

ARDEX MULTIPRIME

Water-Based Primer

Improves adhesion to various substrates

For internal and external, walls and floors

Water-based - no solvent hazard Quick drying - apply subsequent products sooner

Low VOC content - meets Green Building Council of Australia Green Star IEQ-13 requirements

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DESCRIPTION

ARDEX Multiprime is a water-based primer used for improving the adhesion of ARDEX products to various porous substrates. It is easy to apply with a sponge, brush or roller with applications of subsequent products able to take place with minimal downtime.

ARDEX Multiprime is suitable for both internal and external, wall or floor applications

FOR USE WITH

ARDEX Multiprime is compatible with subsequent applications of ARDEX tile adhesives, floor levelling compounds and undertile waterproofing membranes.

TO (SUBSTRATES)

Medium density fibre-cement sheet, compressed fibre-cement sheet

Jointing compound over plasterboard

Concrete, renders, screeds Masonry and lightweight concrete blocks

Autoclaved aerated concrete (AAC)

Contact ARDEX if other substrates are encountered.

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

The surface to be primed must be clean, firm and free of dust, dirt, oil, grease, curing compounds, release agents and other barrier materials.

Ensure surfaces are dry prior to application, with no residue or permanent damp.

Surfaces must be suitable for the application of the subsequent product being used.

APPLICATION

Shake contents and ARDEX Multiprime is ready for use. Sponge, brush or roll ARDEX Multiprime liberally over the entire surface to be sealed.

For very porous surfaces a second coat of ARDEX Multiprime is required, such as autoclaved aerated concrete.

All tools should be cleaned with water immediately after use.

DRYING TIME

Ensure the ARDEX Multiprime is fully dry prior to the application of subsequent products, allow approximately 15-30 minutes at 23°C and 50% relative humidity.

Type of substrate being primed, porosity and climatic conditions will affect drying times, allow longer for lower temperatures or high relative humidity.

COVERAGE

One litre of ARDEX Multiprime is sufficient for approximately 6m², therefore the approximate coverage on each of the following units is:

20L - 120m²

4L - 24m²

Coverage will vary depending on the porosity of the surface and method of application.

PACKAGING

ARDEX Multiprime is packed in plastic pails - net volume 4L and 20L.

SHELF LIFE

ARDEX Multiprime has a shelf life of not less than 12 months when stored in the original unopened packaging, in a dry place at 23°C and 50% relative humidity.

Store away from direct sunlight. Replace lid tightly after use.

Pay attention to the following:

ARDEX Multiprime is not suitable for use on glazed, impervious or silicone treated surfaces.

Metal surfaces must be primed with an appropriate metal primer.

Do not empty excess primer back into the original packaging as this may cause contamination of the contents.

Before any substrate preparation, installation or finishing methods relating to ARDEX product are undertaken, please be aware of any potential risks and use appropriate PPE (personal protective equipment). This may involve contacting substrate manufacturers for Safety Data Sheets.

SAFETY DATA

In case of contact with the eyes rinse with running water until advised to stop by the Poisons Information Centre or a doctor, or for at least 15 minutes. Wear protective gloves, clothing, face and eye protection. Avoid inhaling dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Ensure adequate ventilation during mixing and application. Check with your local Council regarding the disposal of contents. Keep out of the reach of children. Call the Poisons Information Centre on 131 126 (AUS) and 0800 764 766 (NZ) or call a doctor if you feel unwell. Additional information is in the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) at www.ardexaustralia.com. At times updates can occur to data. To ensure you have the most current technical and safety information please consult the latest data sheets found on the product page at www.ardexaustralia.com

TECHNICAL DATA

Colour: White

Mixing Ratio: No mixing

Coverage: Approx 6m²/litre

Drying Time: Approx 15-30 minutes

(at 23°C and 50% relative humidity)

pH: 8-9

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