# CapaSeal SB





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### **Product Description**

**CapaSeal SB** is a solvent based acrylic primer/sealer with excellent penetration properties. It seals the surface and promotes adhesion of subsequent finishing coats. **CapaSeal SB** has special formula which makes it especially suited for renovation of plaster or stone coating systems to reduce their absorbency, neutralize possible stains and dirt before repainting. **CapaSeal SB** it is not suitable on ETICS/EIFS, cladding systems or other surfaces which are built with EPS/XPS or PVC materials.











### **Recommended Use**

CapaSeal SB is suitable for exterior and interior use on walls and ceilings on:

Cement plastered walls

Gypsum boards

Sound existing emulsion paint coatings

Uncoated concrete

Suitable primed wood

Sound existing sound and stable mineral coatings

Rendered fair faced brick masonry

Unsuitable are substrates made of plastic or PVC. Not suitable for horizontal or sloping surfaces subject to weathering.

# **Definition of Application Areas**

Suitability according to Caparol Technical Advice Sheet No. 0606

Interior 1	Interior 2	Interior 3	Exterior 1	Exterior 2	
0	0	0	+	+	
(–) inapplicable / (o) of limited suitability / (+) suitable					

# **Physical Properties**

Volume solids 35±2%

Colour\* Semi-transparent drying (Milky white in bucket)

VOC 551 g/litre
Thinner/Cleaner Acrylic thinner
Finish Egg-shell

Packing size 3.75 & 18 litres
Shelf life 12 months

# **Advantages**

Solidifies the surface of substrates

**Excellent adhesion properties** 

Good substrate sealing function

Excellent depth penetration function

Solidifies chalking but adherent existing coatings

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### **Certificates and Test Values\***

DCLD Product Conformity certified

ADCE certified civil supplier

\*Additional certificates and approvals may available on request or could be arranged if required.

# **Surface Preparation**

The substrate must be even, clean, dry, solid, sound/stable, and free from all substances that may prevent adhesion.

Remove unsound coatings of enamels, dispersion paints, synthetic renders/plasters and unsound mineral paint coatings.

Clean sound, adherent paint coatings dry or wet. Clean surfaces with organic growth (moss, algae and mild) by high pressure water jet in compliance with the regulations. Allow drying thoroughly. Clean surfaces soiled with industrial gases or soot by high pressure water jet and suitable cleaners in compliance with the regulations.

Adjust the substrate evenness of the planned, finer surface finish. If necessary, carry out additional substrate levelling measures.

Check existing coatings for their load-bearing capacity. Remove any non-load bearing or structurally weak coatings. Any damaged areas or surface irregularities should be repaired before application. Repairs must be well set and dried out. Damp or not fully cured substrates can lead to defects in subsequent coats, such as blistering or cracks.

It is most important that substrates are correctly prepared prior to application of paint.

# **Mixing Paint**

**CapaSeal SB** is single component solvent based product, should be mixed properly before application. The material can be diluted with **Acrylic Thinner** only. Stir **CapaSeal SB** with a low-speed stainless steel agitator. Do not use mixers made of aluminium - danger of discolouration. Use as little Acrylic thinner as possible to achieve application consistency. Stir well before application.

If necessary adjust to working consistency with **Acrylic Thinner** up to max. 5 %. Ensure short stirring times at low speed to prevent foam formation in the binding agent. Diluting the material too much will make application more difficult and will result in poorer characteristics. It's strongly recommend to use the thinned paint in same shift and not to store for next day as there are might chances of paint losing its characteristic's, settling, formation and chances of bacterial contamination from external sources. Hence recommended to estimate paint required for the shift and mix accordingly to avoid any problems.

# Film Thickness and Spreading Rate\*

	Minimum	Typical	Maximum
Wet film thickness	86	100	115 μm
Dry film thickness	30	35	40 μm
Theoretical spreading rate	11.7	10	8.8 m²/litre

<sup>\*</sup>Indicated rates are indicative per coat, due allowance and wastage factor should be considered in practical application. This indication does not take into account usage for spilling or loss on site. The figure may also vary according to substrate or application conditions. The exact rate of consumption for your particular project is best established by a trial application on site and executed by your desired applicator.

## **Drying Time\***

Substrate temperature	10°C	25°C	40°C	
Touch dry	4	2	1	h
Dry to over coat	18	6	3	h
Ready for stress	96	48	24	h

<sup>\*</sup> Drying time generally related to air circulation, temperature, film thickness, no of coats and relative humidity. The given data must be considered as guidelines per coat only. The actual drying time before recoating may be shorter or longer, depending on film thickness, ventilation, humidity, underlying paint system, requirement for early handling and mechanical strength etc. The figures given are typical with: Good ventilation (outdoor exposure or free circulation of air), typical film thickness, on coat on top of inert substrate and relative humidity 70%.

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# **Application Conditions**

Substrate temperature should be min.5°C and at least 3°C above the dew point of the air. Suitable processing temperature should between + 5 °C to approx. 40 °C for material, substrate, water and ambient air during application and curing.

At application below 10°C drying temperature will be significantly extended and spraying characteristics may be impaired. Paint to be applied to suitable primed surface.

Do not apply during strong wind, fog, high relative humidity, and imminent rain or frost.

Do not apply or leave to dry in direct sunlight as this can lead to differences in gloss levels and even to slight cloudiness.

## **Application Equipment's/Tools**

The material can apply by solvent resistant roller, brush or spraying coating tools.

Clean tools immediately with acrylic thinner after application.

## Guiding data for airless spray equipment\*

Spraying angle: 65°-85°
Nozzle size: 0.015" - 0.021"
Pressure: 150 - 180 bars

# **Typical Application Procedure\***

On suitable mineral substrate it is usually necessary to apply an absorbency-equalizing and adhesion promoting prime coat e.g. **CapaSeal SB**. We recommend using colour-adjusting intermediate coats if the colour shade of the finishing is very different to the colour shade of the substrate. When using render textures, a colour shade adjusting intermediate coat with is generally recommended.

Apply CapaSeal SB with suitable roller, brush or airless spraying equipment homogeneously to the complete surface.

Apply thoroughly a uniform and even layer. Avoid overlapping that may be caused by stories of scaffolding.

To avoid lapping on large area surfaces, care should be taken to have a sufficient number of hands/craftsmen on the job and to apply the material wet-on-wet without interruption.

# **Typical Paint System\***

CapaSeal SB can be used on suitable exterior and interior surfaces as follows:

Exterior and interior surface standard typical paint system	Coats	
CapaSeal SB	1	
CapaTopcryl	2	

<sup>\*</sup> Above mentioned paint system is for general guide line only, can be changed as per specification requirements. As it is impossible to list herein the wide variety of substrates and their specific problems, please request our technical assistance in case of queries. We will provide appropriate working methods.

# **Important Note**

The characteristic values stated are average values or approx. values. We use natural raw materials in our products, which mean that the stated values can vary slightly in the same delivery batch; this does not affect the suitability of the product for its intended purpose. Being natural products, the materials used in the paint finishes, may occasionally cause slight colour variation in the finished coating. Use only material marked with identical batch numbers or, if utilizing material from different batches, mix the entire quantity needed in advance. As usual for primers, **CapaSeal SB** must not be applied in direct sunlight or on sun heated surfaces, during strong wind, fog or rain, high relative humidity, imminent rain or impending night frost. Apply wet-on-wet and without interruption to avoid lapping. Stir the primer thoroughly in case of airless spray application.

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<sup>\*</sup>The spray details given above are intended as a guide only, fluid hose length, diameter, paint temperature and project complexity all influence the choice of tip and operating pressure. Always check to ensure that filter is clean.

<sup>\*</sup> For system specific application instructions please refer to detailed MS (method statement) or specification.

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Statically (structural/constructional) cracks may be subject to extreme movements. Therefore a durable and invisible crack bridging treatment by paint products is impossible.

Joints in the vicinity of windows, doors and window sills must be sealed in a technically correct manner with permanently elastic sealing compound.

Do not mix with other products.

Touching up surfaces is depending on many parameters and may be visible after drying.

Please note: It is recommended to use trained and experienced applicator to carry out painting works.

# **Colour Stability**

When coated surfaces are exposed to mechanical stress it is possible that, due to the natural calibration grains used for darker, more intense colour shades, the areas of impact change to a lighter colour. This does not affect the quality and functionality of the product.

It is not possible to give warranty for uniform colour accuracy and freedom from stains due to chemical and/or physical curing processes and fluctuations in the weather and different substrate conditions, e.g. uneven absorption behavior of the substrate, different substrate moisture levels over the entire the surface, partially very different alkalinity/substances from the substrate, direct solar radiation with sharply delineated shadowing on the freshly applied coating.

### Storage and Handling

12 months when stored in warehouse conditions below 35°C in the original, unopened packs. The product must be kept in in cool, dry well ventilated space and away from source of heat and ignition. Containers must be kept tightly closed and always handle with care. Keep out of reach of children.

### **Health and Safety**

Material can causes serious eye damage. May it cause drowsiness or dizziness. Keep out of reach of children. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Keep container tightly closed. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid release to the environment. IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician if you feel unwell. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical advice/ attention. Store the material in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Do not use or store by hanging on a hook.

Materials and all related packaging must be disposed of in a safe way in accordance with the full requirements of the local authorities. Do not allow product to enter into wadis, waterways, drains, watercourses and soil. Only completely emptied containers should be given for recycling.

Material safety data sheet (MSDS) available on request.

# Please also always refer to:

Caparol Technical Advice Sheet No. 0606 Definition of Application Areas