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### DESCRIPTION

ARDEX WPM 265 (Sheltercoat Water Based Primer) is a red pigmented, acrylic primer system which creates a positive bond between the substrate and most water based coatings. Designed principally for internal use, ARDEX WPM 265 can also be used for external applications.

### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- New and old concrete.
- Timber.
- Compressed fibreboards.
- Primer for acrylic coatings.

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### Substrate preparation

The surface to be coated should be dry, clean, sound and free from oil, grease and flaking paint. New concrete should be left a minimum of 28 days and new render a minimum of 7 days before application commences. All cracks or holes exceeding 2mm are to be repaired before application commences.

#### Application

Apply with brush, long nap roller or conventional spray. Ensure that the coating is applied evenly at the recommended coverage rates. Allow a drying time of at least one hour.

### LIMITATIONS

Do not apply ARDEX WPM 265 if the temperature is below 10°C or above 35°C.

Primed surfaces should preferably be overcoated within the same day of application to avoid intercoat contamination.

### COVERAGE

Approximately 6 m<sup>2</sup>/litre. Coverage rate may vary depending on the porosity of the surface.

### PACKAGING

20L plastic pails.

### CLEAN UP

Clean all equipment in fresh water immediately after use.

### SHELF LIFE

One year in unopened containers stored at 20°C.

### STORAGE

ARDEX WPM 265 must be stored above 6°C.

### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

ARDEX WPM 265 is non-toxic. Avoid contact with skin and inhalation of the vapour. Wear protective eye/face protection and gloves when handling. Provide adequate ventilation. Wash off splashes with clean water. If irritation persists, seek medical advice.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IS LISTED IN THE MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET.

### TECHNICAL DATA

VOC content 11g/L

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