



SPECIAL APPLICATION NOTES FOR PEARL AND METALLIC TOPCOATS

BLENDS Pearl and Metallic topcoats are best applied over a coat of BLENDS Standard topcoat #L45050. The clear standard topcoat seals the flaked surface making it easier to control the application of the specialty topcoat.

BLENDS Pearl and Metallic topcoats contain reflective pigments that exhibit dramatic color change when applied at different thicknesses. Roller tracks and brush marks will read differently than the rest of the surface. Because of that effect, a technique using a combination of tools should be used. The recommended process uses the following:

- 9" short nap (mohair) roller
- Polyester sash brush
- 4" foam mini-roller (note: cutting off the rounded tip to square off the end of the roller allows it to be used closer to ceiling and trim)
- Large (clean) damp sponge

Work quickly, maintaining a wet edge at all times. For each segment of the wall use this sequence:

- Cut in the segment with the sash tool
- Roll out the area ceiling to floor
- Using the mini-roller, dry roll the cut in areas as close to the edges as possible
- "Mottle" the surface by dabbing with the sponge. Continue dabbing the sponge several inches into the uncoated area

As you roll the adjoining area, overlap onto the sponge dabbed surface.

Touch up of any holidays should be done with the mini-roller and sponge, feathering into adjacent areas.

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