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**TECHNICAL SHEET 24** 

**CODE 137.** 

### idrosmalto lucido

Water-dilutable mould resistant enamel for walls

## GENERAL PROPERTIES

IDROSMALTO is a water-dilutable enamel devised for mural surfaces in densely populated areas. It features a remarkable resistance to atmospheric agents, therefore, it is particularly suitable for exteriors. IDROSMALTO - VOC free - has a low environmental impact, is non-flammable & particularly suitable for poorly aired premises. IDROSMALTO is ideal for food industries which comply with the Regulation (EC) 852/2004 (HACCP protocol) as the resistance against mould guarantees the best hygiene possible even in areas where cleaning & disinfecting in difficult.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **Substrate preparation:**

Optimum for environments where hygiene is of utmost importance.

Surfaces must be smooth. Rough or orange peel like surfaces must be treated with IDROSTUCCO 1.057.1010 (rapid filler).

- Bare interior walls: ensure the substrate has weathered for at least 28 days. Clean thoroughly, removing dust, filth & any unsound parts. Level any imperfections with LITOSTUCCO 1.050.1010, adding as many times as necessary. Allow 6 hours, sand the stuccoed areas and clean thoroughly. The choice of sealer depends on the condition of the substrate; ISOLEX W (sealing primer) is fine in most cases. Use BIANCOFIX on extremely absorbent surfaces such as plasterboard. Ensure the surface is dry and apply two hands of IDROSMALTO.
- Interior walls with distemper paintwork: clean thoroughly, removing dust and filth. Stucco any imperfections with LITOSTUCCO & proceed as indicated above. After sanding, seal the whole surface with a coat of ISOLEX W. Allow 12 hours & apply IDROSMALTO.
- Interior walls with washable emulsion paintwork: clean thoroughly.
   Stucco any imperfections, sand and seal repair areas with a coat of BIANCOFIX. Allow 4 hours & apply IDROSMALTO.
- Interior walls with old varnish: roughen the surface accurately with steel wool; clean thoroughly removing dust & filth.
- Exterior walls: brush accurately removing dust, filth & any unsound plaster. Stucco any imperfections with ARDPLAN AS or ARDPLAN BS. Ensure the surface is perfectly dry & apply a hand of ISOLEX W. Allow 12 hrs and apply 2 hands of IDROSMALTO.

#### **Application:**

Apply IDROSMALTO as follows:

- Roller: thin at 5-10% in water volume & apply uniformly using a short hair roller. Apply neat or thinned at 3% (using an appropriate roller) on "orange peel surfaces". Allow 3 hrs before applying the second hand.
- Brush: stir well, thin at 5-15% in water volume and apply by crossbrushing.
- IDROSMALTO is easy to tint with the 16COLOURS colouring pastes.
   Pretreat surfaces to be painted with colours offering a poor hiding-power or contrasted primers, with a hand of coloured IDROSMALTO OPACO.
- Do not apply at ambient or substrate temperature below + 5°C or above + 35°C. Allow at least 6 hours between coats. The substrate usually dries after approx. 48 hours at 20°C.
- Wash equipment immediately after use with water.
- Store the product in cool premises, above + 5°C.
- Use in compliance with current Health & Safety Regulations. Dispose of spent material/containers according to local regulations.

Refer to the PSDS for further information.

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TECHNICAL PROPERTIES	SPECIFIC WEIGHT		1230 ± 50 g/l
	VISCOSITY AT 20°C		8,000 ± 2,000 cP
	NATURE OF BINDER		Acrylic polymers
	GLOSS	60° ANGLE	>60
	DRYING AT 20 °C	TOUCH DRY	3 hrs
		THROUGH DRYING	24 hrs
	DM 26/6/84 FIRE RESISTANCE RATING		Class 0

#### **YIELD**

The two-coat painting cycle implies a yield of 8 m²/l. Said yield refers to smooth substrates with medium absorption; we suggest testing on the specific substrate.

## TENDER SPECIFICATION ITEM

WATER-DILUTABLE MOULD RESISTANT GLOSSY ENAMEL

Application on treated mural surfaces of two coats of water-dilutable odourless mould resistant glossy enamel based on acrylic polymers in aqueous dispersion type IDROSMALTO LUCIDO with a minimum consumption of 0.125  $l/m^2$ .

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The data herein were correct at the time of Quality Control and refer to standardized environmental conditions. The same are to be considered as a guide.



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