

**Description:** **Colourtrend Weather Exterior Masonry Paint** Colourtrend Weather exterior masonry paint is a pure acrylic, premium quality paint specially formulated to meet the demands of Irish Weather, good and bad. Colourtrend Weather is mould and mildew resistant, has excellent spread and coverage, is easy to clean and resists dirt pick-up. This product is classed as a breathable coating.

**Special Features:**

- Acrylic resin
- Excellent coverage
- Washable
- Non-hazardous under EU legislation
- Excellent sheen & colour retention
- Good flow & levelling properties
- Low VOC
- Very low odour
- Available in all Colourtrend Colours
- Easy clean up with soapy water
- Excellent mould and mildew resistance.
- Non-hazardous under EU

**Colour Range:** Entire Colourtrend range, RAL & BS 4800. Some pale colours are restricted to larger size cans.

**Recommended Uses:** Suitable for use on domestic and industrial exterior masonry.  
**NOTE:** Stir thoroughly before use.

**Solids:** 48± 2% by weight  
35 ± 2% by volume

**Specific Gravity:** 1.28 ± 0.02 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

**Theoretical Coverage:** 9 - 12m<sup>2</sup>/litre on smooth surfaces  
3 - 5m<sup>2</sup>/litre on pebble dashing

**VOC:** European limit for this product (Cat A/c): 40g/L (2010). This contains max 30g/L.

**Thinning:** Sealing new or bare surface Prime 4 PSU is recommended, alternatively first coat Colourtrend Weather matt can be thinned down with max 10% water.  
Up to 15 % water may be used for spray application.

**Drying Conditions:** At ambient temperature (20-23 ° C) :  
Touch dry: 2-4 hours depending on film thickness and drying conditions.  
Re-coat after 4-6 hours.  
Full paint properties do not develop for a minimum of 7 to 10 days after application (depending on drying conditions).

**NOTE:** Do not apply if surfaces are wet or in poor drying conditions. Do not apply at temperatures below 10°C or relative humidity above 80%

**Finish:** Matt Finish

**Storage:** Store in dry, cool conditions and protect from frost.

**Application Method:** Brush, roller or spray.

**Spray Suggestion:** **Spray Application:** Airless or air assisted airless, pressure pot.

#### Clean Up:

Clean equipment with water immediately after use. Replace lid on can and stir thoroughly before re-use.

#### Surface Preparation:

Surface to be painted should be clean, dry, sound and free from all forms of contamination.

New plaster Allow fresh plaster to dry out fully. When dried it will be uniform colour. This may, depending on weather conditions, take up to **one week** after plastering.

- Older unpainted plaster may require pre-treatment with Colourtrend Weather Fungicidal Wash if fungal growths are present. Apply fungicidal wash as per instructions on container.
- Repair any large cracks with elastomeric exterior caulk. Dab with a damp sponge to feather edges of filler.
- Power-wash to remove loose material, growths and dirt.
- Ensure that any and all loose or flaking paint is removed and any remaining coats are well adhered to the substrate before commencing to apply fresh paint.
- Chalky or flaky surfaces will require Colourtrend Weather Stabilising Primer as the first coat.

#### Safety, Health and Environmental Information

Not classified as hazardous for health.

Handle with care.

Avoid prolonged contact with skin and breathing of spray mist.

A Material Health & Safety Data Sheet is available on request.

#### IMPORTANT NOTE:

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