



## MULTI-SURFACE INTERIOR PRIMER

### TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer is a new generation, environmentally friendly, water-based primer with a combination of green benefits for the consumer.

#### INTENDED USES:

Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer for correctly prepared interior surfaces, including cement plastered walls, gypsum ceiling boards, metal, wood and ceramic wall tiles.

#### FEATURES:

- 100% lead free.
- 70% organic raw materials – sustainable manufacturing process followed, which is kinder to the environment.
- 0% solvents – no harmful solvents, with much lower paint smell associated with painting and no health consequences due to harmful solvents.
- Zero VOC – Evolve contains less than 5g/litre VOC (volatile organic compounds), providing safer and cleaner breathable air during painting and for the life of the paint application, with a reduced chance of skin or eye irritation while painting.
- APEO (alkylphenol ethoxylates) and formaldehyde free.
- Good adhesion to most surfaces, e.g. new and weathered steel and galvanised iron, aluminium, ceramic wall tiles, formica/melamine, wood, cement plaster, rigged PVC and fibre cement.
- Rust inhibitor – prevents formation of rust.
- Stain hiding – prevents stains on surfaces from bleeding through.
- Water based, quick drying and easy cleaning of painter tools with water.
- Excellent coverage.

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION:

<b>Appearance:</b>	Matt
<b>Colours:</b>	White
<b>Solids:</b>	±45% by mass and ±30% by volume
<b>Density:</b>	±1.25 kg/litre
<b>Recommended dry film thickness:</b>	2 coats at 35 µm per coat minimum
<b>Spreading rate:</b>	6-10 m <sup>2</sup> /litre, dependent on surface texture and porosity
<b>Flash point:</b>	Non-flammable
<b>Calculated max. VOC:</b>	Zero VOC

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## Respecting the environment:

**100% lead free, Zero VOC\*, 0% solvents\*\* and 70% organic raw materials\*\*\***

### Notes:

\*Paint containing less than 5 grams of VOC per litre.

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\*\*\*Organic materials are defined as non-petroleum based. Dispose of excess product and containers in a responsible manner, without harming the environment.

**This product is manufactured under strict SABS ISO 9001 quality standards.**

## STORAGE & TRANSPORTATION:

Store in a cool, dry place with adequate ventilation and away from open flames, direct heat or severe cold.

Keep container properly sealed. To avoid any risk of spillage, always transport in a secure, upright position.

## PACKAGING:

1 Lt, 5 Lt

## APPLICATION DETAILS:

### Mixing:

Stir product in the container regularly with a flat paddle to ensure an even consistency during painting.

### Method:

Roller (preferably mohair), brush.

### Thinning:

N/A.

### Cleaning:

Tap water.

### Conditions:

Temperature between 5°C and 40°C, relative humidity of less than 85%, preferably between 10:00 and 16:00. Ideally, apply when the temperature of the substrate is at least 2°C above dew point, if possible away from direct sunlight.

### Drying time:

Touch dry: **1 hour** at 23°C. Note: higher temperatures will accelerate the drying times (approximately halved for every 10°C increase) while lower temperatures will retard the drying times (approximately doubled for every 10°C decrease).

### Recoating time:

**4 hours at 23°C.**

### Requirements:

2 coats.

## SURFACE PREPARATION:

### 1. PREPARE

All interior surfaces to be painted should be sound, clean and dry (moisture content of less than 15%) before painting.

### 2. PRIME

#### New surfaces:

- Rust-free mild steel and galvanised iron: Degrease and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Weathered mild steel and galvanised iron: Remove rust, degrease and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Wood: Apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Cement plaster and gypsum plaster: Apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer or use a suitable plaster primer.
- Ceramic wall tiles: Sand to a matt finish, degrease and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.

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- Formica/melamine (non-working surfaces): Wash with degreaser and abrasive pad, rinse with water and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Damp: Use a damp-seal product according to the manufacturer of the product's specifications on areas where damp and moisture damage is visible before coating with Evolve Interior PVA Paint.
- Rhinolite surfaces: Use correct plaster primers for good adhesion before overcoating with Evolve Interior PVA Paint.

#### **Redecorating:**

- Enamel paint: Sand well, brush clean and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Emulsion paint: Clean well with paint friendly degreaser and apply Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer.
- Chalky surfaces: Remove chalkiness before applying a suitable primer to condition the chalky surface before overcoating with Evolve Interior PVA Paint.
- Poor condition: Surfaces need to be stripped down and treated as new work.

### **3. PAINT**

- Stir product in the container regularly with a flat paddle to ensure an even consistency during painting.
- Apply product using the application method icons guideline.
- Apply 2 coats of Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer to the prepared surface.
- Allow 4 hours' drying time between coats.

#### **LIMITATIONS:**

- The application of Evolve Multi-surface Interior Primer to rhinolite is not recommended. Plaster primer would be the correct product to prime rhinolite.
- To ensure a consistent appearance, ensure that the batch numbers on all containers are the same. Where batch numbers on containers differ, intermix before use.
- Tinting is not recommended.
- Evolve should not be applied on horizontal surfaces (floors, floor tiles or working surfaces).

#### **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:**

- Keep out of reach of children.
- Wear a suitable dust mask when sanding.
- Ensure adequate ventilation during application and drying.
- Avoid contact with skin. If contact with skin should occur, wash immediately with warm water and soap or a recognised skin cleaner.
- Avoid contact with eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with running water and seek medical advice.
- If product is ingested, drink plenty of water or milk. Do not induce vomiting at any time. Seek medical advice.
- Refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for detailed information about the product and transportation and classification criteria.
- The MSDS is available on [www.evolvepaints.co.za](http://www.evolvepaints.co.za).

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