



Ca' Pietra

Proper Good Paint™

PROPER EGGSHELL

Description

Proper Eggshell is a tough and durable, low odour, water-based paint suitable for all interior walls, woodwork and metalwork (including radiators and pipes) and furniture.

Ideal for kitchens and bathrooms. Dries to a smooth, low sheen (15% Gloss level) finish.

Proper Eggshell is EN71-3 Certified – also known as “toy paint regulation safe”. This means it is completely safe for children’s rooms.

Sizes

Available in 2.5 Litre tins.

Coverage

1 litre will cover approx 13m² – depending on the properties of the surface, the colour being used and method of application.

Colour

Available in a range of colours – see colour chart for reference.

Thinner

In most cases the product does not require thinning prior to use, however, if painting new plaster seal first with a 15%–25% (v/v) addition of clean water. Always decant to a separate container prior to adding water.

Drying Times

Depending on room temperature and relative humidity, the product will normally be touch dry after 30-60 minutes. The surface can be recoated after 2-4 hours.

Uses

For use on interior walls and ceilings, woodwork and metalwork (including radiators and pipes) and furniture. Ideal for bathrooms and kitchens or areas of high moisture.

Technical Properties

The product is easy to apply, including overhead, as it is virtually non-drip. It has excellent adhesion properties, dries quickly and is exceptionally low VOC.

Biological Properties

Proper Eggshell is a non-toxic, non-hazardous, eco-friendly product made from locally sourced materials in an ecologically responsible way.

Thanks to its composition it is virtually innocuous for people and the environment. Ca' Pietra paints fall into the industry’s lowest possible eco-rating, so you don’t need to worry about respiratory issues or smell as the products are virtually odourless.

Application

TEMPERATURE

Apply the product in temperatures above 8°C. The drying times mentioned above, to a certain degree, depend on the room temperature and relative humidity.

PREPARATION

EXISTING PAINT FINISH:

Remove all loose and flaking paint work. Degrease with a suitable detergent solution, such as sugar soap, followed by clean water rinse.

Rub down thoroughly with a medium grade sand paper to provide a key and a defect free smooth surface, “feathering in” areas where paint has been removed. Make good any repairs, sand and apply primer to exposed surface as appropriate. High sheen paint surfaces should be thoroughly sanded to provide a key, or use an all surface primer, prior to painting.

EXISTING PLASTER WALLS:

Lightly wash any existing paint work to remove any dust or surface laitance. Apply a primer coat by thinning with a 5% to 15% (v/v) addition of clean water, depending upon the porosity of the substrate.

Finish by applying at least one full coat, as required.

NEW PLASTER WALLS:

For plaster skim, allow at least four weeks for the plaster to thoroughly dry. Apply a primer coat by thinning the paint with a 15% to 25% (v/v) addition of clean water, depending upon the porosity of the substrate.

Cut in by brushing at the same dilution recommendation as for priming, to promote flow and sealing of the substrate. Finish by applying two full coats. For new, fully plastered walls, allow at least six months for the plaster to thoroughly dry before painting.

APPLICATION

Stir well before use. Apply using a good quality brush or roller. New brushes should be conditioned by washing in clean water and thoroughly drying with a clean, lint free, cloth.

Avoid immersing brush too far into the paint to prevent paint from entering the ferrule. Avoid drips and splashes by not overloading the brush. Apply paint in even strokes and only extend painting area such that a wet edge can be easily maintained. For the highest quality appearance, keep final brush strokes all in the same direction and never go over paint that has already begun to dry.

Tools

Brush, roller or a suitable spraying device. Use soapy water for cleaning the tools.

Storage

Store containers tightly sealed in a cool but frost-free place. Shelf life: 24 months in original sealed container.

Health & Safety

Keep coating materials, even if non-poisonous, out of the reach of children.

Always read the information on the tin before use. Ensure maximum ventilation during application and drying. Consult product material safety data sheet for further details.

VOC Directive

EU limit value for this product: 2004/42 IIA WB (A) 30 This product contains max. 30g/l VOC tinted.

Local Manufacturing

All our paints are manufactured in our facility in the UK. We actively source suppliers who produce in an ecologically sustainable and environmentally responsible manner. We source raw materials from local suppliers wherever possible. We are committed to sustainable manufacturing, minimising pollution and minimising our energy and water consumption.

Certification

BS EN71-3:2013 Safe for use on children’s toys, furniture and rooms.

Manufactured under the auspices of ISO 9001:2008 quality

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