

Application Recommendation

Polished Plaster Spatulata Finish

1 General Requirements

All substrates to receive Armourcoat Polished Plasters shall be sound, crack-free, dust-free, flat, smooth (equivalent to a drywall level 4), and free of surface contaminants and defects. **All taped drywall joints must be flat and smooth.**

2 Drywall Application Recommendation

Primer: Apply K40 primer by roller to the surface to provide a mechanical key and to even-out suction. Leave overnight or until dry.

Finish: Apply 4 coats of Spatulata P80 paste in successfully thinner layers to match approved project sample. Allow to dry prior to waxing.

Waxing: Apply White Wax polish.

3 Alternative Substrate Applications

Brick, Block, CMU, & Precast: Apply National Gypsum Kal-Kote Base Coat plaster system, or equivalent, and allow to cure to conform to the general requirements; apply one coat of K-149 Fine Keycoat with a 3:1 resin mixture. Do not prime with K-40 Primer.

Previously Painted: Test for bond and load bearing strength and prepare to conform to the general requirements. For glossy paints lightly sand surface to remove surface lustre. Proceed with K-40 Primer, and if deemed necessary apply K-149 Fine Keycoat. This recommendation is for water-based paint systems only.

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. Lightly sand the primed surface of the face to be finished and apply 1 coat of K-40 Primer and leave overnight to dry. Please be advised that all MDF panels are to be at least 3/4" in thickness.

AntiCrack Base: Apply one coat of K-149 Fine Keycoat with R-13 resin at a 3:1 ratio.

Build quality is the responsibility of the General Contractor.

For other substrates please contact the Technical Dept. at: technical@armourcoat.co.uk

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