Resene product labels are updated from time to time. This label is provided as a guide for this product and may differ from the label on the container you purchase. Please discuss your project with your local Resene ColorShop team or reseller to ensure you have the right products to give you the best quality finish for your specific project.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Read label before use. Keep out of reach of children. This material is guite bland; with vapour, occasional skin contact and even minor ingestion having negligible hazard. Repeated skin contact may, and any eye contact will, cause irritation. Harmful to aquatic life.

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# **PRECAUTIONS**

USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. DO NOT EAT, DRINK OR SMOKE WHILE USING.

Store in original or correctly labelled container, tightly closed, in a well-ventilated area indoors, away from foodstuffs, at an ambient temperature and avoid freezing conditions. Avoid release to the environment.

# FIRST AID

IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, Call a POISON CENTRE, doctor or first aider if you feel unwell.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Rinse skin with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs get medical advice or attention. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do so. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists get medical advice

IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

When seeking medical advice take this container with you. Further information can be obtained from

AUST: POISONS INFORMATION CENTRE 131 126 or call Resene 1800 738 383.

NZ: NATIONAL POISONS CENTRE 0800 POISON (764 766) or call Resene 0800 737 363.

For use as a decorative/protective coating.

For full technical instructions see Data Sheet D314.

If using this product tinted to a Resene CoolColour™. see Data Sheet D314C

SPILLS: Wear appropriate protective clothing. Absorb with sand or earth. Collect and seal in properly labelled drums. Do not allow to enter drains or to run off into waterways. Refer to local waste management authority.

**CLEANING PAINT EQUIPMENT:** Brush/roll out as much paint as possible onto newspaper before washing brushes and rollers. Dispose of wash-up water onto grassy/ unsealed area or into inside sink/basin, NOT into outside stormwater drain where it may harm fish in local waterways.

# Resene

# **SpaceCote Flat** washable wall and ceiling

exterior/interior waterborne enamel



Resene SpaceCote Flat is designed to bring enamel style toughness to broadwall areas, allowing you to get a desirable easy care flat finish without sacrificing durability. Very adaptable, it can also be used on interior wet areas. The tough finish is washable so you can clean areas, such as ceilings, without damaging the paintwork keeping them looking good for longer. A durable low odour finish with scuff, scrub and burnish resistance. Also assists with absorbing formaldehyde.

- · Ensure substrates to be coated are in sound condition, dry, free from dirt, dust, loose material, oil (including mineral oil based wood finishes or similar) and salt.
- · Remove accumulated windblown salt by washing with Resene Paint Prep and Housewash (see Data Sheet D812)
- If mould is present, treat with Resene Moss & Mould Killer (see Data Sheet D80). Efflorescence on masonry must be treated (see Data Sheet D83), Oil, grease, fly spots and nicotine stains should be removed using either Resene Emulsifiable Solvent Cleaner (see Data Sheet D804) or sugar soap. Rinse clean with water.
- Where staining is present the source must be removed.
- Fill cracks and holes in interior walls before sealing.
- All sanding dusts may be harmful and appropriate protection must be worn. In particular dusts from old lead or chromate based paints or old building materials containing asbestos may be injurious to health if inhaled or ingested. Seek expert advice if the presence of these materials is suspected.
- Plasterboard must be prepared to an appropriate level of finish. Either Resene Broadwall Surface Prep & Seal (see Data Sheet D807), Resene Broadwall 3 in 1 (see Data Sheet D810) or Resene Sureseal (see Data Sheet D42) followed by lining paper. Steam and condensation can cause surfactants in a new paint film to come to the is recommended in critical lighting areas.
- This product may be used to paint a wide variety of surfaces. If the surface you your local Resene ColorShop or reseller for advice.

## Priming

- Dark colours used on exterior surfaces are likely to increase heat and stress on the surface and, depending on the substrate, may reduce its lifespan and increase the level of coating maintenance required to maintain an acceptable visual appearance. Resene CoolColours can be used on appropriate projects to assist with heat reflectance.
- When a CoolColour variant of this product is being used, it must be used with a primer coat of Resene Quick Dry white (see Data Sheet D45) or Resene Galvo-Prime (see Data Sheet D402) immediately below the Resene CoolColour topcoat for optimum performance, Refer to Resene ColorShop or reseller staff as to the most appropriate CoolColour system for your project.
- Plasterboard and stoppings in non wet areas should be primed (e.g. Resene Broadwall Waterborne Wallboard Sealer - see Data Sheet D403). Fibrous plaster or Authority for disposal information. Please recycle. plasterboard and stoppings in wet areas should be sealed with Resene Sureseal.
- Hardboard must be sealed (e.g. Resene Sureseal) to promote flow of the topcoats. Use Resene Sureseal if the surface is water stained or if condensation is likely to form
- · Some 'soft' plasterboard preparatory products and undercured gypsum based stoppings may not be suitable basecoats for painting under stressed conditions. Reinforcement with a saturation coat of a fully penetrating primer (such as Resene Sureseal) may be required. Use Resene Sureseal or Resene StainLock (see Data Sheet D408) if the surface is water stained or has yellowed due to prolonged exposure to
- All surfaces (except timber) which are highly absorbent, in poor condition, affected by efflorescence, friable, powdery or chalky must be primed with Resene Sureseal. Repaints - spot prime all bare areas with the same primer shown for new work
- and proceed as for new work. Old solventborne enamels require sanding to a uniform dull finish. For best results.
- apply a full coat of Resene Quick Dry prior to application of topcoats.
- Prime smooth/glossy cementitious surfaces with Resene Concrete Primer (see Data Sheet D405) to assist with topcoat adhesion. Spot prime any nailheads with Resene

- Stop all nailholes and cracked timber after priming.
- Resene Quick Dry is the recommended primer over customwood, particle board
- Check wallpaper type before painting. Coat a small inconspicuous area with the Resene topcoat paint and colour to be used. Wait at least 2 weeks, wipe down with water and a cloth and check for surface tack. If the painted area is tacky, apply Resene Vinvl Wallpaper Sealer (see Data Sheet D406) prior to application of Resene topcoat

- Apply two coats in the required colour allowing at least two hours between coats
- Washability and final toughness will develop over several days as the paint hardens. When cleaning use a soft sponge with lukewarm water and a small amount of
- If using above an open shower, use Resene Quick Dry as an undercoat before topcoating in Resene SpaceCote Flat.
- . Maintain good ventilation throughout the drying and post application curing period to ensure the paint is properly cured. This may require use of an extraction system when painting in marginal painting conditions. Do not use gas or diesel burners to heat coated area as these produce water that will inhibit drying and curing. Poor ventilation may affect appearance and performance.
- When applying by airless spray, back rolling using the recommended roller sleeve is necessary to achieve a uniform flat finish. This will create a soft orange peel effect. If spray is the preferred method of application use Resene SpaceCote Flat Commercial Spray Grade, which is optimised for spray application.

# Bathrooms/ensuites/steamy areas

surface as shiny streaks. This does not harm the paint. To ensure your bathroom/ ensuite paint finish keeps looking its best: For the first 5-7 showers wipe steam propose to paint is unsound or not referred to, try a small test area first or contact moisture from walls using a lint free cloth immediately after showering. This will prevent the moisture on your freshly painted walls bringing surfactants to the surface. If any marks appear use Resene Interior Paintwork Cleaner, following the instructions in the Resene Caring for your paint finish brochure.

(after a minimum of four weeks' drying)

See the Resene Caring for your paint finish brochure or the Resene website for full cleaning instructions.

### Re PaintWise

For tips on responsible disposal of paint, cleaning equipment and minimising the impact of your decorating on the environment see the Resene website. Do not discharge any paint into the environment. Resene PaintWise (NZ) or paintback.com. au (Australia) accepts residual unwanted paint and packaging. Or contact your Local







In Australia: Resene Paints (Aust) Limited 7 Production Ave, PO Box 918, Ashmore City, QLD 4214 Ph 1800 738 383 Visit resene.com.au

In New Zealand: Resene Paints Limited Vogel St. PO Box 38242, Wgtn Mail Centre, Lower Hutt 5045 Ph (04) 577 0500 Visit resene.co.nz

# **Ouick check**

Use on: Walls and ceilings. Gloss level: Flat.

Coverage: 11 square metres per litre per coat. The spreading rate recommended for this product will achieve hiding in two coats for most colours. Increased spreading rates can be used but additional coats may be needed to achieve required film build and hiding.

See the Resene website for more information. Dry time (minimum): 45 minutes. Do not apply at temperatures below 10°C or when temperatures are liable to drop below this during the drying period. Drying is slowed by low temperatures and high humidity. Do not apply under damp conditions.

Recoat time (minimum): 2 hours.

Serviceable after: While the coating is serviceable after 48 hours depending on film thickness, tinter level and drying conditions, it will still be in the curing stage so care needs to be taken with contact and wiping.

Primer required: Yes, dependent on surface. Usual number of coats: Two. Some colours may

require an additional coat. Application method: Brush, speed brush, roller

Thinning: In hot conditions may be thinned with up

to 5% Resene Hot Weather Additive to slow drying. Clean up: Water.

Colour range: Selected Resene Total Colour System including BS5252, Multi-finish, Whites & Neutrals

Also available as Resene SpaceCote Flat CoolColour to help reflect heat from exterior surfaces. Application of a Resene CoolColour will reflect more heat than the same colour made using non-cool pigmentation and reduce heat related stress on the substrate: it will not make the painted surface cool to touch. Check with Resene staff whether a Resene CoolColour is right for your project. Before use: Stir well with a wide flat stirrer.

Enjoy the Resene Promise of quality on premium paints. See your Resene ColorShop or the Resene website for a copy.

In every case it is recommended that the appropriate Data Sheet and Safety Data Sheet are consulted prior to application.

Please ensure that use of this product is compatible with the substrate and surface preparation method and that the colour in this container is the same as elected. When using multiple packs of this product on the same project please mix them together before use. Resene does not accept any responsibility for the application of incorrect product to substrate or the application of incorrect product are designed to be used as a system for optimal results. Substitution may cause substandard results or system failure. For further painting advice and information, call 1800 738 383 (AUST), 0800 737 363 (NZ) or visit the Resene website