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HIGH BUILD ROLLER APPLICATION GUIDE



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Elastomeric coatings are three to five times thicker than standard paint; therefore, they can deliver an uneven application if applied incorrectly.

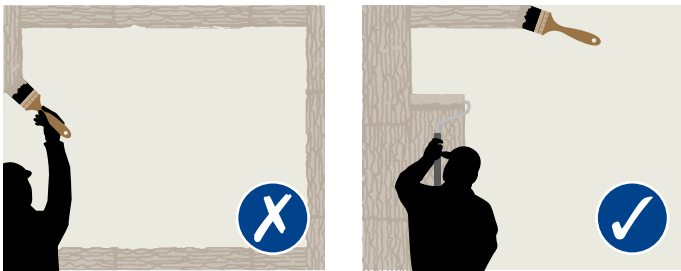
Avoid application in hot, windy conditions or on hot surfaces, plan where possible to work in the shade or cooler parts of the day, this is crucial on larger walls. Break up large walls in to manageable application sections, working to natural breaks (e.g. Control Joints). In hot and/or windy conditions, the addition of Hot Weather Thinner at the rate of up to 500ml per 15L will assist. In cold conditions, high build application and high humidity more time and/or better air circulation maybe needed to help with drying.

TIP: Ensure there is adequate tinted stock to complete the job in one application. All material must be thoroughly cross-mixed to ensure tint uniformity.

FOLLOW A PATTERN

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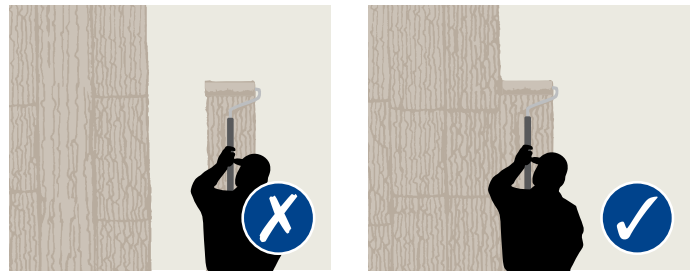
- Thin cut-in material by 10% with clean water and only cut-in an area you can roll into wet.
- Finish off brushed areas by applying a 'dabbing' motion and feathering out.
- Do not leave thick edge lines.



TIP: It is recommended to use a specialised heavy-duty roller frame and pole as high build coatings require a precise application of pressure to level-out the thicker covering evenly. A premium medium-long nap lambswool is best for high build coatings applications.

2 Apply the product to the wall in continuous strips

- DO NOT leave gaps to level-out with back-rolling as you might with paint.
- Apply the product in overlapping strips.
- Reload the roller after each strip and continue until a manageable section has been applied (approximately 3-4 strips wide).



TIP: It is crucial with one-coat applications to only cut-in an area you can roll into while it is still wet. Thick dry cutting-in will appear noticeable.

3 Distribute evenly, then apply a fresh wet edge strip

- Back-roll to distribute and level out the surface.
- With an empty roller, lightly rolling vertically in one downward direction to achieve an even finish.



TIP: Applying a fresh edge strip before you begin working and lay-off will help maintain a wet edge on larger areas or in warmer weather.

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4 Finish (Laying-Off)

- Using an empty roller, lay-off in one vertical direction downwards.
- Ensure that any lines or roller patterns are fixed when the product is still wet as it will not shrink back like paint.



TIP: Teaming up on the job produces the best results. Use a long nap roller for quick application and a shorter nap to lay-off, this will help keep the wet edge moving across the wall. Depending on the size of the wall and access, two or more people may be required to make sure that there is a continuous application process across the entire wall.

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