

Evertext is a high build coating suitable for all types of properties and a wide range of substrates

PURPOSE

Evertext is a decorative and weather resistant finish designed to cover minor defects, protect the structure of the property and provide insulation whilst maintaining a textured or smooth appearance for many years. **Evertext** contains a fungicide to deter algal and fungal growth, which are the main long-term causes of disfigurement for exterior walls.

METHOD OF APPLICATION

PRE TREATMENT AND PREPARATION

Damp Walls

It is important that very damp or wet walls are not coated. Experienced applicators can assess this situation to verify suitability however if in doubt please contact **Everlac** for further advice.

Building faults that allow moisture to enter the walls, e.g. broken rainwater goods (guttering etc), coping stones etc, should be repaired before coating.

Algae or Fungi

Should be killed by power washing the building before coating and the use of **Eversan** sanitising wash

Loose surfaces

Loose render should be renewed, however soundly adhering render with a friable surface may be pre-treated with **Everlac** Stabilising Solution. (See Data Sheet Number 19)

Cracks

Hairline cracks can be successfully covered but substantial cracks should be filled with a proprietary Silicone Rubber sealant.

Bitumen Surfaces

Bitumen surfaces (including Bitumastic paints) should be sealed with **Everblock** Stain Blocking Primer (see Data Sheet Number 2) or **Everbind** Binder Barrier (see Data Sheet Number 8), if high volatility is suspected.

APPLICATION

Evertext Primer (see Data Sheet No 22) should be applied as the first coat.

Evertext should be applied in two coats by high-pressure spray (Airless). If required **Evertext** may be thinned with White Spirit (BS 248)

Evertext is impervious to moisture but allows the passage of water vapour to permit walls to breathe. Water vapour permeability is within the range 4.5 to 5.0g/m² per day when tested to BS 3177:1959

Reduction in water absorption of the substrate is 93.5% when coated with **Evertext**

SPECIAL PROPERTIES

- Waterproof & Microporous
- Resists the penetration of Sulphur and Carbon Dioxide
- Mould Resistant
- Alkali Resistant
- Comprehensive range of textures and colours
- Excellent colour stability
- Taywood Tested
- Will not chip or flake

TECHNICAL DATA

COVERAGE – Coverage will be determined by the thickness applied, the nature of the substrate, temperature and application method but typically will be in the order of 0.9-1.25m² / litre.

DRYING AND CURING – **Evertext** can be applied at any temperature above 3°C. Below this temperature curing slows and spraying difficulties increase.

Care should be taken to avoid spraying wet surfaces. In cold weather walls MUST be free from retained frost.

Evertext is touch dry in 12 –24 hours and is designed to harden slowly over a period of up to 4 weeks. This is an integral part of the long term toughness and flexibility of the material. **Evertext** darkens slightly during curing and the true colour will therefore take some weeks to emerge.

APPEARANCE – Available in a range of textures; standard, fine and smooth. All in a comprehensive range of colours.

STORAGE - Always store above 5°C.

SHELF LIFE - 12 months in original sealed containers in dry conditions.

CLEANING EQUIPMENT - All tools and equipment should be cleaned immediately after use with white spirit. Wipe up spots or splatters before they dry.

PACKAGING - 25 litre metal buckets

FLASHPOINT – 38°C

HEALTH & SAFETY – **Evertext** is hazardous and flammable. Strict safety regulations should be adhered to. Goggles and gloves to be worn at all times. Use air fed mask when spraying.

A Material Safety Data Sheet is available on request.