



FLAT LATEX CEILING PAINT K258

Features

- Features solid hiding and easy application
- Resists spattering when applied with a roller.
- Tones down ceiling glare and provides maximum diffused light.
- Provides a beautiful uniform flat finish.
- Self priming over Drywall.

General Description

A premium quality, acrylic coating especially formulated for ceilings.

Recommended For

Residential or commercial ceiling applications where a premium quality finish is desired. For use on primed or previously painted wallboard, wallpapered surfaces, acoustical ceiling tile, cured masonry, plaster, and other ceiling substrates.

Limitations

- Do not apply when air and surface temperatures are below 10 °C (50 °F)
- The ultra flat finish of this product means that it is not suitable for surfaces that require cleaning or are subject to abrasion

Product Information

Colours: — Standard

258 01 White
(Can be tinted to pastel shades using up to 2.0 fl. oz of Benjamin Moore® Colour Preview® Colorant per 3.79 L of paint.)

— Tint Bases:

Not available

— Special Colours:

Contact your Benjamin Moore representative

Certification:

VOC compliant in all regulated areas.



CUSTOMER SERVICE INFORMATION CENTRE:

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Technical Data[◇]

White

Vehicle Type	Acrylic Latex
Pigment Type	Titanium Dioxide
Volume Solids	30%
Coverage per 3.79 L at Recommended Film Thickness	37.2 – 41.8 sq. m. (400 – 450 sq. ft.)
Recommended Film Thickness	– Wet 3.7 mils – Dry 1.1 mils
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.	
Dry Time @ 25 °C (77 °F) @ 50% RH	– To Touch 1 Hour – To Recoat 2 Hours
Painted surfaces can be washed after two weeks. High humidity and cool temperatures will result in longer dry, recoat and service times.	
Dries By	Evaporation, Coalescence
Viscosity	100 ± 3 KU
Flash Point	None
Gloss / Sheen	Flat (2 - 5 @ 85°)
Surface Temperature at Application	– Min. 10 °C (50 °F) – Max 32.2 °C (90 °F)
Thin With	Clean Water
Clean Up Thinner	Clean Water
Weight Per 3.79 L	5.2 kg (11.5 lbs)
Storage Temperature	– Min. 4.4 °C (40 °F) – Max 32.2 °C (90 °F)

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC)

49 g/L

[◇]Reported values are for Paste Base. Contact Benjamin Moore for values of other bases or colours.

Surface Preparation

Surfaces to be painted must be clean, dry, and free of dirt, dust, grease, oil, soap, wax, scaling paint, water soluble materials, and mildew. Remove any peeling or scaling paint and sand these areas to feather edges smooth with adjacent surfaces. Glossy areas should be dulled. Drywall surfaces must be free of sanding dust.

New plaster or masonry surfaces must be allowed to cure (30 days) before applying base coat. Cured plaster should be hard, have a slight sheen and maximum pH of 10; soft, porous or powdery plaster indicates improper cure. Never sand a plaster surface; knife off any protrusions and prime plaster before and after applying patching compound.

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. Remove any powder or loose particles before priming.

Difficult Substrates: Benjamin Moore offers a number of specialty primers for use over difficult substrates such as bleeding woods, grease, crayon markings, hard glossy surfaces, galvanized metal, 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

Fresh Start® All-Purpose 100% Acrylic Primer (F/K023) is the preferred primer in most situations. For best hiding results tint the primer to the approximate finish coat colour. **Special Note:** Certain custom colours require a Deep Colour Base Primer tinted to a special prescription formula to achieve the desired colour. Consult your retailer.

Drywall

Primer: Fresh Start® All-Purpose 100% Acrylic Primer (F/K023) or this product

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Flat Latex Ceiling Paint (K258)

Plaster

Primer: Fresh Start® All-Purpose 100% Acrylic Primer (F/K023)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Flat Latex Ceiling Paint (K258)

Smooth Poured or Pre-cast Concrete

Primer: Fresh Start® All-Purpose 100% Acrylic Primer (F/K023)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Flat Latex Ceiling Paint (K258)

Stippled ceiling

Note Some types of stippled ceilings are water sensitive and require an alkyd primer sealer before applying the finish coat.

Primer: Fresh Start® All Purpose Alkyd Primer (K024)

Finish: 1 or 2 coats of Flat Latex Ceiling Paint (K258)

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

Application

Mixing of Paint: 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; refer to the chart below for spray recommendations.

Thinning/Cleanup

Conditioning with Benjamin Moore® K518 Extender may be necessary under certain conditions to adjust open time or spray characteristics. The chart below is for general guidance		
	Mild conditions	Severe conditions
	Humid (RH> 50%) with no direct sunlight & with little to no wind	Dry (RH<50%), in direct sunlight, or windy conditions
Brush: Nylon / Polyester	No thinning necessary	Add K518 Extender or water: Max of 236 ml (8 fl. oz.) to a 3.79 L Never add other paints or solvents.
Roller: 10 mm 3/8" Premium Roller Cover		
Spray: Airless Pressure: 1,000 -2,000 psi Tip: 0.013-0.017		

Clean-up: Wash painting tools in warm soapy water immediately after use. 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.