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#### **1- Product Description**

**Elastex RLX** is a ready-to-use primer that increases adhesion. The product waterproofs the surface while allowing it to breathe. It is a 100% acrylic product that is easy to apply. It will remain elastic and flexible even in cold temperatures.

**Elastex RLX** contains fiber to increase its filling power, but it should not be used for grouting; use **TexNov Elastex** for grouting.

#### 2- Use

**Elastex RLX** is specially designed for roller application to wood (boards, aspenite, or plywood). It is also suitable for drywall, masonry, stucco, and concrete.

It can be applied to walls, floors, stairs, and porches. It prevents delamination due to puddles on plywood porches.

#### 3- Coverage Area

For 1 coat: 3.78 L covers  $\pm 160$  sq. ft. (15 m²) 7 L covers  $\pm 300$  sq. ft. (28 m²)

11.4 L covers  $\pm$  475 sq. ft. (45 m<sup>2</sup>)

#### 4- Mixing

**Elastex RLX** can be diluted with water to facilitate application. Maximum 200 mL of water per 3.78 L container. Mix the product with a drill with a corrosion-resistant bit before use. Care must be taken to avoid introducing air into the product during mixing.

#### **5- Application**

#### **Temporary Protection:**

It is important to ensure that the surface to be coated is not covered with any product (sealant, paint, epoxy, etc.) that would affect adhesion.

#### **Surface Preparation:**

The surface of the substrate on which *Elastex RLX* is applied must be dry, clean, and free of dust, wax, grease, oil, rust, or any other dirt that could reduce adhesion before application.

Clean with TexNov Surface Preparer. Rinse thoroughly and let the surface dry for 48 hours. Trowel your joints with TexNov Elastex.

#### **Product Application:**

During product application: The ambient air and temperature must be between 5°C (41°F) and 40°C (104°F) and must remain

so for a minimum of 24 hours. There must be no rain for 6 to 8 hours after application. The substrate must have a maximum humidity of 12%.

Apply a coat of *Elastex RLX* to the surface. Use a brush or roller with a 10 mm nap. The product is thick, apply some pressure on the roller to make it penetrate.

#### Drying:

Allow the surface to dry for 24 hours.

Drying time depends on air temperature, wind, and relative humidity. Under normal drying conditions: 20°C (68°F) and 50% R.H.

#### 6- Cleaning

Tools used to apply *Elastex RLX* can be cleaned with water while the product is still wet.

#### 7- Product Storage:

**Elastex RLX** must be stored in its original container at a temperature of 5°C (41°F) to 40°C (104°F) in a dry place away from sunlight. Store away from frost. The product has a shelf life of 2 years.

#### **8- Transport Conditions:**

Regulatory Name: Not applicable. TDG Classification: Not regulated.

Note: This product does not require any special measures for international transport.

#### 9- Personal Protection

When using *Elastex RLX*, it is recommended to wear the following safety equipment:

- Safety glasses or goggles
- Chemical-resistant gloves
- Long sleeves and/or protective rubber clothing

#### 10- Quality Control

Manufactured products undergo rigorous quality control during and after the manufacturing process.

To learn more about the performance of *Elastex RLX*, consult TexNov's technical department.

