

# LIMEBASE Pigmented primer for Limetouch

## Technical qualities

LIMEBASE by Mutina is a special pigmented, filling, primer for exteriors. It consists of acrylic resins in water dispersion and titanium dioxide fillers. The product is highly pervasive, consolidates the surface and makes the absorption uniform. Thanks to its excellent hiding power, it allows saving on finishing products. LIMEBASE can be applied on alkaline substrates, civil plasters, rough plasters, old walls, chalking or highly absorbent plasters. It has a low odour level, is non-inflammable and friendly to both humans and the environment.

## Ideal use

Interior walls when LIMETOUGH by Mutina has to be applied.

## Surface preparation

The surface to be treated must be thoroughly dry and mature. New plasters need at least 30 days for maturation and to allow complete carbonation of the support. Sand down or strip surfaces in order to remove imperfections and any loose or flaking materials. On restoration projects, leaks and water infiltrations must be completely repaired.

## Storage conditions

Keep the product only in the original container. Keep the container close, in a well ventilated location, away from direct sunlight

## Safety information

The product is free of heavy metals such as lead or chrome. It does not contain toxic solvents, aromatics or chlorides. There is no risk of any dangerous polymerisation. The product is considered to be a non-dangerous substance if used in the technically correct manner. Normal cautionary measures for the handling of water based paints are advised. No special arrangements are required for

## The application

Yield	14÷18 m <sup>2</sup> /l in one coat approx. depending on the substrate absorption (wait 6÷8 hours before applying LIMETOUGH)
Dilution	50÷80 % with drinkable water
Application tools	Brush, roller or spray gun (1.7mm nozzle)
Application temperature	+5°C ÷ + 35°C (with relative humidity not exceeding 80%)
Drying time tack free	1÷2 hours (temperature=20°C with relative humidity at 75%)
Total drying time	10÷12 h (temperature= 20°C with relative humidity at 75%)
Tools cleaning	water

## The product

Composition	Acrylic resins in water dispersion, high coverage fillers, titanium dioxide, organic and inorganic pigments and preservatives to aid application and the formation of the surface film.
Specific weight	1,37kg/l ±3% (white)
pH	8 ÷ 9
Viscosity	20.500 ±5% CPS Brookfield (RVT 20 revs/min. at 25°C)
Storage temperature	+2°C ÷ +36°C. Keep from freezing
Reaction to fire	None if applied on to non-inflammable surfaces: water-based material with dry thickness less than 0,600mm
Resistance to tear and adhesion	In compliance with DIN ISO 4624 standard tear resistance 1,3 N/mm <sup>2</sup> cohesion crack under the paint working range
Emission limits of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC), according to directive 2004/42/CE	Classification: A/h VOC: 20 g/l (max) Phase II limits (from 1.1.2010): 30g/l
Packaging	4L cans

the storage, movement and transportation of the product; the containers, residue, eventual spilt material should be cleaned up using absorbent inert material such as sand, soil etc. etc. and then disposed of in accordance with the regional and national regulations in force at that time. Transportation must be carried out in accordance with international agreements.

## Specifications

Clean the surfaces to be decorated and remove any loose of flaking material. In case of new plasters, make sure the substrate is thoroughly dry. Apply one coat of a fixing and filling agent such as LIMEBASE by Mutina. Allow 6÷8 hours to dry before proceeding in the application of finish product such as LIMETOUGH by Mutina. All procedure must be carried out following closely all application instructions, cost ..... per m<sup>2</sup> including application and materials.