

# Torrex fire upgrading vinyl matt

EM303

## intended uses

A water based decorative fire retardant coating for use as the finish coats of the Torrex Fire Upgrading Vinyl Matt System.

For use over existing multi-layered painted surfaces to reduce the spread of flame in communal areas in the event of a fire.

## product description

A single pack pigmented PVA emulsion containing flame retardants. Water based.

## product information

<b>Product reference</b>	EM303 series
<b>Volume solids</b>	30%
<b>Typical thickness</b>	30 microns dft from 100 microns wft
<b>Theoretical coverage</b>	10 square metres per litre
<b>Practical coverage</b>	Reduce theoretical coverage by up to 20%
<b>Appearance/Colour range</b>	Matt Finish / White and selected pastel shades
<b>VOC content</b>	IIA/i: 140g/l (2010). <= 1g/l VOC

## application details

<b>Mix ratio</b>	Single pack
<b>Method of application</b>	Apply 2 coats brush or roller.
<b>Thinner</b>	Not recommended
<b>Cleaner</b>	Water for cleaning equipment
<b>Pot Life</b>	N/A

### Drying time

Substrate Temperature	Touch Dry	Hard Dry	Overcoating Interval	
			Minimum	Maximum
20°C	1 hour	6 hours	4 hours	7 days

**Note:** Drying/curing times will be shortened by higher temperatures and lengthened by lower temperatures

## storage and handling

<b>Storage</b>	Store in a safe place out of the reach of children. Protect from frost.
<b>Pack Size</b>	5 litres
<b>Flash point</b>	Non flammable
<b>Product weight</b>	1.29 kilograms/litre
<b>Shelf life</b>	2 years in unopened containers and frost free store

## surface preparation

Torrex Fire Upgrading Vinyl Matt must only be applied to surfaces which have been primed with Torrex Fire Upgrading Primer EM358.

Any areas which have been filled after priming must be re-primed prior to application of Torrex Fire Upgrading Vinyl Matt.

## limitations

Torrex Fire Upgrading Vinyl Matt must be applied at the specified spreading rate.

Will only achieved fire upgrading properties if applied as part of the Torrex Fire Upgrading Vinyl Matt system.

Torrex Fire Upgrading Systems can only be applied over sound well adhered multi-layered paint surfaces. Adhesion checks must be carried out before specification of the system.

Do not apply and/or allow to dry at temperatures below 5°C.

Do not apply if condensation is likely to occur.

Drying times will be extended if temperature falls below 10°C.

## safety precautions

A copy of the appropriate Health & Safety Data Sheet should be consulted prior to using the product. This can be faxed if urgently required.

Minimum precautions for all paints:

1. Avoid skin and eye contact i.e. wear gloves, goggles, etc.
2. Ensure good ventilation, mechanical if necessary.
3. Store and use away from heat and flame.
4. Do not eat or smoke in the vicinity of work.
5. Wash hands before eating.
6. Refer to supply container for additional warning labels.

## definitions

**Tolerances** All information quoted in this data sheet is subject to normal manufacturing tolerances.

**Practical coverage** Practical coverage can vary considerably depending on method of application, surface roughness, weather conditions and complexity of the structure.

**Pot Life** Applies only to two pack products and refers to the time the mixture remains usable.

**VOC** Volatile organic compounds

**dft** Dry film thickness

**wft** Wet film thickness

## disclaimer

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