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TUTTI

MILK-BASED, 100% Natural Paint & Decorative Coating

POWDER

FOR INTERIOR USE | WALLS & FURNITURE

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Technical information

- A milk-based paint that comes in white powder form. Yields a smooth, matte powdery finish.
- This ecological product is **100% NATURAL & 100% VOC FREE**. This biodegradable product is a natural alternative for individuals prone to allergies from harsh chemicals and is great for use around children & pets.
- Tutti may be used as both paint and primer. Apply 2 to 3 coats for optimal results. However, if you are satisfied with the result after one coat, stop there!
- Milk paint may also be used to achieve various finishes such as a whitewash, distressed or chippy look.
- Apply with a brush (see [Color Rare Natural Bristle Brush](#)). Clean brushes and tools with soap and water.
- VOC: 0.00 gms/liter | PH: approx. 9. | Specific weight: 1.400 kg/liter

Application

Surfaces: Apply on a sound (no flaking or peeling), dry surface, free from dirt or dust. Tutti is self-priming on most surfaces and may be applied directly on drywall, untreated wood, plaster, clay, lime-based and other natural paints and coatings. For previously painted surface (ie synthetic paints): [Color-Rare Acrylic Resin](#) must be added to the first coat. (Typically recommended to add 3% of the resin to the volume of your mixture.) A protective top protective coat such as a varnish, oil or wax may be applied for high traffic areas, wet areas or to render the walls washable. (Follow manufacturer's recommendation) Tutti may also be applied on wood furniture (use 3% resin if furniture is previously painted). A varnish, oil or wax **MUST BE APPLIED** as a top coat to ensure protection.

Appropriate temperatures for application, between 7°C and 27°C (45°F and 80°F).

Preparing your Tutti Paint: SIMPLY ADD WATER! Mix a ratio of 1 part Tutti powder with approximately 1 part of water. Adapt the dilution according to the porosity of the surface, adding extra water as needed, then allow the paint to swell for a few hours (1or 2 hours) before applying.

This renders the paint more fluid and easy to apply. Properly mix the product with a hand or electric whisk before application. Apply the paint with a brush. Refer to "Helpful Tips" section www.colorrare.ca for Application Best Practice.

1 kg Tutti + 1 litre water = yields approx. 2 litres /2 quarts of paint

5 kg Tutti + 5 litre water = yields approx. 10 litres /2.5 gallons of paint

Color your Tutti Paint: Once the paint has swelled for a few hours, mix 1 part warm water with 1 part pigment, mix well and stir into your mixture. It is imperative to follow the [Coloration Guide](#) www.colorrare.ca to tint your product. Use our recipes or create your unique colour by mixing various pigments.

Between 5 and 8 hours depending on the room's temperature and humidity level.

The desired tone or coverage is obtained when the paint is completely dried. The slight odor due to the natural ingredients disappears once drying is complete.

Powdered milk and eggs, borates, calcium carbonates, titanium dioxide, plaster, methylcellulose, potassium sorbate, vegetal/plant extracts.

Tutti as Paint: Approximately 15 sq meters | 150 Sq. Ft per 1 kg of Tutti
Approximately 75 sq meters | 750 Sq. Ft per 5 kg of Tutti

Keeps for 12 months in a dry environment protected from frost and excessive heat between 5°C and 30°C (40°F and 85°F). **The diluted product does not keep for more than one or two weeks.**

TUTTI HOW TO VIDEO

<https://colorare.ca/collections/natural-paints-coatings/products/tutti>

Drying Times

Ingredients

Coverage

Storage

TIPS | SUGGESTIONS

- Properly evaluate the application time required per room/wall. A wall that is started must be fully completed per coat with the same prepared batch. For consistency, the same person should apply to all walls in a room.
- Tutti is best for low-traffic rooms and is not recommended for wet areas such as showers or kitchen backsplashes.

THE TUTTI ADVANTAGE

- Tutti is an economical product. It is best to mix only the amount necessary at the time of painting. Conserve the remaining product in powder form in original packaging.
- Easy to apply and can be tinted with pigments.

WARNING

- KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
- Do not swallow.
- In case of eye contact, flush immediately with plenty of water.
- Protect from freezing
- Use only with adequate ventilation (to ensure uniform drying)
- This product is non-washable (but is wipeable with a moist sponge)

TUTTI as a DECORATIVE COATING

- Tutti may also be used as a **stucco/plaster** to give texture to your walls

Preparing Tutti as Coating: Mix a ratio of 1 part Tutti powder with ½ part water to obtain a thick paste. The mixture must be lump-free, adding water when necessary. Let the mixture swell for a few hours. Colour mixture with pigments if desired. Apply the paste with a flexible trowel, known as the Burnishing Technique (lightly pressing the trowel at a 30° angle while the coat is drying.)

1 kg Tutti + 0.5 litre water = yields approx. 1 litres /1 quart of paint

5 kg Tutti + 2.5 litre water = yields approx. 5 litres /1.25 gallons of paint

Coverage using Tutti as coating: Approximately 5 sq meters | 50 Sq. Ft per 1 kg of Tutti