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PRODUCT INFORMATION

GRAFFITI COAT

Description

A two pack waterbased clear coat that can be applied to painted and unpainted surfaces to allow easy removal of graffiti. The clear coat forms a very hard, glossy, UV protectant finish that allows solvent removal of the graffiti using Vipond's Graffiti Cleaner.

Most graffiti can be removed, although there are some felt tip pens that will stain the surface and may leave ghosting.

The coating will have full graffiti proof properties within 12 hours of application.

Use

If a mural or painted surface has been completed using acrylic gloss, low sheen acrylic or aerosols it is recommended to apply a coat of Graffiti Primer first. This will ensure the graffiti coat will have good adhesion.

If repainting or painting a new surface which requires graffiti coat it is recommended to use Vipond's Ecoshield which eliminates the need to use the Graffiti Primer.

Surface Preparation

Ensure the painted surface is clean from dirt and oily residue. Allow at least 24 hours for the painted surface to dry, then wipe over with a damp cloth followed with a dry cloth.

On new brickwork or concrete seal with Vipond's Concrete and Masonary Sealer.

Mixing

To one litre of Graffiti Coat add 12.5 mls of crosslinker. Add the crosslinker while gently stirring the Graffiti Coat. Leave for 15 minutes then gently stir again before using. Only stir gently to minimize aeration of the paint.

The crosslinked Graffiti Coat will lose its reactivity after 16 hours but can be reactivated with the addition of more crosslinker

Application

Can be applied with a brush, roller, pad applicator or spray. Water based clears are very prone to foam during application and they dry quickly preventing bubbles from dissipating.

When rolling use a 4mm nap micro fibre roller that is dry (water in the roller may cause foaming). Load the roller to ensure the liquid is absorbed completely into the roller fibres. Apply with medium pressure and move the roller **slowly** over the surface. Spread evenly and lay off with light pressure.

When spraying thin with water to achieve suitable spraying viscosity.
Apply two coats at a spread rate of 12 - 14 square metres per litre per coat

Drying

Under normal drying conditions (above 14°C and low humidity) it will be touch dry within 30 minutes and can be recoated after 2 hours. Do not apply if the temperature is below 10°C.

Clean up and Thinning

Use clean water to thin. Use Viponds Prep Vinyl or methylated sprits to help clean up.

Graffiti Removal

Use Viponds Graffiti Cleaner to remove graffiti. After removing graffiti several times the clear coat may be damaged and it is recommended to apply another coat of Graffiti Coat. On rough textured surfaces cleaning off graffiti may be difficult

Coverage

14 square metres per litre per coat.

Pack Size

1 litre plus 12.5 ml crosslinker
4 litre plus 50 ml crosslinker
10 litres plus 125 ml crosslinker

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