

### OVERVIEW

Handycoat Exterior is a ready to use filler for use on all common building surfaces, including timber. It gives a high quality, even surface for painting. Handycoat Exterior is specifically manufactured for the painter to repair and touch up exterior and interior surfaces, both new and old, prior to painting. It is designed for filling joints, hairline cracks etc. by hand application. Unlike conventional fillers, Handycoat Exterior has elastic properties, does not flake off, is permanent and retains its adhesion.

### PROPERTIES

Handycoat Exterior is formulated using acrylic binders and precisely graded fillers. Properties include:

- Tough durable filler
- Weather resistant
- Alkali resistant
- Easy to apply
- Quick drying
- High crack resistance
- Excellent adhesion

### AREAS OF USE

Handycoat Exterior is suitable for exterior as well as interior surfaces. When dry, Handycoat Exterior is weather resistant and bonds extremely well to cementitious materials, gypsum, gypsum boards, Sprayplaster and wood.

It is used as a thin coat filler for patching hairline cracks in walls, ceilings, soffits, repair to damaged plasterwork, paintwork, filling holes and defects in woodwork, making good to exposed concrete, filling of dents in galvanised and anti-rust primed metal.

### PREPARATION OF SURFACE

Ensure dust, dirt, foreign matter are brushed away. Ridges and form oil should be removed.

When applying filler to old painted surfaces first wash down with soda / water solution, rinse and allow to dry before filling.

To stabilise a surface which shows signs of dusting or flaking, the use of Penetrating Primer is recommended.

### APPLICATION & CLEANING OF TOOLS

Apply the filler in a thin, even layer; if the area under repair requires a thick coat, apply several thin layers, allowing each layer to dry before adding the next. Lightly sandpaper over the dry final surface before painting preferably within 9 hours of application.

Clean tools and equipment with water after use.

### HEALTH & SAFETY

Avoid prolonged contact with eyes and skin. For detailed information refer to relevant material safety data sheet.

### PACKAGING & STORAGE

Handycoat Exterior is supplied in 25kg and 5kg plastic containers.

Store containers in a clean dry area protected from direct sunlight and extreme heat and cold. Unopened containers can be stored for 12 months. Use oldest material first.

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### TECHNICAL DATA

<b>Product</b>	Ready mixed quick drying filler for exterior surfaces.
<b>Binders</b>	Styrene acrylate.
<b>Fillers</b>	Fine precisely graded fillers.
<b>Dilution</b>	With water if required.
<b>Coverage</b>	0.5 -1.5kg/m <sup>2</sup> depending on substrate conditions.
<b>Layer Thickness</b>	Maximum 1mm.
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	1.60kg
<b>Colour</b>	White
<b>Toxicity</b>	Non-toxic.
<b>Packaging</b>	25kg and 5kg pails.
<b>Storage</b>	12 months in original unopened containers.

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