

# Topaz SG Emulsion

## Product characteristics

### Description

Topaz SG Emulsion is a best in class high quality acrylic copolymer based topcoat. Engineered with the latest emulsion technology, Topaz SG Emulsion dries to a smooth, luxurious, semi-gloss finish giving surfaces outstanding durability against harsh weather conditions. With excellent opacity, washability, minimum dirt pick-up and unique colour retention properties.

### Recommended use

Topaz SG Emulsion is ideal as an interior and exterior topcoat for walls, ceilings, and partitions where a luxurious smooth semi-gloss finish is required.

Substrates: Concrete, masonry, cement render, gypsum, etc.

### Certificates / Approvals

- Tested and assessed according to standard for Fire Test on Building Materials and Structures; determination of the surface spread of flame of products BS 476-7.

### Features

- Superior opacity.
- Excellent whiteness.
- Outstanding smoothness.
- Excellent washability.

## Product safety

**Flash point** 100°C [212°F]

### VOC content

Legislation	Value
EU	18 g/L [0.15 lb/US gal]
US (coatings)	35 g/L [0.29 lb/US gal]
US (regulatory)	96 g/L [0.80 lb/US gal]

VOC values may vary with shade, please consult the Safety Data Sheet, section 9. According to specific legislation, see details in the Explanatory Notes available at Hempel website, [hempel.com](http://hempel.com) or at your local Hempel website.

### Handling

Handle with care. Before and during use, observe safety labels on packaging and paint containers and follow all local and national safety regulations. Always consult Hempel's Safety Data Sheet for this product along with the Product Data Sheet.

For professional use only.

## Product data

### Product code

587ME

### Standard shade\* / code

White 10000 \*\*

Wide range of colours is available via Hempel's tinting system.

### Gloss

Semi-gloss

### Volume solids

40 ± 2%

### Specific gravity

1.3 kg/L [11 lb/US gal]

### Reference dry film thickness

30 micron [1.2 mils]

\* Wide range of colours are available via Hempel's Decortint system.

\*\* Colour stability may be affected by exposure to chemicals, high temperatures or inadequate ventilation.

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## Surface preparation

### Cleanliness

- The surface must be dry and clean prior to application.

### New build:

- Concrete must cure completely; for 28 days minimum.
- Moisture content in the surface must be below 4%.
- Minor areas can be sanded/abraded to obtain a uniform dense surface profile

### Maintenance and Repair

- Remove dust, loose material and any other contamination.
- Surface imperfections in the substrate must be fixed/filled before paint application.
- Use compatible cementitious repair material for major surface imperfections.
- Apply primer/sealer prior to application of filler.
- Areas with filler to be sealed with primer/sealer.

Consult Hempel's separate Surface Preparation Guidelines for more details.

## Application

### Thinner

Fresh water

### Cleaner

Fresh water

### Application method

Tool	Thinning max vol.	Application parameters
Brush/Roller	5%	Not Applicable.
Air spray	15%	Nozzle pressure: 3-5 bar [44 psi] Nozzle orifice: 0.07-0.086"
Airless spray	5%	Nozzle pressure: 150 bar [2200 psi] Nozzle orifice: 0.017-0.021"

If brush or roller application is used, more coats will be necessary to achieve the specified dry film thickness. Spray data are indicative and subject to adjustment. Pressure is for a material temperature of 20°C [68°F].

### Film thickness

Specification range	Recommended	Low	High
Dry film thickness	30 micron [1.2 mils]	30 micron [1.2 mils]	40 micron [1.6 mils]
Wet film thickness	75 micron [3.0 mils]	75 micron [3.0 mils]	100 micron [4.0 mils]
Theoretical spreading rate	13 m <sup>2</sup> /L [530 sq ft/US gal]	13 m <sup>2</sup> /L [530 sq ft/US gal]	10 m <sup>2</sup> /L [407 sq ft/US gal]

### Application conditions

- Surface temperature must be above 5°C [41°F] during application and curing.
- To avoid condensation, apply on a clean and dry surface with a temperature that is at least 3°C [5°F] above the dew point.
- Provide adequate ventilation during application and drying.

### Relative Humidity:

- Relative humidity must be below 75% during drying and curing.

### Application remarks

- Stir well before use.
- The practical consumption factor may vary depending on application conditions, equipment and workmanship.
- Two coats of the topcoat may be necessary to obtain full hiding power.

## Drying and overcoating

### Product compatibility

- Previous coat: Recommended products are: Sealing/ Priming :  
- Topaz WB Primer, Maestro WB Primer, Maestro Interior Primer
- Filling : Exterior : Contex Exterior filler.
- Interior : Maestro Mastic Filler or Topaz Interior Filler or as specified
- Subsequent coat: None.

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## Drying time

Surface temperature		20°C [68°F]	10°C [50°F]	40°C [104°F]
Surface dry	hours	2	3	1
Through dry	hours	4	6	2

Determined for dry film thickness 30 micron [1.2 mils] at standard conditions, see Hempel's Explanatory Notes for details. Any masking tape used during paint application should be removed while the paint is still in the wet condition.

## Overcoating

Hempel's specification supersedes any guidelines indicated in the overcoating table

Quality name		10°C [50°F]	20°C [68°F]	40°C [104°F]
Atmospheric mild				
Topaz SG	Min	8 h	4 h	2 h
Emulsion	Max	No max	No max	No max

## Drying conditions

- To obtain the drying time stated, it is important to maintain sufficient ventilation during application, drying and curing.

## Storage

### Shelf life

Ambient temperature	25°C [77°F]
Product	24 months

Shelf life from date of production, when stored in original, unopened containers. Thereafter, the product quality must be re-inspected. Storage at elevated temperatures may reduce shelf life. For advice, please consult Hempel.

## Storage conditions

- Temperature must not go below 0°C [32°F] during transport and storage.
- The product must be stored in accordance with Safety Data Sheet, label and local regulations. Keep the containers in a dry, shaded, cool, well-ventilated space and away from sources of heat and ignition. Containers must be kept tightly closed. Handle with care.

## Additional Certifications and Standards

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## Additional documents

Additional information is available at the Hempel website <https://www.hempel.com/service-and-support/technical-guidelines> or at your local Hempel website:

- Explanatory Notes for Product Data Sheet.
- Application methods.

Flash point, tested according to ISO 3680  
Pencil hardness, tested according to ASTM D 3363  
Washability, tested according to ASTM D 4828

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No.	Document description	Location/comments
1.	Technical Statement	One-off specific advice provided on request for specific projects
2.	Specification	Only issued for specific projects
3.	PDS	This document
4.	Explanatory Notes to the PDS	Available at <a href="http://www.hempel.com">www.hempel.com</a> and contain relevant information about the Product testing parameters
5.	Application Instruction	Where available, at <a href="http://www.hempel.com">www.hempel.com</a>
6.	Generic technical guidelines (e.g. on application and surface preparation)	Where available, at <a href="http://www.hempel.com">www.hempel.com</a>

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