

FACT SHEET

ADD TEXTURE TO YOUR LIFE

Modern paints and coatings are suitable for many different surfaces. Perhaps not so well known, says the APMF, is a surface coating range which provides a textured finish to virtually all masonry surfaces, whether interior or exterior.

In the hands of an experienced painter, such as a Master Painter, these products, which are available in fine, medium or coarse finishes, can perform many different functions. Practical features of these coatings include:

- excellent resistance to weathering and atmospheric chemicals;
- water resistant with good vapour permeability;
- good coverage of minor cracks and surface blemishes;

- equipment can be cleaned in water;
- paint can be applied with roller or spray (trowel for coarse finish);
- can be tinted from a range of pastel or customised tones.

Limited preparation is necessary, ie, surface should be clean and sound, a primer may be necessary but check the instructions given on the label.

So the next time you are considering what type of finish to use, consult a Master Painter about using texture coatings. Your property, whether a commercial building or your own home, could well benefit from the aesthetic and protective qualities of these coatings.