



TIKKURILA
TAIKA STARDUST
GLIMMERING EFFECT GLAZE

DESCRIPTION Translucent, full-matte, acrylic-based effect glaze.

RECOMMENDED USES Walls in residential, office and commercial spaces and similar dry spaces.

PRODUCT FEATURES To be used for patterning the walls painted with interior paints. Because Taika Stardust is translucent, the color of the primer (e.g. Harmony) will have a critical effect on the final look. Good spotlights, sidelight or natural light emphasize the effect.



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TECHNICAL DATA

Colour Shades	Silver and Gold glaze.
Gloss	Full matt.
Coverage	6-10 m ² /l.
Can sizes	0.333 l, 1 l, 3 l
Application method	Spread with roller or brush.
Drying time (23°C and 50% relative air humidity)	Recoatable after approximately 24 hours if needed. The surface is completely dry and ready to be taken into use in approximately 2 days.
Density (kg/l)	approx. 1.0 kg/l, ISO 2811.
Wash resistance	Withstands wiping with a damp cloth.
Wet scrub resistance	Class I, ISO 11998.
Heat resistance	85 °C, ISO 4211-3.
Volume solids (%)	12
Storage	Protect from frost. Protect from frost



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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Application conditions

The surface to be painted must be dry; the temperature must be at least +10°C, and the relative air humidity 30-70%.

Surface preparation

Unpainted surfaces:

Clean the new surfaces by removing any dirt and dust. Fill the surfaces with a suitable Presto or Prestonit filler, if needed, and sand the dried surface. Remove the sanding dust. Prime with Varma primer. Finish with interior paint of the desired color, e.g. Harmony, 1-2 times.

Previously painted surfaces:

Wash previously painted surfaces with Maalipesu detergent and rinse carefully with water. Sand the hard and glossy painted surfaces non-glossy. Remove the sanding dust. Fill cracks and holes with Presto filler and sand the dried surface.

Remove the sanding dust. Finish with interior paint, e.g. Harmony, to the desired color.

Application

Stir Taika Stardust thoroughly before use. Spread the product criss-cross with roller or brush. Ensure that the product is spread evenly to the whole area. No need for separate edging; you can paint the edges as you progress. The milky look characteristic of wet paint will disappear when the surface dries. Try Stardust out first on a thick piece of cardboard or some other base. Taika Stardust can also be used in stencil painting. If it is used for this purpose, it must be noted that a normal small roller or brush is the most suitable tool. We do not recommend foam rubber tools. For more detailed instructions, see Tikkurila's Taika guide.

Cleaning of tools

Clean tools with water. Remove excess paint/ lacquer from tools and clean with water. Tikkurila Pensselipesu Tool Cleaner is recommended to remove slightly hardened paint.

Maintenance instructions

The product achieves its final hardness and durability after one month under normal conditions, and therefore the surfaces must be handled with care during this time. If the surfaces need to be cleaned soon after finishing, clean them lightly with a dry or damp cleaning cloth or mop.

If needed, after approx. 1 month from treating the surface, at the earliest. The surfaces can be cleaned with a dry brush, mop or dust cloth. Any dirty surfaces can be cleaned with a neutral (pH 6–8) cleaning solution and a damp cleaning tool. The surface may not remain wet after cleaning. Follow the dilution instructions given by the detergent manufacturer when mixing the cleaning solution.

Maintenance treatment

See the instructions for "Previously painted surface". If you want, you can cover the effect surface by painting it with a water-borne wall paint.

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