

DRY AWAY®

READY-MIX, OIL-BASE MASONRY WATERPROOFING PAINT

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FOR INTERIOR/EXTERIOR WALLS

DESCRIPTION:

Dry Away is an oil base, ready-mixed, flat finish paint especially formulated to seal interior and exterior walls above or below grade. It is alkali and mildew resistant, and is available in six attractive colors. Dry Away is not intended for use on floors, or horizontal cement applications.

USES:

Dry Away can be used on the following surfaces:

- Brick, block, or masonry.
- Cement and concrete.
- Slightly damp masonry.
- As a covering over other oil based paints.

ADVANTAGES:

- Ready mixed for your convenience.
- Waterproofs and beautifies.
- Can be tinted to any pastel color.
- Interior or exterior applications.

SURFACE PREPARATIONS:

Masonry surface must be clean and preferably dry. Remove any grease, oil, flaking paint, etc.

On previously painted surfaces, thoroughly scrape and wire brush the surface.

If efflorescence (salt like powdery deposits) is present, remove it with a muriatic acid solution. Be sure to follow the manufacturers instructions very carefully.

Repair all cracks, holes, and water leaks with Firma Plug Leakstopping Hydraulic Cement.

APPLICATIONS:

BE SURE WORKING AREA HAS PLENTY OF VENTILATION, AND NO LIT PILOT LIGHTS ARE PRESENT.

Stir to uniform consistency.

Do not thin Dry Away. The waterproofing capabilities will be reduced if any thinners are used.

Use a regular bristle paint brush and apply liberally to the surface. Work the paint into the pores and joints of the surface, until all are thoroughly filled and covered.

For best waterproofing results, it is recommended that two coats be applied on unpainted masonry surfaces.

Wait at least 24 hours before applying the second coat.

Clean up all tools immediately with mineral spirits.

Normal drying time is 2 - 4 hours.

PROVIDE PLENTY OF VENTILATION IN WORKING AREA UNTIL THE PAINT IS COMPLETELY DRIED.

COVERAGE:

Base coat - 125 square feet per gallon for rough, porous masonry. Up to 150 square feet per gallon for hard smooth surfaces.

TINTING:

May be tinted to light shades with universal tinting colors. Use only 25% of color normally recommended or quart formula (not more than 2 fluid ounces of colorant per gallon).

LIMITATIONS:

- DO NOT APPLY IN AN UNVENTILATED OR ENCLOSED AREA.

Air must be exhausted to the outside by using fans. Windows and doors must be open until product is completely dry. Read cautions on label thoroughly before using.

- Do not apply at temperatures below 50° F or when it is expected to be below 50° F within 8 hours of application.
- Do not thin this product.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT DATA:

See Technical Data Sheet.

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