

Ceiling Paint

1 component water-based acrylic paint



| Introduction

Alka Ceiling Paint is a premium low VOC ceiling paint that is designed with low splatter properties and dries to an ultra-flat finish. Formulated to provide high opacity cover on all living area ceilings. It is easy to apply, non-yellowing and quick drying. Ideal for use in areas with high illumination, excellent for hiding surface imperfections.

Alka Ceiling Paint is a specially formulated paint designed for use on ceilings. It is usually thicker than standard wall paint, which helps reduce dripping and splattering during overhead application. Most ceiling paints have a flat or matte finish that hides surface imperfections, such as cracks, patches, and uneven textures, by reflecting very little light.

They are also made to provide good coverage, often requiring fewer coats to achieve a uniform appearance. Ceiling paint is commonly white to help brighten rooms and create a clean look, but it is available in other colours as well. It improves both appearance and ease of painting.

| Where it could be used.

Ceiling paint is primarily used on indoor ceilings in residential, commercial, and institutional buildings. It can be applied to ceilings made of plaster, drywall (gyprock), concrete, and textured surfaces, provided the surface is properly prepared. Common areas include living rooms, bedrooms, kitchens, hallways, offices, classrooms, and retail spaces. It performs best when used for its intended purpose—covering and protecting ceilings.

| Benefits

- **Reduces Drips and Splatter** – Its thicker formula makes overhead painting easier and cleaner.
- **Hides Imperfections** – The flat or matte finish helps conceal cracks, patches, and uneven textures.
- **Provides Good Coverage** – Often covers stains and previous colours effectively, reducing the number of coats needed.
- **Minimizes Glare** – Low light reflection creates a smooth, uniform appearance across the ceiling.
- **Improves Room Brightness** – White ceiling paint can make spaces feel brighter and more open.
- **Saves Time and Effort** – Designed specifically for ceilings, making application more efficient.
- **Enhances Appearance** – Gives ceilings a fresh, clean, and professional-looking finish.
- **Specialized Options Available** – Some products offer stain-blocking, mould-resistant, or moisture-resistant properties for challenging environments.

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| How to Apply

Surface Preparation

Use our Primer if you are painting over bare plasterboard, masonry, render, cement sheet, brick, MDF, and interior timber.

Remove all dirt, dust and grease from the bare surface. If some mould or fungus is present on the surface, wash it with a commercially available bleaching agent and then treat with antifungal solution.

Fill cracks and imperfections with a suitable filler and spot prime.

All previously painted surfaces should be sanded to remove loose/flaking paint and to reduce previous film to a flat finish.

Application

Brush, Roller or Spray. Stir the contents thoroughly before and during use. Apply one or two uniform coats with light sanding in between using 220-grit sandpaper.

Dust off and follow with two finish coats. Care must be taken to maintain wet edge when rolling large surfaces. When applying by spray application, back roll when wet to eliminate plaster set joint smooth setting. Do not over roll as glancing light may affect the finished surface.

Thinning

Not recommended unless spraying; Up to 10% of water may be added.

Protect our environment

- Do not wash painting equipment and allow waste to enter drains and water ways.
- Do not dispose of unwanted paint and thinners that will enter drains and water ways.

| Important Notes

- Do not add any solvents.
- Always ensure good ventilation when using Alka Ceiling Paint in a confined space.
- Freshly applied Alka Ceiling Paint should be protected from damp, condensation and water for at least 24 hours.
- If in doubt about the use or application of this product, or further information please contact our Alka Technical Department.
- Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- Wear protective gloves and eye protection during work.
- If skin contact occurs, wash skin thoroughly.
- If in eyes, hold eyes open, flood with warm water and seek medical attention without delay.
- Avoid contact with foodstuffs and utensils.

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A full Material Safety Data Sheet is available from Alka on request.

Technical and Physical Data

Colour	White
Gloss	0-3%
Coverage	Up to 16 m ² /L. Practical coverage may depend on surface profile, method of application and losses.
VOC	<1 g/L
Volume Solids	35%
Dry times	Touch Dry: 30 minutes @ 20°C approx. Recoat: 2 hours @ 20°C approx.
Film Build at 16 m²/L	Dry 17 µm Wet 63 µm
Storage	Minimum of 12 months in unopened containers when stored free from frost in dry conditions between 10°C and 50°C. Component B is classed as non- hazardous for transportation.
Packaging	1L, 4L, 10L.

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