

# NATIONAL SILICONE EMULSION PAINT (SILK) DECORATIVE COATINGS

**TECHNICAL DATA SHEET** 

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	National Silicone Emulsion Paint (Silk) is a superior quality, water and salt resistant, modified silicone emulsion based paint with excellent durability. It provides a highly breathable coating with extra ordinary UV and weather resistances for exterior application. It is highly washable and has very low dirt pick up property. It has very good mechanical and abrasion resistance with excellent adhesion to various substrates. It contains anti fungal and anti bacterial additives.	
RECOMMENDED USES	It is used as a decorative and protective smooth finish application for interior and exterior surfaces of concrete, plaster, gypsum, asbestos, brickwork, wood, masonry work etc. It is recommended for the dusty atmosphere with extreme humid and harsh climate of Gulf. It can be used for the interior/exterior applications of museums, mosque, exhibition centers, villas, industrial buildings etc. Over coating over suitable systems, provides excellent weather resistance and low dirt pick up property, especially for textured or grooved finishes.	

### **TECHNICAL DATA**

COLOUR, DRY FILM	As per the National Shade Card
FINISH, DRY FILM	Smooth / Silky
VOLUME SOLIDS	40 ± 2 %
(ASTM D2697)	
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	$1.25 \pm 0.05$
THEORETICAL SPREADING	$10-8 \mathrm{M}^2/\mathrm{LTR}$
RECOMMENDED DFT	40 – 50 Microns / Coat
(DRY FILM)	
RECOMMENDED WFT	100 – 125 Microns / Coat
(WET FILM)	
FLASH POINT	Water Base

# **DRYING TIME**

Drying time @ 30 ℃ (Temperature, humidity, air movement, film thickness and number of coats		
all affect the drying time.)		
TOUCH DRY	1 hour	
DRY TO RECOAT	4 – 6 hours	
FULL DRY	24 hours	

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# **ADVANTAGES**

NATIONAL SILICONE EMULSION	Long durable, extra ordinary UV and weather resistances,		
PAINT (SILK)	highly washable, very low dirt pick up, very good mechanical		
	and abrasion resistance, excellent adhesion, very good alkali		
	resistance, good coverage, and excellent water vapour		
	permeability.		

# **APPLICATION INSTRUCTION**

SURFACE PREPARATION	Before application, the surface should be sound, clean and free
	from oil, grease, loose particles, dust, etc. Application can be
	done by the recommended application methods.

# **APPLICATION DATA**

APPLICATION METHOD	Roller, Brush or Spray
CLEANING/THINNING	Water
THINNER (VOLUME)	Water up to 10 % depends on the application of method
CONV. SPRAY REQUIREMENTS	Possible
AIRLESS SPRAY REQUIREMENTS	Pressure: 2000 – 2500 psi
NOZZLE SIZE	0.018" - 0.021"
MIXING RATIO (BY VOLUME)	NA
POT LIFE @ 30°c (100 ml)	NA

### **SYSTEM**

RECOMMENDED SYSTEM	National Acrylic Primer (W.B.)	:	1 coat
To be applied on prepared surface.	National Silicone Emulsion Paint (Silk)	:	2 coats
	Leveling the surface: (If required	d)	
	National Stucco Filler (for Interior)	:	2 coats
	National Shield Exterior Filler (for Exterior)	:	2 coats

## NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL TEST CERTIFICATES

Sr.	Test Description	Test Reference	Compliance	
No.				
1	VOC	ISO 11890 – 2 : 2006	Local Regulatory Requirements	
2	Crack Bridging Ability	ASTM C 836 : 95		
3	Practical Washability	ASTM D 4828 – 91		
4	Rapid Chloride Permeability	ASTM C 1202 : 1997		
5	Water Absorption	ASTM C 642 : 90		

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## **ADDITIONAL DATA**

SHELF LIFE @ 30°C	18 months, in original sealed container, with proper storage
	conditions.

## **HEALTH & SAFETY**

SAFETY	Generally, most of the water base paints are quite safe to handle	
PRECAUTIONS	with due precautions. As a general rule, avoid skin and eye	
	contact by wearing overalls, gloves, goggles, and mask etc.	
	Spillage on skin should immediately be removed by thorough	
	washing with water and soap or suitable cleaner. Eye should be	
	flushed with fresh water. Avoid inhalation of vapours and paint	
	mist by wearing suitable mask. In the event of ingestion and eye	
	contact, seek medical attention immediately. Painting must be	
	carried out in well-ventilated area. Local safety regulations to	
	be followed.	

### **STORAGE & HANDLING**

STORAGE	Store the paint in proper storage conditions as per the local
	regulations. Keep the paint container in sealed condition under
	shed, away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures. Do
	not keep paint material near to any ignition sources. Do not put
	back the half or unused material back in original container,
	containing the supplied paint, to avoid contamination. Handle
	with care. Stir well before use.

**NOTE:** We warranty only the quality of our product and this data sheet is based on results obtained from experience and tests. We reserve the right to change data without prior notice. For surface preparation, safety details refer specifier and safety data.

This data sheet supersedes all previous issued.

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