



covered in paint

mediterranean wash
interior

Intro

Mediterranean Wash is a water-based coating system, which provides rich luminous colour in a soft matt finish. Reinforced with pure acrylic resins, it's durable and wipeable surface makes it suitable for high traffic areas without the need of a clear sealer coat. Using a two-step process, **Mediterranean Wash** is applied over a coloured *Covered in Paint Low Sheen* or **Satin Acrylic** base coat. A range of different colour textures may be achieved by using muslin, sea sponge or a brush.

Preparation

Follow the required surface preparation in accordance with standard paint preparation practices. Apply 2 coats of *Covered in Paint Low Sheen* or **Satin Acrylic** base colour. **Mediterranean Wash** is then applied over the **Low Sheen** or **Satin Acrylic**. For a ragged finish, it is a two-person operation while one person may achieve sponge and brush-on techniques.

Application

Mediterranean Wash is applied with a broad brush in multi-directional strokes. One person does this while a second person follows behind the leading edge of the wash working the muslin cloth, with firm dabs. Clean up with water.

Brushing:

A multi-directional random brushstroke is used to apply the **Mediterranean Wash**. Cover every section of the wall surface with the wash, building highs and lows, thick and thin sections in the wash. This should happen naturally through the random, multi-directional brush strokes. It is important to cut in as you go and feather the cut-in-mark into the main body of brushwork. Care should be taken to maintain a wet edge at all times. When working to an inside edge/corner, use a soft brush to feather out the wash.

Ragging:

Before commencing, dampen the muslin with water and then ring out any excess. A large section of muslin is brought to a clump establishing as many folds and creases in the face of the cloth. This generates a more textured finish in the finish. Once the face of the muslin cloth is saturated with the wash, turn over the clump to start with a fresh section. The muslin is dabbed firmly and not dragged across the surface. Do not go over completed work when dry. Clean lines above the skirting board can be achieved by running a spatula covered in muslin or cloth across this edge, to collect any wash that may have pooled after the completed job. Return to the job 15 minutes after completion, to remove any runs of wash that may have occurred from pools around light switches or fittings. It is important to note, in order to achieve a uniform finish, and do not change assigned roles. Both persons should work fluidly across the surface, at an even and steady pace. All work should be completed at a natural edge such as a corner.

Colours

Mediterranean Wash is available in a broad range of colours.

Packaging

Mediterranean Wash is available in 500ml sample pots, 1 litre and 4litre quantities.

Contact

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