

## Interior Finishing and Background preparation

### Prependuit and Decofond

Concrete blocks, plasterboards, wooden boards, cement plasters, bricks, tiles etc. can be prepared with PREPENDUIT applied DIRECTLY to the background to obtain a surface to which a finishing coat/s is applied (normally a coloured finish with Color Chausable in its medium, fine or extra fine granulometry), depending on the texture required. A traditional lime plaster can also be applied on Prependuit. See **ONE COAT USER GUIDE**

On the same surfaces DECOFOND is used as a preparation coat for lime washes or fine coat finishes (for example stucco and marmorino). These can be applied directly on DECOFOND.



Applying Prependuit on different backgrounds (plasterboards+smooth cement+timber board)



Prependuit on chases.

Deep chases should be partially filled (max. 20mm at the time)



Chase area, finished



Prependuit detail



Plastering directly on tiles



Smooth Plaster on tiles: 1st coat  
Prependuit, 2nd coat, Colour chausable F  
smooth finish with Col. Chausable EF.

### **Lime Paints**

These are traditional lime washes to which 5% SBR has been added for longer life and less powdering. In new build or on refurbishing these are best applied on a lime undercoat applied directly on the surface prepared with DECOFOND.



### **Polished finishes**

Stucco, marmorino finishes are beautiful finishes, easily obtained with DECOLISS on a background prepared with DECOFOND. If a straightening coat is required use a NHL 3.5 at 1:3 with fine aggregates (not more than 1mm) or EcoMortar F before applying DECOLISS.



A marmorino on plasterboard + Decofond+ Decoliss (no intermediate coat)



Polished stucco on Decofond.

Traditional lime plasters are achievable also in new build. Once completed, they provide a very attractive setting whether painted or not.

The requirements and building materials of contemporary building are however different from the past but by using the St. Astier preparation products it is possible to achieve the traditional style finishes and effects even on surfaces that would normally not be suitable.



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