

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION & USE

**Armstead Trade Quick Dry Gloss** is a professional quality, non-yellowing, tough, durable and quick drying high sheen finish with good flow and application properties. Suitable for use on interior and exterior wood and metal surfaces.

## KEY BENEFITS

- **Quick drying & non-yellowing**
- **High gloss finish**
- **For interior & exterior use**

## PACK SIZES

2.5L

## COLOUR RANGE

<b>Armstead Trade Exclusive:</b>	19 colours
BS4800:	99 colours
RAL:	45 colours
NCS 1 & 2:	24 colours

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## FILM PROPERTIES

<b>Chemical Resistance:</b>	Resistant to mild chemical fume attack but where there is heavy attack, e.g. actual contact with chemicals, specialist paint systems may be required. (contact the AkzoNobel Technical Group).
<b>Heat Resistance:</b>	Not recommended for use on heated surfaces.
<b>Water Resistance:</b>	Resistant to the levels of atmospheric humidity present in normal interior environments and will withstand repeated washing. Not suitable for use on immersed surfaces or where there is very heavy and prolonged condensation. Suitable for use in normal kitchen and bathroom situations.

## FILM THICKNESS

Film thickness will be dependent on the coverage achieved.

<b>Wet:</b>	65 microns.
<b>Dry:</b>	25 microns.

## COMPOSITION (NOMINAL)

<b>Pigment:</b>	Lightfast Pigments.
<b>Binder:</b>	Acrylic Copolymer Emulsion.
<b>Solvent:</b>	Water.

## VOLUME SOLIDS

Brilliant White 40% (nominal).

## SURFACE PREPARATION

Surfaces must be clean, dry, free from all defective or poorly adhering material, dirt, grease, wax etc. Thoroughly rub down previously painted surfaces, using 'wet flattening' methods where possible, then wipe off with a damp, lint free cloth. Avoid the inhalation of dust. Wear a suitable face mask if dry sanding. Treat knots with a suitable knotting solution. When painting new and bare wood apply one coat of **Armstead Trade Quick Dry Wood Primer Undercoat** (two coats are recommended for exterior use). Prime all bare metal with an appropriate **Armstead Trade** metal primer. For bare plaster and masonry surfaces apply a thinned coat of **Armstead Trade Acrylic Gloss**. When applying water-based paints to surfaces previously decorated with a conventional solvent-based paint, very thorough surface preparation will be necessary.

**Note:** Special precautions should be taken during surface preparation of pre-1960s paint surfaces over wood and metal as they may contain harmful lead.

## APPLICATION



Brush or roller.

As with other water-based paints, do not apply in temperatures below 8°C (as recommended by British Standard BS 6150).

To get the best results from Armstead Trade Quick Dry Gloss system, lightly dampen both a synthetic brush and the surface before application to increase the flow out.

## SYSTEM INFORMATION

Stir thoroughly before use. The normal finishing process is 1 or 2 coats of **Armstead Trade Quick Dry Gloss**. As with other water-based paints, do not use outside when the temperature is below 10°C or outside when there is a likelihood of rain, fog or frost as this will affect the drying process. Newly painted doors and windows should not be closed (tightly) until the paint is fully dry.

## PRACTICAL COVERAGE



Up to 15m<sup>2</sup>/litre on smooth surfaces of average porosity.

## THINNING

**Normal use:** Thinning is not required.

## DRYING TIMES (SINGLE COAT, STANDARD THICKNESS)



**Touch Dry:** 2-4 hours\*  
**Recoat:** 4-6 hours\*

\*Dependent upon temperature & humidity

## CLEANING UP



After use, remove as much paint as possible from brushes before cleaning with clean water.

## TRANSPORTATION & STORAGE

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Do not use or store in extremes of temperature and protect from frost. To prevent spillage, please store and transport upright.

## VOC

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EU limit value for this product (cat A/d) : 130g/l (2010) This product contains max. 85g/l VOC

VOC Content Medium 8 – 24.99% VOCs (Volatile Organic Compounds) contribute to atmospheric pollution

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