

OVERVIEW

Ecotop Silk is an environmentally friendly, low odour, emission-free interior/exterior silk emulsion paint. Ecotop Silk is suitable for use on most building surfaces. Ecotop Silk is excellent for use in hospitals, hotels, schools and offices where an odour free surface is achieved several hours after application. Ecotop Silk is specially formulated without the use of solvents, formaldehyde and any other harmful chemical. Ecotop Silk is a member of the Terraco ECOLIFE product group which ensures minimal environmental impact.

PROPERTIES

Ecotop Silk is based on ambient curing acrylic resins which allow the paint to be formulated without any solvents. The finish has an attractive lustre and is ideal for high quality finishing works.

AREAS OF USE

Ecotop Silk is suitable for use on new or old interior and exterior surfaces of concrete, plasterwork, drywall, sprayplaster and most other construction substrates. It is ideally suited for "in use" maintenance of buildings such as schools, hospitals, hotels and offices to ensure minimum out-of-service time caused by paint odours.

PREPARATION OF SURFACE

New surfaces: Ensure that all dust, dirt and foreign matter are scraped and brushed away. Also ensure the surfaces are free from salts, oil, grease and ridges. Protect all adjacent surfaces not to be covered. All cracks, chips, voids and damages should be repaired with Terraco Handycoat Exterior.

Old surfaces: Before applying Ecotop Silk to old surfaces, ensure the substrate is firm. First wash down the surface with a sugar soap solution, rinse and allow to dry before repairing or applying the primer

PRIMING/SKIMCOAT

Prime surfaces with a coat of Penetrating Primer prior to application of Ecotop Silk. Apply a coat of Handycoat by trowel to level and prepare substrate for Ecotop Silk application.

APPLICATION & CLEANING OF TOOLS

Apply the paint by brush, roller or spray in a two coat 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

Ecotop Silk is supplied in 5kg and 20kg plastic pails.

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

Product	Low odour vinyl silk emulsion.
Binder	Acrylic.
Colours	20 standard colours, specials available on request.
Drying Time	1 - 2 hours.
Dilution	With water if necessary. For two coat application the first coat may be diluted with 10% water.
VOC Level	<5grs/ltr
Viscosity	8,000cps.
Specific Gravity	1.27
Coverage	120grs/m ² /coat (240grs/m ²).
Packaging	5kg and 20kg containers.
Storage	12 months in original unopened containers.

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