

## Application Recommendation

### ArmourColor Perlata Finish

#### 1 General Requirements

All substrates to receive ArmourColor Perlata shall be sound, crack-free, dustfree, flat and smooth (equivalent to a drywall level 5) and free of surface contaminants and defects.

#### 2 New Drywall Application Recommendation

**Primer:** Apply 2 coats of BaseColor Matt and allow to dry. Thin down 1st coat with 20% water as new drywall is a porous surface.

**Finish:** Apply 2 coats of ArmourColor Perlata to match approved project sample. Allow to dry prior to sealing.

**Sealer:** Apply 1 coat of Clearseal Gloss.

\*note - when applying any ArmourColor products by roller, use a 1/4" nap quality roller cover.

#### 3 Alternative Substrate Applications

**Brick, Block, CMU, & Precast:** Prepare as to receive a high-sheen paint coating (level 5). Apply 2 coats of BaseColor Matt and allow to dry. Thin down 1st coat with 20% water if prepared surface is porous.

**Previously Painted:** Test for bond and load bearing strength and prepare to conform to the general requirements (level 5). For glossy paints lightly sand surface to remove surface luster. This recommendation is for water based paint systems only. Apply 1 coat of BaseColor Matt.

**MDF Panels:** Apply 2 coats of Sherwin Williams Preprite Wall & Wood Primer B49W2, or equivalent oil-based wood primer to all six sides of the panels and allow to dry. All MDF panels are to be at least 3/4" in thickness. Apply 1 coat of BaseColor Matt.

**Build quality is the responsibility of the General Contractor.**

For other substrates please contact the Technical Dept. at: [technical@armourcoat.co.uk](mailto:technical@armourcoat.co.uk)

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