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INSTRUCTION MANUAL



Model: PRO-977

Product Overview

ROMAN's PRO-977 Ultra Prime Pigmented Wallpaper Primer is a high-performance acrylic primer designed to prepare surfaces for wallcovering and latex paint applications. This water-based formula promotes stripability of wallpaper, offers high hiding power for imperfect walls, and is formulated to withstand double-cutting wallpaper. It is a low odor, zero VOC primer, making it suitable for various home improvement projects. PRO-977 can be tinted with up to 4 oz. of universal colorant per gallon to match your desired wallpaper or paint color.



Image: Roman PRO-977 Ultra Prime Pigmented Wallpaper Primer, 1 Gallon.

Safety Guidelines

• Avoid Freezing: Store the product upright in a cool, dry place to prevent freezing, which can affect product performance.

- Ventilation: Ensure adequate ventilation during application.
- Eye and Skin Contact: In case of contact, flush thoroughly with water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.
- Keep Out of Reach of Children: Store in a secure location away from children and pets.
- **Proposition 65 Warning:** This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

Preparation

Surface Preparation

Thoroughly clean and dry the surface where you'll be applying the primer. Remove any residue, dirt, grease, or old wallcoverings. Repair any damage, such as cracks or holes, and ensure the surface is smooth and structurally sound. This primer is ideal for bare drywall and painted surfaces.



Image: PRO-977 is suitable for new and latex painted drywall.

Mixing and Tinting

Stir the primer thoroughly before use. If the product has separated (a common occurrence with some primers), mix vigorously until a uniform consistency is achieved. A drill-powered paint mixer can be used for best results. The primer can be tinted with up to 4 ounces of universal colorant per gallon to achieve a desired base color for your wallcovering or paint.

Application Instructions

Apply PRO-977 Ultra Prime using a roller, brush, or sprayer. Ensure even coverage across the entire surface. The primer dries to a matte white finish, providing an excellent base for subsequent applications.

How to Perfectly Apply Wallcoverings

1. Prep Your Surface

Thoroughly clean and dry the surface where you'll be applying wallpaper.
Remove any residue, dirt, and old wallcoverings. Repair any damage and ensure your surface is smooth.

2. Prime Your Surface

Priming your walls increases adhesion, improves durability, and creates a protective barrier between the wallpaper and your wall. ROMAN Primer is the ideal choice for the best results.

3. Apply ROMAN Adhesive

Cut your wallpaper before

a paint roller, apply a thin coat of ROMAN adhesive to the back of your wallpaper. Create an even layer of glue by starting at the center of the paper and working towards the edges, ensuring you get enough paste on the seams. Once the sheet has been fully pasted, you can apply the first strip to the wall. Smooth down the wallcovering and remove any excess adhesive or paper.

Image: Steps for applying wallcoverings, including priming the surface.



- No Splatter: Designed for clean application.
- Enhanced Slip: Improves ease of pattern matching for wallpaper.
- Durable: Specifically formulated to protect the wall during double-cutting applications, creating a perfect seam.



Image: PRO-977 primer dries to a white finish.

Drying and Curing

The primer is ready for wallcovering application after approximately 3 hours of dry time. Full cure time is also 3 hours. Drying times may vary depending on environmental conditions such as temperature and humidity.

Cleanup and Storage

Cleanup

Clean tools and equipment with water immediately after use. The water-based formula allows for easy cleanup.

Storage

Store the product upright in its original container in a cool, dry place. Protect from freezing. Ensure the lid is tightly sealed to prevent drying or contamination.

Troubleshooting Common Issues

Product Separation / Lumps

If the product appears separated with fluid on top and thick paste below, or if it contains lumps, it requires thorough mixing. Use a drill-powered paint mixer for several minutes until the primer achieves a smooth, uniform consistency. If lumps persist after extensive mixing, a small amount of water can be added and mixed in, but avoid over-dilution as this may affect performance.

Product Specifications

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Roman
Model Name	PRO-977
Color	White
Finish Type	Flat / Matte
Size	128 Fl Oz (1 Gallon)
Paint Type	Acrylic
Special Features	Tintable, Non Toxic, Zero VOC (per EPA Method 24)
Specific Uses	For priming new drywall, providing white background for translucent wallcoverings, preparing surface for double cutting.
Surface Recommendation	Walls
Indoor/Outdoor Usage	Indoor
Item Form	Liquid
Full Cure Time	3 Hours
Coverage	Approx. 400-450 square feet per gallon
Item Weight	11.3 pounds
Product Dimensions	6.63 x 7.13 x 7.5 inches
UPC	017104103018



Image: PRO-977 provides approximately 400-450 square feet of coverage per gallon.



Image: PRO-977 is a Zero VOC primer per EPA Method 24.

Warranty Information

The Roman PRO-977 Ultra Prime Pigmented Wallpaper Primer comes with a 1-Year Limited Warranty. For specific details regarding warranty coverage and claims, please refer to the official Roman Decorating Products website or contact their customer support.

Additional Resources

For more information on Roman products, application tips, and project ideas, please visit the official Roman website. You can also find helpful guides and videos to assist with your wallcovering projects.



Image: Roman, The No. 1 Contractor Brand, has been providing quality products for over 75 years.

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