

**Product Specification Guide** 

## Product Name:

# SYDNEY HARBOUR'S DUCHESS SATIN

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

Sydney Harbour's Duchess Satin is a pearlescent paint used to decorate walls with the rich luster of satin fabric. Create a delicate pearly glitter on walls, trims, architraves or furniture. As visible brushstrokes are a characteristic of pearlescent paints, application methods will vary end results.

## LOCATION:

Interior.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION:**

This product contains: 20.45 g/L VOC.

- Southern California Air Quality
  Management District Rule 314 compliant
- LEED v4 & v4.1 eligible

Sydney Harbour uses only premium grade raw materials. Our manufacturing processes are designed for maximum performance with minimum impact on the environment and user health.

## SUGGESTED APPLICATIONS:

Can be applied to most suitably prepared plasterboard, plaster, wood, masonry and previously painted surfaces.

## COLORS:

Choose from our large range of colors or ask our colorist for your own custom color.

## LIMITATIONS:

Visible brushstrokes are a characteristic of pearlescent paints and it is for this reason that we do not recommend application with a paint roller. Do not apply in high humidity, below 50°F or above 86°F, or when temperatures are expected to drop below 50°F within the next 4 hours.

## **PREPARATION:**

### NEW/UNPAINTED SUBSTRATES:

Substrate should be a clean well-held surface free from loose material, dirt, grease, oil and mold. Dust down before proceeding.

On bare surfaces such as new unpainted plasterboard sheeting, render brick or timber, spot

prime all joints and repaired areas with Sydney Harbour's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer, then apply two coats of same to entire area. Touch dry 2 hours. Allow 6 hours dry time per coat.

#### PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SUBTRATES:

Previously painted surfaces with loose, peeling or flaking paint must be made sound by scraping off loose paint. Fill nail holes and cracks with suitable filler, sand and dust off. Spot prime all joints and repaired areas with Sydney Harbour's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer, then apply two coats to entire area. Touch dry two hours. Allow 6 hours dry time per coat.

## **APPLICATION:**

*By brush* – may be applied in a random brush finish, or a smooth dragged finish. For a random brush finish, apply two coats using a "crows' feet" brushing technique, cutting in progressively. For a smooth dragged finish, apply paint in a vertical direction, cutting in progressively, then with a dry brush lay off over finished work while paint is still wet to achieve an even appearance. Do not "picture frame" a wall, cutting in should be completed progressively. Touch dry 3 hours. Recoat in 12 hours. Allow 12 hours dry time.

*By spray* – Best results are achieved using a HVLP (high volume, low pressure) air spray. When spraying paint may be thinned with water to a maximum of 5%. Two coats recommended. Touch dry 3 hours. Recoat in 12 hours. Allow 12 hours dry time.

Application tip – There is another application method that eliminates brush strokes and gives a beautiful mother-of-pearl finish. Paint on the first coat by brush or spray as above. Allow 12 hours dry time. For the second coat two people are needed. The first-person paints on the Duchess Satin, using a "crows' feet" brushing technique, cutting in progressively, and the second person follows closely behind "ragging" the paint with muslin cloth. Do not go back over completed work. Do not stop in the middle of a wall. All work should be arranged to allow completion at a natural division such as a corner. Touch dry 3 hours. Allow 12 hours dry time.

## COVERAGE RATES:

Approximately 300 to 350 sq. ft. per gallon, depending upon porosity, surface texture and wastage rates.

## CLEAN UP:

Water.

## COMPLEMENTARY PRODUCTS:

Sydney Harbour's Limeproof Undercoat Sealer (coverage 450 sq. ft. per gallon) is recommended where an undercoat/primer is required when preparing substrate for painting.

## PACKAGING:

Sydney Harbour's Duchess Satin is available in Pint, Quart and Gallon sizes.

## STORAGE:

Store in a cool dry area, protected from frost.

# **PRECAUTIONS:**

Keep out of reach of children. Avoid swallowing. Avoid eye contact. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Provide adequate ventilation. If accidental contact occurs, rinse immediately with water. Check color before use.

# MANUFACTURER/DISTRIBUTOR DETAILS:

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