

# SUPER SPEC® 100% ACRYLIC LATEX LOW LUSTRE HOUSE PAINT K185

A 100% acrylic exterior latex low luster house paint designed for

application to a wide variety of exterior surfaces such as wood, hardboard, vinyl and aluminum siding, shingles, unglazed brick,

concrete, stucco, cinder block, and primed metal. Provides

excellent coverage and durability, with easy soap and water

#### **Features**

- A quality acrylic latex low lustre finish
- Provides a breathable surface for maximum durability
- Low temperature application down to 4.4 °C (40 °F)
- Blister resistant

- Resistant to peeling and cracking
- · Excellent hiding
- Resists new mildew formation
- Fast, simple clean up with warm soapy water
- Excellent colour retention

### Limitations

cleanup

- Do not apply when air and surface temperatures are below 4.4 °C (40 °F).
- Not for interior use.

**General Description** 

#### **Recommended For**

For use on primed or previously painted wood, hardboard siding, cured masonry, and unglazed brick.

Product Inform	ation		
Colours: —Standard:	Technical Data◊		Pastel Base
White K185 01 (May be tinted with up to 2.0 fl. oz. of Benjamin Moore® Colour Preview® colorants per 3.79L).  —Tint Bases:	Vehicle Type		100% Acrylic
	Pigment Type		Titanium Dioxide
	Volume Solids		34%
Benjamin Moore <sup>®</sup> Colour Preview <sup>®</sup> bases 1B (Pastel), 2B (Medium), 3B (Deep), 4B (Ultra)	Coverage per 3.79 L at Recommended Film Th		32.5 – 44.1 sq. m. (350 – 475 sq. ft.)
—Special Colours: Contact your Benjamin Moore representative	Recommended Film Thickness	– Wet – Dry	3.9 mils 1.3 mils
Certification:	Depending on surface texture and porosity. Be sure to estimate the right amount of paint for the job. This will ensure colour uniformity and minimize the disposal of excess paint.		
VOC compliant in all regulated areas.  Master Painters Institute MPI #15	Dry Time @ 25 °C (77 °F) @ 50% RH	<ul><li>To Touch</li><li>To Recoat</li></ul>	1 Hour 4 Hours
	High humidity and cool temperatures will result in longer dry, recoat and service times.		
	Dries By Evaporation, Coalescence		
	Viscosity		105 ± 2 KU
CUSTOMER SERVICE INFORMATION CENTRE	Flash Point		None
1-800-361-5898, info@benjaminmoore.ca, www.benjaminmoore.ca	Gloss / Sheen		Low Lustre
	Surface Temperature at Application	– Min. – Max.	4.4 °C (40 °F) 32.2 °C (90 °F)
	Thin With		Clean Water
	Clean Up Thinner		Clean Water
	Weight Per 3.79 L		4.9 kg (10.9 lbs)
	Storage Temperature	– Min. – Max.	4.4 °C (40 °F) 35 °C (95 °F)
	Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)		
		48 g/L	

♦Reported values are for Pastel Base. Contact Benjamin Moore for values of other bases or colours

#### **Surface Preparation**

Surfaces must be clean, dry and free of oil, grease, wax, rust, mildew, chalk and loose or scaling paint. Cement based water proofing paints should be removed. Glossy surfaces must be dulled. Un-weathered areas such as eaves, porch ceilings, overhangs and protected wall areas should be washed with Benjamin Moore® Multi-Purpose Cleaner (K318) and rinsed with a strong stream of water from a garden hose or power washer to remove contaminants that can interfere with proper adhesion. Stains from mildew must be removed by cleaning with Benjamin Moore® Multi-Purpose Cleaner (K318) prior to coating the surface. Caution: Refer to the (K318) Multi-Purpose Cleaner technical data and material safety data sheets for instructions on its proper use and handling.

All masonry surfaces must be power washed or brushed thoroughly with stiff fiber bristles to remove loose particles. New masonry substrates must be allowed to cure for 30 days before priming or painting. Poured or pre-cast concrete with a very smooth surface should be etched or abraded to promote adhesion, after removing all form release agents and curing compounds.

**Difficult Substrates**: Benjamin Moore offers a number of specialty primers for use over difficult substrates such as bleeding woods, grease stains, crayon markings, hard glossy surfaces, or other substrates where paint adhesion or stain suppression is a particular problem. Your Benjamin Moore retailer can recommend the right problem-solving primer for your special needs.

WARNING! If you scrape sand or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Carefully clean up with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by logging onto Health Canada @ http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/iyh-vsv/prod/paint-peinture\_e.html.

#### **Primer/Finish Systems**

New surfaces should be fully primed, and previously painted surfaces may be primed or spot primed as necessary. For best hiding results, tint the primer to the approximate shade of the finish coat, especially when a significant colour change is desired. **Special Note**: Certain custom colors require a Deep Colour Base Primer tinted to a special prescription formula to achieve the desired color. Consult your retailer.

#### Wood and engineered wood products

**Primer:** Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior Latex Primer (K169) or Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior Alkyd Primer (K176)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec® Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

#### Bleeding Type Woods, (Redwood and Cedar)

Primer: Fresh Start<sup>®</sup> All-Purpose Alkyd Primer (K024)
Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior 100% Acrylic Low
Lustre (K185)

#### Hardboard Siding, Bare or Factory Primed

**Primer:** Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior Alkyd Primer (K176)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec® Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

#### Vinyl & Vinyl Composite Siding

Note: Ensure that the surface is properly cleaned and in good condition. For colours that are safe for use on these substrates, use approved Vinyl Select colours. For more information, see <a href="http://www.benjaminmoore.com/en-ca/for-contractors/painting-vinyl-and-aluminum-siding">http://www.benjaminmoore.com/en-ca/for-contractors/painting-vinyl-and-aluminum-siding</a>

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Primer: Fresh Start® Multi-Purpose Latex Primer (K023).

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec® Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

#### Rough or Pitted Masonry

Primer: Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Latex Block Filler (K160) or Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Masonry Interior/Exterior Hi-Build Block Filler (K206) Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

#### Poured or Pre-cast Concrete and Fiber Cement Siding

**Primer**: Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior Latex Primer (K169) or Fresh Start<sup>®</sup> All-Purpose 100% Acrylic Primer (F/K023)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec® Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

#### Ferrous Metal (Steel and Iron)

**Primer**: Super Spec HP® Acrylic Metal Primer (KP04), Super Spec HP® Alkyd Metal Primer (KP06) or Fresh Start® Rust Inhibitive Primer (K163)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec® Exterior 100% Acrylic Low Lustre (K185)

Non-Ferrous Metal (Galvanized & Aluminum) All new metal surfaces must be thoroughly cleaned with Super Spec HP® Oil & Grease Emulsifier (KP83) to remove contaminants. New shiny non-ferrous metal surfaces that will be subject to abrasion should be dulled with very fine sandpaper or a synthetic steel wool pad to promote adhesion

Primer: Super Spec HP<sup>®</sup> Acrylic Metal Primer (KP04)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Super Spec<sup>®</sup> Exterior 100% Acrylic Low
Lustre (K185)

**Repaint, All Substrates:** Prime bare areas with the primer recommended for the substrate above.

#### Application

Stir thoroughly before and during use. Apply one or two coats. **Paint Application:** For best results, use a premium Benjamin Moore® custom-blended nylon/polyester brush, premium Benjamin Moore® roller, or a similar product. Apply paint generously from unpainted area into wet area. This product can also be sprayed.

Spray, Airless: Fluid Pressure — 1,500 to 2,500 PSI; Tip .013 - .017 Orifice

#### Thinning/Cleanup

**Clean Up:** Clean up with warm soapy water. Spray equipment should be given a final rinse with mineral spirits to prevent rusting.

**USE COMPLETELY OR DISPOSE OF PROPERLY.** Dry empty containers may be recycled in a can recycling program. Local disposal requirements vary; consult your sanitation department or provincial environmental agency on disposal options.

#### **Environmental, Health & Safety Information**

Use only in a well ventilated area. Keep container closed when not in use. In case of spillage, absorb with inert material and dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Wash thoroughly after handling.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN PROTECT FROM FREEZING

Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet for additional health and safety information.