

## Decorative Painter's Exterior Dead Flat Varnish

- Water Base, 100% Acrylic
- Non-Yellowing
- Water and Abrasion Resistant
- Brush, Roll or Spray apply



DP612

DP401

(SCAQMD Compliant)

**Modern Masters Exterior Dead Flat Varnish** is a premium quality, 100% acrylic, non-yellowing, water base varnish formulated to have the optimum level of clarity with the least amount of sheen. It is water resistant and abrasion resistant and offers protection for faux finishes and decorative painted surfaces. *Exterior Dead Flat Varnish* will remove undesirable variations in sheen, created by using semi-gloss base coats with Decorative Glazes and allows the finish to maintain that aged effect. Not recommended for use over Modern Masters Metallic Paint Collection™ or Metal Effects® Reactive Paints.

**Surface Preparation** – The faux finish or decorative painted surface must be fully cured prior to application (approximately 24 hours). If applying over porous surfaces, (such as stone or plaster finishes) dilute the Dead Flat Varnish 10% with water and apply in thin coats until the surface is sealed.

**Note: Not intended for use over oil base finishes.**

**Application** – *Exterior Dead Flat Varnish* can be applied by brush, roller or spray equipment. Do not apply when air and surface temperature are below 50°F (10°C) or high humidity conditions exist. Optimal application conditions are 60°F-80°F (16°C-27°C) and 30%-60% relative humidity. For most applications thinning is unnecessary. Stir thoroughly before use. **Do Not Shake.**

**Brushing:** Use a high-quality synthetic bristle brush.

**Rolling:** Use a high-quality, soft short nap roller.

**Spraying:** Use a HVLP gun, conventional cup gun or airless spray system. If thinning is necessary, add up to 10% (3fl. oz./88.5 ml) of water per quart/946 ml of *Exterior Dead Flat Varnish*. For best results and maximum protection, a minimum of 2 coats is

recommended. For interior surfaces, use **Interior Dead Flat Varnish**.

**Dry Times** – Dry to touch in 30 minutes. Recoat time is approximately two hours. Full cure time is 12 hours.  
**Note:** Thicker film, temperature below 60°F (16°C) and relative humidity above 50% may cause slower dry times.

**Coverage** – Approximately 350 to 450 sq. ft./Gal., 31.5-40.5m<sup>2</sup>/3.78 L.

**Clean Up** – Clean tools, brushes and equipment with warm, soapy water immediately after use. Promptly wipe up spills and splatters with a damp cloth.

### Material VOC

DP612 Contains less than 350g/L. Cannot be sold or used in SCAQMD.

DP401 Contains less than 100 g/L. This product meets SCAQMD Rule 1113-Architectural coatings; Faux Finishing category – Clear Topcoat

These products can only be sold or used as part of a Faux Finishing coating system

**Handling & Storage** – When not in use, close container tightly and store at room temperature. Protect product from freezing and from extreme heat. Do not reuse this container and dispose of empty container properly.

**Health & Safety** –Use in a well-ventilated area. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands thoroughly after use. Do not take internally. When spraying or sanding, use a properly-fitting, NIOSH approved respirator per the manufacturer's instructions.

**Skin contact:** Thoroughly wash with soap and warm water before the coating dries. Individuals with sensitive skin may require gloves.

**Eye contact:** Rinse with clean water for 15 minutes. Seek medical attention.

**Inhalation:** To help prevent irritation, use only in well-ventilated areas. If irritation occurs, move to fresh air. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Seek medical attention.

**Read the Material Safety Data Sheet for Additional Health and Safety Information.**

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<b>Container Size</b>	<b>Container Weight Under</b>
1 Quart	2.5 lbs.
1 Gallon	10 lbs.