



Aquatint Pool Paint for Swimming Pools

DESCRIPTION	A high performance durable emulsion paint with water resistant properties. It is non-hazardous and resists the growth of mould and algae.
PRODUCT FEATURES AND RECOMMENDED USES	An easy to apply quick drying emulsion for plaster walls and ceilings, rendered and concrete surfaces of swimming pools below the water line. Aquatint is not suitable for liner pools, ceramic glazed tiles, mosaic, rubber, butyl rubber, asphalt bituminous or metal surfaces.
Gloss Levels	Satin/Eggshell
Pack Sizes	5L
Colours	White, BS, RAL, NCS and most commercial colour ranges
TECHNICAL DATA	
Solids Content	35%
Coverage rates	10 -12m ² per litre
Storage	Protect from frost, store in a clean dry environment
Application Details	Brush or roller, On new plastered surfaces the first coat can be diluted 10% - 15% with clean water.
Drying times @ 20°C	Touch Dry - 2-4 hours Recoat after the first coat is dry. Please note that in humid areas, drying times may be extended until the air becomes drier.
Cleaning of equipment	Clean equipment with water after use.
Application specification	Surfaces to be coated must be clean, dry and free from any material that might affect adhesion, remove loose flaking or friable material. Remove any signs of mould growth with mould removal solution in accordance with application instructions. Keep the work damp (not wet) as work proceeds. Dilute the first coat with 500ml clean water per 5 Litres Aquatint.
New sand / cement rendered pools	Wash down with water then acid wash to dissolve uncured cement and etch smooth rendering. Use 10% hydrochloric acid solution (To dilute, add acid to water NOT water to acid). The rendering should have a granular texture like fine sandpaper. Finally rinse with copious quantities of water. Wear safety goggle and protective clothing when using acid
Old Pools	Use sugar soap or similar to remove oily material, acid to remove lime encrustation and a mould removal solution bleach (never use mould removal solution if acid is present) to remove algae and mould growth. Rinse with copious quantities of clean water

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**Previously unpainted
surfaces**

Treat as for new pools after removing all weak and friable material

Previously painted surfaces

Abrade glossy and smooth surfaces to provide a key. For GRP (glass reinforced plastic) lightly sand in straight lines. Do not use power tools.

Friable and weak old render

Remove back to a firm base and replace where necessary. Marble chip renderings are particularly liable to be weak and powdery throughout. If a high proportion of marble chip is exposed, the surface should be lightly sanded to score the glossy surface.

Cracked surfaces

Paint will fill hairline cracks. Cut back wider cracks and fill. Abrade smooth cured filler and if seeping water seek advice.

Stained surfaces

Certain stains will bleed through new coatings. Test on a small area before proceeding.

Dry test

Rub the painted surface with a rough damp cloth. Any trace of paint removed indicates that drying is not complete and the coating will fail. Test several areas of the pool. When thoroughly dry leave 48 hours before filling.

Health and Safety

For professional use only, please read pack labels and for more information please contact us for Material Safety Data Sheets

Information provided in this data sheet is given in good faith but without warranty. It is understood that the user of this product in conjunction with any pre-treatment and priming materials satisfy themselves as to the suitability of this product for the application. If in doubt please do not hesitate to contact us.



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