

WEDGEWOOD OPULENT UNIVERSAL UNDERCOAT WD 015

PRODUCT CODE: White (Wedgewood Metal container): opuucw (01) (05)
White (White metal container): opuucw (20)

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: *Opulent Universal Undercoat* is a general purpose alkyd undercoat. It is lead free.

INTENDED USES: Suitable for use as a *sandwich* coat to provide intercoat adhesion between a primer and topcoat.
Also suitable as an intermediate coat between existing solvent based coating and a water based topcoat.

FEATURES: Excellent adhesion. Overcoat with the *Opulent* range of water based products or *Opulent Gloss Enamel/Eggshell Enamel*.

PRODUCT INFORMATION:

- APPEARANCE Matt finish.
- SOLIDS% 58% by mass (Typical)
38% by volume (Typical)
- S G @ 25°C 1.33 (Typical)
- RECOMMENDED DFT/PER COAT MIN : 25µm MAX: 35µm
- PRACTICAL SPREADING RATE 10 - 12 m². (dependant on substrate and application thickness (DFT)
- VISCOSITY @ 25°C (WHITE) 70-75 KU (Typical)

APPLICATION DETAILS:

- MIXING Stir thoroughly with a flat paddle until homogeneous
- METHOD Brush, roller or spray
- THINNING Not recommended. *Dura Turps* if required for spraying.
- CLEANING *Dura Lacquer Thinners* or *Dura Turps*
- SUBSTRATE Correctly prepared cement plaster, concrete, fibre-cement, ceiling boards, gypsum plaster and steel.
- APPLICATION ENVIRONMENT

Surface Temp	Ambient Temp	Relative Humidity
Min 10°C or 2°C above dew point	Min 10°C or 2°C above dew point	Min: 10%
Max : 40°C	Max : 40°C	Max : 85%

- DRYING TIME Touch dry 4 hours @ 25°C
Dry to handle 18 hours @ 25°C
Overcoating 18 hours @ 25°

STORAGE AND PACKAGING:

- Flammable. Store away from direct sun, heat and severe cold. Do not exceed 50°C.
- Keep containers tightly closed.
- Packaging 1lt, 5lt & 20lt
- Shelf life. 12 months from date of manufacture when correctly stored and unopened.

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TRANSPORTATION:

SHIPPING NAME:	Paint
PACKAGING GROUP:	111
HAZARD CLASS:	3
S.I.N/UN NUMBER:	1263

SURFACE PREPARATION:

Ensure all surfaces are dry, less than 12% moisture content, and free from rust, dirt, dust, chalking, oil, grease and any other contamination before painting.

Unpainted Substrate:

Cement plaster, concrete, ceiling boards, fibre cement, gypsum board.

- Prime with one coat **Wedgewood Opulent Bonding Liquid**, apply generously.
- Apply one coat **Wedgewood Opulent Universal Undercoat**.
- Apply two or three coats, (depending on colour) from the **Wedgewood Opulent** range of water based topcoats or **Wedgewood Opulent Gloss/Eggshell Enamel**.

Mild Steel.

- Degrease with **ProLong Grease Devil** and rinse thoroughly with water. Allow to dry.
- Prime with one coat of **Dura Zinc Phosphate Primer**.
- Apply one coat **Opulent Universal Undercoat**.
- Apply two or three coats of **Wedgewood Opulent Super Gloss or Opulent Eggshell Enamel**.
- **CAUTION: DO NOT OVERCOAT WITH QD ENAMELS AS PEELING MAY RESULT.**

Previously painted substrate

- Remove all loose and flaking paint by scrapping, sanding or hydro blasting - allow to dry. Clean with **ProLong ProSoap or ProLong ProSoap Liquid** to remove all contaminants. Rinse off **ProLong ProSoap/ProSoap Liquid** with water.
- Apply one coat **Wedgewood Universal Undercoat**.
- Apply two or three coats of **Wedgewood Opulent Super Gloss or Opulent Eggshell Enamel**.
- **CAUTION: DO NOT OVERCOAT WITH QD ENAMELS AS PEELING MAY RESULT.**
- If the surface is chalky and cannot be thoroughly cleaned, apply one coat of **Opulent Bonding Liquid**, allow to dry overnight, then apply two or three coats from the **Wedgewood Opulent** range, depending on colour.
- Fill defects with ProLong **Crackfill** or **ProLong Profill**, as part of the preparation. Fill defects in wood with **ProLong Timberfill**
- Mould/Algae. Remove by scrubbing with a solution of 4:1 Water/Bleach or Water/Chlorine. Saturate affected areas and allow to stand for a minimum of 4 hours. Rinse off thoroughly with clean water and allow to dry before painting.

APPLICATION:

Apply one coat to prepared surfaces so as to achieve complete obliteration. Allow to dry fully then lightly sand to improve topcoat adhesion.

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CAUTIONS:

- Overcoat within 4 days to prevent intercoat adhesion problems.
- Avoid painting during inclement weather or if temperature is below 10°C.
- For optimum performance a practical recommended spreading rate of 8m² / l should not be exceeded.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:

- Keep out of reach of children.
- Flammable.
- Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.
- In case of skin contact, wash with soap and water or a recognized skin cleaner. Avoid contact with eyes. In case of eye contact, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice if symptoms persist. If ingested give plenty of water / milk. Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.
- Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for complete information. See www.durapaints.co.za.

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