

# LAKELAND *paints*

## PRODUCT ADVICE

### LAKELAND FLOOR PAINT – GLOSS, SATIN, ANTI-SLIP

LAKELAND paints offer a completely unique range of decorative finishes. It's the only range of totally solvent-free paints available anywhere in the world today, independently tested to reveal 0.0% VOCs (Volatile Compounds).

VOCs are a major contributor to low-level atmospheric pollution and the use of these compounds leads to global warming. In addition, the use of solvent-based paints is a major cause of, asthma, allergies, sick building syndrome, chemical sensitivities and the general flu-like symptoms reported by many people using conventional paints, including Matt and Silk wall paints.

Most paints currently on sale, both gloss and emulsion, contain solvents and VOCs. LAKELAND paints contain none.

As a result they are ideal for use throughout the home, particularly children's bedrooms, nurseries and kitchens, especially if you or a member of your family is chemically sensitive or suffers from asthma or allergies.

Where to use:

Interior wooden floors (not Teak or other oily woods) and dry concrete floors (not subject to wetting):  
Hardwoods - ask for advice.

Availability:

In 5 litre tins in all 180 LAKELAND colours plus white. Colour matching available upon request.  
Available direct from Lakeland Paints.

Coverage: Up to 50m<sup>2</sup> per 5 litres/per coat

Drying time: Touch dry in 1 – 2 hours, recoat in 24 hours

Preparation:

Wooden floors - Ensure the surface is sound, dry and free of dust, wax, & grease. For best results clean with a Scotchbrite pad & detergent. This product is suitable for direct application onto bare wood.

Fillers - seal with Lakeland Filler Sealer.

Knots - treat with two coats of Lakeland White Knotting.

Bare concrete floors must be dry, non-dusty & free of laitance & oil or wax. Previously painted floors must be clean, dry & free of loose or flaking paint & free of polish/wax residues - if in doubt clean with a Scotchbrite pad & sugar soap & rinse well. Lakeland Floor Paint will key to most finishes, but a test area is always advisable. Remove dust with a Tak rag.

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#### Painting:

Do not paint in temperatures below 5°C or above 25°C or direct sunlight.

Please check for colour accuracy prior to use as we will not be liable for decorating caused as a result of an incorrect colour being applied.

Stir gently & thoroughly before use. Apply generously with a well loaded brush or a narrow gloss roller.

Floorboards - work along the length of the boards, not across. On floors a minimum of 3 coats are needed.

**IMPORTANT** - use best quality soft paint brushes / rollers; - work progressively along, do not overbrush, do not lay off, do not go back over wet or drying painted areas: do not thin: Allow to dry at least over night (and preferably 24 hours) between coats. Hardening continues for approx 7 - 10 days; avoid wetting & scuffing for this period.

#### Clean up:

Clean brushes and rollers with warm soapy water.

#### Cleaning:

Wipe gently with a soft damp cloth or sponge. Do not use harsh, abrasive or alkaline cleansers.

#### Storage:

This product is water based and must be protected from frost and extreme temperatures. Use within 12 months of purchase. We accept no responsibility for the deterioration of contents or packaging after this.

#### Disposal:

Though water based, please do not dispose of into watercourses. 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:

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water. After contact with skin wash off with water. Keep out of reach of children.

Safety Data Sheets are available on request.