



TIKKURILA

## VARMA NEW

HIGH-QUALITY INTERIOR PRIMER

### DESCRIPTION

Interior primer with good adhesion properties. It evens the absorbency of the surface and reduce topcoat consumption. Primer has low VOC-emission level and certified by eco-labels.

**RECOMMENDED USES** Walls and ceiling in dry interior premises.

**PRODUCT FEATURES** For priming of plaster, concrete, filler treated, gypsum, chipboard and wood fiber board surfaces. Recommended especially as a primer for Harmony, Joker, Remontti-Ässä. Suitable for new and previously painted surfaces.



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## TECHNICAL DATA

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| <b>Base paints</b>          | AP BASE                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Colour Shades</b>        | <b>Color cards:</b><br>Feel the Color 2020, Deco Grey colour card, Symphony Color System<br>Light shades can be tinted in Tikkurila colors. Color accuracy can differ from the sample.                                     |
| <b>Gloss</b>                | Full matt. (6/RT-luokitus)                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Coverage</b>             | Theoretical coverage 7-11 m <sup>2</sup> /L. Practical coverage depends on the application method, conditions, absorbency and roughness of the surface to be treated                                                       |
| <b>Can sizes</b>            | 2.7 l, 9 l                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Thinner</b>              | Water                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <b>Application method</b>   | Roller or spray. For airless spray use a nozzle 0.015" - 0.021" or 0.380 - 0.530 mm. - thinning 0-5 % by volume.                                                                                                           |
| <b>Drying time</b>          | Dust dry after 30 minutes. Recoatable after 1-2 hours.                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Density (kg/l)</b>       | Approx. 1.4 kg/l, ISO 2811.                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>Wet scrub resistance</b> | SFS-EN 13300 class II, ISO 11998                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Volume solids (%)</b>    | 32                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>VOC</b>                  | (cat A/g) max. 30 g/l (2010).<br>Varma contains max 2 g/l.                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Storage</b>              | Protect from frost and direct sunlight. Close can carefully for next use. Badly closed or short cans and/or tinted products do not withstand long storage. Tinted products should be used during the same painting season. |

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### Application conditions

The surface to be painted must be dry, the temperature at least +10°C and the relative humidity of the air below 80%.

### Surface preparation

Unpainted surfaces:

Clean the surfaces by removing any dirt and dust. Fill the surfaces with a suitable Presto filler, if needed, and sand the dried surface. Remove the sanding dust.

Previously painted surfaces:

Wash previously painted surfaces with Seinäpesu cleaning agent. Fill cracks and holes with a suitable Presto filler and sand the dried surface. Remove the sanding dust.

### Painting

Stir Varma primer well before use and thin with water, if necessary. Apply 1-2 coats by roller or spray.

Recommendable finishing paints are Harmony Clean Air, Harmony, Joker or Remontti-Ässä.

### Cleaning of tools

Clean tools with water. Remove excess paint/ lacquer from tools and clean with water. Tikkurila Pensselipesu Tool Cleaner is recommended to remove slightly hardened paint.

### Maintenance instructions

If needed, approx. 1 month after surface treatment at the earliest.

Clean the surfaces with a well-squeezed, damp soft sponge or cleaning cloth and a neutral (pH 6–8) washing solution. Follow the dilution instructions given by the detergent manufacturer when mixing the washing solution. The surface may not remain wet after cleaning.

After surface treatment, surfaces must be handled with care for a few weeks, as the product will reach its final hardness and durability after about a month under normal conditions. If the surfaces need to be cleaned soon after finishing, clean them lightly with a damp cleaning cloth.

### Environmental protection and waste disposal

Destroy liquid waste according to the local regulations for hazardous waste. Recycle empty, dry cans or dispose them of in accordance with local regulations.

### Health and Safety

Wear protective gloves. Safety data sheet available on request. Contains 1,2-benzisothiazol-3(2H)-one (BIT) and reaction mass of 5-chloro-2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one and 2-methyl-2H-isothiazol-3-one (3:1) (C(M)IT/MIT (3:1)). May produce an allergic reaction. This product contains a biocidal product for the preservation of the product during storage. Contains: C(M)IT/MIT (3:1) and BIT.

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