



# AUAC00012 Dulux Acratex Mediterranean Classique

Introduction

Part A

194-85950

## **Description and Image**

**Dulux Acratex Mediterranean Classique** is an extremely tough acrylic high build coating, especially formulated to produce a granular, near flat, appearance very much like that of a bagged finish render in a single or multi coat application.

## **Features and Benefits**

- Water based
- Versatile application
- Leading acrylic polymer science
- Low or high build profile
- Easy, safe and economical clen up
- Elegant and variable decorative finish
- Quick, efficient application with roller, brush and mitt

## Standards And Certifications



NATA Accredited: National Association of Testing Authorities



Certified System: Quality ISO 9001



Certified System: Environment ISO 14001

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For details on these standards and certifications please reference the 'Approvals' section at the beginning of this document. Please contact your DuluxGroup representative for specific information on ESD credits / points.

# Uses

Dulux Acratex Mediterranean Classique is a flexible Full Acrylic, tintable, texture coating applied directly from the bucket in one or multiple coats by mitt applicator and finished in various ways by bagging mitt, texturing brushes or broom finish to the desired feature texture style. Typically applied over suitably prepared flush jointed brickwork softening the hard line brick profile with feature colour and texture. Specified in system with Acrashield weather-proofing barrier topcoat for optimum life cycle efficiency





## **Typical Specifications**

#### Typical System

Title

Typical Premium system AcraShield Advance & Mediterranean Classique on New Brick or Block

Preparation Guide

Refer Duspec for full Details

AUAC031<sup>'</sup>11 Dulux Acratex Mediterranean Classique Bagged Look / AcraShield Advance on New Concrete block, brick, masonry [Exterior]



Coat 1st Coat	Product  Mediterranean Classique	Spread Rate (m²/L): <b>0.9</b>	WFT (micron): <b>1116</b>	DFT <b>500</b>	(micron)
2nd Coat	959 Mediterranean Classique	0.9	1116	500	
3rd Coat	AcraShield Advance	6.0	167	75	
4th Coat	AcraShield Advance	6.0	167	75	
		Mini	mum System DFT:	115	0

Performance Guide					
Salt Resists salt spray especially when top coated with Dulux Acratex AcraShield Advance.	Heat Resistance Up to 90C (dry).				
Water N/A	Solvent Resists alcohol and aliphatic hydrocarbons. Sensitive to strong solvents.				
Abrasion Good abrasion resistance especially when top coated with Dulux Acratex AcraShield Advance.	Acid N/A				
Alkali N/A					





Typical Properties							
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Clean Up							
Clean up water .							
Application Methods							
🕴 Brush 🚏 Roller 🚅 Trowel							
Mediterranean Classique can also be applied by Hawk and Trowel then Lambswool Mitt textured or by Lambswool Mitt direct to substrate. Note: Various finishing techniques combined with multiple coats can be applied to create different finishes.							
Specifications	Solids by Volume						
	44.81						
	Min	Max	Recommended				
Wet Film Per Coat (microns)	893	1451	1116				
Dry Film Per Coat (microns)	400	650	500				
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)	1.1	0.7	0.9				
Drying Time							
	Min	Max	Recommended				
Recoat Time (min/hours)	4 Hours	Indefinite					

## **Application Guide**

Surface Preparation

All surfaces must be cured, clean, sound and free of all contaminants such as forms oils, release agents & mortar splashes. Surface imperfections misalignments & protrusions must be levelled, patched & completely flush to surrounding surfaces. Metal, tie wire etc on surface must be removed or treated against corrosion. Prime substrate with Dulux Acratex AcraPrime WB. Ensure that it is cured completely and covers the substrate evenly.

Application Procedure and Equipment

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Brush and long nap roller / lambswool mitt

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Site sample should be undertaken before the project commences.

Refer to the Dulux Acratex Application Manual for detailed instructions. Product should be tinted and thoroughly mixed before use.

Application is by brush or nap roller in a patina motion (criss cross).

A single coat is required (minimum DFT of 400 micrometres) a second coat may be applied to avoid "holidays" in the coating.

This texture is applied in a an uneven appearance to simulate that of "Bagged Finished Render" over flush jointed brick or blockwork via a brush, lambswool mitt or other artistic patterning tools & application methods.

A site sample of no less than 1 sqm should be applied and be approved by the client prior to application.





Health and Safety				
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## **Precautions and Limitations**

This product data sheets shall be read in conjunction with the Dulux specification.

To ensure colour uniformity and for optimum performance, Dulux recommend a full coating system including a Membrane topcoat.

For ALL systems, the Texture &/or Base Coat should be tinted in accordance with Tint Guide to the specified topcoat colour (or a colour as close as possible to the specified colour as product and Acratex tint rules allow).

Important: Not all colours are suitable for exterior use.

Ensure that you have adequate tinted stock to complete the job in one application.

All material must be thoroughly cross-mix to ensure tint uniformity.

It is recommended to hold a volume of finish material for future maintenance touch-ups

Practical spreading rates will vary from quoted theoretical figures depending on substrate porosity, surface roughness, overspray losses, application methods and environmental conditions (e.g. wind).

- Do not apply paint if Relative Humidity is above 85% or temperature is within 3°C of Dew Point.
- Do not apply if the surface temperature is greater than 40°C or below 10°C, or likely to fall below 10°C during the application or drying period.
- Dry times apply to a single coat at recommended spread rate and at 25°C and 50% Relative Humidity
- Allow longer times under cool, moist, or still conditions and or when applied at high film builds.
- Protect from dew, rain and frost for 48 hours when apply at the recommended spread rate.
- Avoid application in hot, windy conditions or on hot surfaces cool the surface by hosing with water and paint the cool damp surface.
- The exterior texture coatings should be cleaned on a regular basis.
- This will help maintain your overall aesthetic appearance and preserve your Acratex Texture coating system.

Cleaning once every year will remove light soil as well as grime and airborne pollutants refer Dulux Acratex Care & Maintenance Guide.

Transport and Storage					
Line Shade /Pack A		Shipment Name			
194-85950		Not dangerous goods.			
Size:	Weight:				
15 litre	24 kg				

## Further Information

Care & Maintenance Guide Texture





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