



Papillon Paints

# Geo Smart Primer

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Product No. 1004

Geo Smart Primer is an Exterior / Interior primer based on acrylic binder and does not chalk and has excellent performance properties. It gives a smooth surface for the subsequent topcoat emulsion paints.

## USES

Suitable for exterior and interior use as both primer and an undercoat on plaster, cement, building blocks, render, gypsum board and previously painted surfaces.

## PROPERTIES

### Appearance

Flat.

### Color

White.

### Pack Size

1 Litre, 4 Litres, 10 Litres & 20 Litres.

### Spreading Rate

90 – 100 Sq. ft./ltr./coat depending on surface texture, porosity and application method.

### Drying Time

Surface dry in 30 minutes. Re-coatable after 4 hours (in normal drying conditions).

### Shelf Life

2 Years when stored in dry and cool conditions.

## APPLICATION DATA

Stir well before use. Apply by brush, roller, air spray or airless spray. For details of spray equipment contact Papillon Paints Technical Services Department.

### Thinning

100 % by volume with sweet water.

### Cleaning

Clean all tools and equipment immediately after use with clean water.

### Caution

Do not use when humidity levels may cause surface condensation (maximum 85%), during rainy conditions or if temperatures are likely to fall below 5°C during application and drying. Protect from frost.

## SPECIFICATION

### Surface Preparation & Directions of use (Interior / Exterior)

- Sand the surface with Emery paper 180 to remove the loose, cracked or flaked paint, paint dust etc.
- Apply one coat of Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer to bare areas or overlapping onto existing decoration. Allow to dry for 4 - 6 hours.
- Surfaces of high porosity (very chalky and powdery) should be primed with two coats of Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer.
- Smoother the surface by filling small cracks, surface imperfections and dents with thin coat of Papillon Paints Brilliant Wallcare Putty. Allow to dry for 8 – 10 hours. Sand with Emery paper 180 and remove the dust by wipe clean.
- Apply one coat of Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer and allow to dry for 4 – 6 hours.
- Light sand with Emery paper 320 / 400 and remove the dust by wipe clean.
- Topcoat: For interior surfaces, apply Papillon paints, Elegant Supremo Interior Emulsion. For Exterior surfaces, apply Weather Pro-Shield Exterior Emulsion.

See notes [i, iii, iv].

### Preparation (Previously Decorated)

All surfaces should be sound, clean, dry and free from loose and flaking material, dirt, efflorescence, oil, grease, wax, polish etc. Where necessary spot prime with the relevant Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer, and where appropriate fill dents, small cracks and surface imperfections with Papillon Paints Brilliant Wallcare Putty. Large cracks may be filled with proprietary Acrylic Sealant.

See note [ii].

## NOTES

- Organic growth (fungus, mildew etc.) on the surfaces should be treated with a proprietary fungicidal treatment in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- Alkyd based and gloss painted surfaces should be thoroughly washed and rubbed down before painting. For further advice contact Papillon Paints Technical Services Department. .
- A third coat topcoat may be required if there is a marked color contrast between the surface and the paint to be applied.
- Surfaces of high porosity (very chalky and powdery) should be primed with two coats of Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer.
- Two coats will be required on internal surfaces if Papillon Paints Geo Smart Primer is to be used as primer and undercoat.

## SAFETY INFORMATION

Use only in well ventilated areas. In case of insufficient ventilation during spraying, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Do not breathe vapor / spray. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of sweet water and seek medical advice. Keep out of reach of children.