on a pure acrylic and has a smooth matt finish.

## **FEATURES**

- Creates an efficient breathable finish for substrates such as off-shutter concrete, asbestos, cement, fresh plaster and ceilings.
- It is non-yellowing, odourless, non-toxic and environmentally friendly.
- It is an excellent base-coat for paint techniques and is best used with Art-FX Scumble Glaze and Glaze Coat.
- It has very good hiding power.
- It is available in white and all colours.
- Good exterior durability.

## **AREAS OF USE**

- Interior and Exterior walls
- Ceilings
- Paint techniques

## SURFACE PREPARATION AND APPLICATION

## **NEW PLASTER**

- 1. Remove all loose and friable materials.
- If plaster is poor and under bound, apply one coat of Paintcor's AcrySeal acrylic sealer, diluted 1:1 with water. Allow to dry. Apply 1 coat of Paintcor's Acrylunder (only necessary for smoother finishes). Allow to dry followed by 2 coats of Pristina allowing 1 hour @ 25 degrees C to dry between coats
- 3. If the plaster is of good quality, apply one coat of Paintcor's PlasterPrime. Allow sufficient time to dry.



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4. Apply two coats of Pristina. Allow 1 hour @ 25 degrees C to dry between coats.

## PREVIOUSLY PAINTED PLASTER

Check the adhesion strength of the existing paint using the cross-hatch method.

- 1. Using a Stanley knife to cut through the paint surface. Do this vertically and horizontally to the substrate, approximately 3mm apart, creating little squares.
- 2. If the edges of the squares curl up, and the square can easily be removed, this means the adhesion of the old paint system is failing.
- 3. Remove all old paint back to existing plaster.
- 4. If surface is powdery or chalking, wash surface to remove all powder. Allow sufficient time to dry.
- 5. Apply one coat of Paintcor's AcrySeal acrylic sealer diluted 1:1 with water to all exposed plaster and washed chalking surfaces. Allow sufficient time to dry.
- 6. Spot prime the sealed exposed plaster with one coat of Paintcor's Acrylunder to help prevent an uneven finish. Allow to dry
- 7. Finally apply two coats of Pristina. Allow sufficient time to dry in between coats.

## If adhesion is good:

- 1. Wash the walls down to remove all dirt, dust and chalk, allowing to dry. Should there still be slight chalk deposits on the wall then apply 1 coat of Paintcor's AcrySeal Acrylic Sealer diluted 1:1 with water to the entire surface to be painted. Allow to dry.
- 2. Apply two coats of Pristina. Allow sufficient time to dry in between coats.

## **APPLICATION EQUIPMENT**

Apply by Brush, Sheepskin/Synthetic Roller or Spray

## **CLEANING EQUIPMENT**

Clean all equipment with water immediately after use.

## **STORAGE**

Keep stored in cool, dry conditions and away from children



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