

## PRODUCT ADVICE

### FULL GLOSS



All Farrow & Ball paints are eco friendly and comply with the latest environmental legislation regarding the VOC (volatile organic compounds) content of paints.

**Availability:** In 750ml and 2.5 litre tins in all Farrow & Ball colours. Available direct from Farrow & Ball, our Showrooms and selected stockists internationally.

**Usage:** Extremely versatile and robust, this traditional high gloss paint is suitable for both interior and exterior wood and metal surfaces.

**Preparation:** All surfaces must be sound, clean, dry and free from dirt, grease and other contamination. **Flaking or peeling may occur if painting over weak paint layers.**

Fill any cracks, holes and open joints with an appropriate flexible filler. Surface filling will require more maintenance. Neutralise when caustic strippers have been used.

**Unsound surfaces** – may not successfully accept further paint layers; if in doubt seek professional advice.

**Interior surfaces:** **Interior bare wood surfaces** – where required use Farrow & Ball Wood Knot & Resin Blocking Primer to patch prime knotty or resinous woods. Apply a diluted first coat of Farrow & Ball Interior Wood Primer & Undercoat (20% water) followed by one full coat. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Full Gloss.

**Previously painted interior wood surfaces** – sand back areas of paint that have peeled or blistered, to achieve a good 'key'. Apply one full coat of Farrow & Ball Interior Wood Primer & Undercoat. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Full Gloss.

**Exterior surfaces:** **Exterior bare wood surfaces** – where required use Farrow & Ball Wood Knot & Resin Blocking Primer to patch prime knotty or resinous woods. Apply a full coat of Farrow & Ball Exterior Wood Primer & Undercoat. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Full Gloss.

**Previously painted exterior wood surfaces** – sand back areas of paint that have peeled or blistered, to achieve a good 'key'. Apply a full coat of Farrow & Ball Exterior Wood Primer & Undercoat. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Full Gloss. When painting a dark colour over a pale colour as much of the previous coating as possible should be removed for a long lasting finish.

**Interior and exterior metal surfaces:** **Ferrous metal surfaces** – new and previously painted metal surfaces should be thoroughly degreased. Remove any weak paint and rust back to bare metal. Apply two coats of Farrow & Ball Metal Primer & Undercoat. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Full Gloss.

**Galvanised surfaces** – treat with Etch Primer or Mordant Solution taking care to follow manufacturer's instructions and health and safety advice. Clean with a detergent wash when dry. Proceed with two coats of Farrow & Ball Exterior Eggshell or Farrow & Ball Full Gloss.

**Considerations:** **Do not paint in temperatures below 10°C or excessive heat above 30°C.**  
Avoid painting in direct sunlight.

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**Painting:** Please check for colour accuracy prior to use as we will not be liable for decorating costs caused as a result of an incorrect colour being applied. When more than one tin of the same colour is to be used ensure that batch numbers are identical or intermix before use. Stir thoroughly before use.

Once the above surface preparation is completed apply one coat and allow to dry, then sand off with a fine abrasive paper to remove raised grain or roughened surface and apply final coat.

Load brush well and apply two coats. May be applied by a gloss roller for larger flat areas.

**Airless Spraying** – Good results can be achieved by the set up of 15 thou 65° angle or 18 thou 65° angle tip using a pressure of between 2300 – 2700 psi – see separate spraying sheet for more details.

**Clean up:** Clean brushes and rollers with warm soapy water.

**Cleaning:** Washable and wipeable.

**Formulation:** A water based paint made using a traditional alkyd resin.

**Storage:** This product is water based and must be protected from frost and extreme temperatures. Use within 6 months of purchase. We accept no responsibility for the deterioration of contents or packaging after this date.

**Disposal:** Though water based, please do not dispose of into watercourse. Waste materials must be disposed of in accordance with the Environmental Protection Act 1990 and relevant regulations made there under. For further information contact the Environment Office at your local council.

**Health & Safety:** Ensure good ventilation during application and drying. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. After contact with skin wash immediately with plenty of soap and water or a proprietary skin cleanser. Keep out of reach of children. **Safety Data Sheets are available for professional users on request.**

**Environment:** Actual VOC content g/l 23.2 g/l

VOC content w/w: 1.80%

**Classification:** Low

2010 max. permitted limit grams per litre 130 g/l

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Coverage	Drying Time	Recoat Time	Sheen level
Up to 30 m <sup>2</sup> per 2.5 litres.	2-3 hours surface dry. Dark colours may take longer to dry. Hard overnight.	4 hours depending on conditions.  Ensure the surface is completely hard before closing newly painted windows and doors.	95%

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