

Part 1 General

1.1 REFERENCES

- .1 ASTM International
 - .1 ASTM C475/C475M-15, Standard Specification for Joint Compound and Joint Tape for Finishing Gypsum Board.
 - .2 ASTM C645-14, Non-Structural Steel Framing Members.
 - .3 ASTM C754-15, Standard Specification for Installation of Steel Framing Members to Receive Screw-Attached Gypsum Panel Products.
 - .4 ASTM C840-13, Standard Specification for Application and Finishing of Gypsum Board.
 - .5 ASTM C954-11, Standard Specification for Steel Drill Screws for the Application of Gypsum Panel Products or Metal Plaster Bases to Steel Studs From 0.033 in. (0.84 mm) to 0.112 in. (2.84 mm) in Thickness.
 - .6 ASTM C1002-14, Standard Specification for Steel Self-Piercing Tapping Screws for the Application of Gypsum Panel Products or Metal Plaster Bases to Wood Studs or Steel Studs.
 - .7 ASTM C1047-14a, Standard Specification for Accessories for Gypsum Wallboard and Gypsum Veneer Base.
 - .8 ASTM C1396/C1396M-06a, Standard Specification for Gypsum Wallboard.
- .2 Gypsum Association (GA)
 - .1 GA-214-15, Recommended Levels of Finish for Gypsum Board, Glass Mat, and Fiber-Reinforced Gypsum Panels.
 - .2 GA-216-13, Application and Finishing of Gypsum Panel Products.
- .3 Underwriters' Laboratories of Canada (ULC)
 - .1 CAN/ULC S102-07, Standard Method of Fire Endurance Tests of Building Construction and Materials.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- .1 Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Product Data:
 - .1 Submit manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for gypsum board assemblies; include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish, and limitations.

1.3 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- .1 Conform to applicable code for fire rated assemblies in conjunction with Section 09 22 16 as follows:
 - .1 Fire resistance classifications to CAN/ULC S102.

- .2 Fire rated Design Assembly No. as listed on Drawings.

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- .1 Deliver, store, and handle materials in accordance with Section 01 61 00 - Common Product Requirements and with manufacturer's written instructions.
- .2 Deliver materials to site in original packaging, labelled with manufacturer's name and identification.
- .3 Storage and Handling Requirements:
 - .1 Store gypsum board assemblies materials level off ground and indoors and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations in clean, dry, well-ventilated area.
 - .2 Store and protect gypsum board assemblies from nicks, scratches, and blemishes.
 - .3 Protect from weather, elements and damage from construction operations.
 - .4 Handle gypsum boards to prevent damage to edges, ends or surfaces.
 - .5 Replace defective or damaged materials with new.

1.5 AMBIENT CONDITIONS

- .1 Maintain temperature 10°C minimum, 21°C maximum for 48 hours prior to and during application of gypsum boards and joint treatment, and for 48 hours minimum after completion of joint treatment.
- .2 Apply board and joint treatment to dry, frost-free surfaces.
- .3 Ventilate building spaces as required to remove excess moisture that would prevent drying of joint treatment material immediately after its application.

Part 2 Products

2.1 MATERIALS

- .1 Standard gypsum board: ASTM C1396/C1396M, Type X, thickness as shown on Drawings, 1200 mm wide x maximum practical length, ends square cut, edges square.
- .2 Zinc coated steel sheet: 0.6 mm (24 gauge) minimum thickness, commercial quality to ASTM A653/A653M, with Z275 (G90) designation zinc coating.
- .3 Steel drill screws: ASTM C1002.
- .4 Casing beads, corner beads: To ASTM C1047, metal, zinc-coated by hot-dip process, 0.5 mm base thickness, perforated flanges, one piece length per location.
- .5 Sealants: In accordance with Section 07 92 00 - Joint Sealants.
- .6 Joint tape: ASTM C475, 52 mm wide fibre paper tape.

- .7 Joint compound: ASTM C475, asbestos-free.

2.2 FRAMING MATERIALS

- .1 Studs and Tracks: As specified in Section 09 22 16.
- .2 Furring, framing, and accessories: ASTM C645.
- .3 Anchorage to substrate: Tie wire, nails, screws, and other metal supports, of type and size to suit application, and to rigidly secure materials in place.
 - .1 Tie wire: To ASTM C754.
 - .2 Hangers: To ASTM C754, galvanized.

Part 3 Execution

3.1 EXAMINATION

- .1 Verify conditions of substrates are acceptable for installation of gypsum board assemblies in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
 - .1 Visually inspect substrate.
 - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions.
 - .3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied.

3.2 ERECTION

- .1 Apply and finish gypsum board to ASTM C840 or GA-216 except where specified otherwise.

3.3 APPLICATION

- .1 Apply gypsum board after bucks, anchors, blocking, electrical work, and mechanical work have been approved.
- .2 Apply single layer standard gypsum board in most economical direction, with ends and edges occurring over firm bearing.
- .3 Install fire rated gypsum board in accordance with applicable ULC design number.
- .4 Install gypsum board with face side out.
- .5 Do not install damaged or damp boards.
- .6 Locate edge or end joints over supports. Stagger vertical joints over different studs on opposite sides of wall.

3.4 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

- .1 Erect accessories straight, plumb or level, rigid and at proper plane. Use full length pieces where practical. Make joints tight, accurately aligned and rigidly secured. Mitre and fit corners accurately, free from rough edges.

- .2 Install casing beads where gypsum board butts against surfaces having no trim concealing junction and where indicated. Seal joints with sealant.
- .3 Splice corners and intersections together and secure to each member with 3 screws.
- .4 Install access doors to electrical and mechanical fixtures as specified in their respective sections.
 - .1 Rigidly secure frames to furring or framing systems.
- .5 Finish joints with joint system consisting of joint compound, joint tape, and taping compound installed according to manufacturer's directions and feathered out onto panel faces.
- .6 Place corner beads at external corners.
 - .1 Use longest practical length.
 - .2 Place edge trim where gypsum board abuts dissimilar materials.
- .7 Finish gypsum board walls and ceilings to following levels in accordance with GA-214:
 - .1 Level 4: embed tape for joints and interior angles in joint compound and apply three separate coats of joint compound over joints, angles, fastener heads and accessories; surfaces smooth and free of tool marks and ridges.
- .8 Finish corner beads and trim as required with two coats of joint compound and one coat of taping compound, feathered out onto panel faces.
- .9 Fill screw head depressions with joint and taping compounds to bring flush with adjacent surface of gypsum board to be invisible after surface finish is completed.
- .10 Sand lightly to remove burred edges and other imperfections. Avoid sanding adjacent surface of board.
- .11 Completed installation to be smooth, level or plumb, free from waves and other defects and ready for surface finish.

3.5 TOLERANCES

- .1 Maximum variation of finished gypsum board surface from true flatness: 3 mm in 3 m, in any direction.

3.6 CLEANING

- .1 Progress Cleaning: Clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning. Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
- .2 Final Cleaning: Upon completion, remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
- .3 Waste Management: Remove waste materials in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.

3.7 PROTECTION

- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
- .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by installation of gypsum board assemblies.

END OF SECTION

Part 1 General

1.1 REFERENCES

- .1 ASTM International
 - .1 ASTM C645-14, Standard Specification for Nonstructural Steel Framing Members.
 - .2 ASTM C754-11, Standard Specification for Installation of Steel Framing Members to Receive Screw-Attached Gypsum Panel Products.
- .2 Canadian General Standards Board (CGSB)
 - .1 CAN/CGSB 1.181-99, Ready-Mixed Zinc-Rich Coating.
- .3 Health Canada/Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)
 - .1 Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS).

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- .1 Submit in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Product Data:
 - .1 Submit manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for metal framing. Include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish and limitations.
- .3 Samples:
 - .1 Submit duplicate 300 mm long samples of non-structural metal framing.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- .1 Certificates: Submit product certificates signed by manufacturer certifying materials comply with specified performance characteristics and criteria and physical requirements.

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- .1 Deliver, store, and handle materials in accordance with Section 01 61 00 - Common Product Requirements and with manufacturer's written instructions.
- .2 Deliver materials to site in original factory packaging, labelled with manufacturer's name and address.
- .3 Storage and Handling Requirements:
 - .1 Store materials off ground in dry location and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations in clean, dry, well-ventilated area.
 - .2 Store and protect metal framing from nicks, scratches, and blemishes.
 - .3 Replace defective or damaged materials with new.

Part 2 Products

2.1 MATERIALS

- .1 Non-load bearing stud framing: To ASTM C645, stud size as shown on drawings, roll formed from hot dipped galvanized steel sheet, for screw attachment of gypsum board.
 - .1 Base steel thickness unless otherwise indicated in drawings:
 - .1 General wall construction: Minimum 0.91 mm (20 gauge).
 - .2 Knock-out service holes at 460 mm centres.
 - .3 Floor and ceiling tracks: In widths to suit stud sizes, 32 mm flange height.
- .2 Touch-up primer for galvanized surfaces: CAN/CGSB 1.181.

Part 3 Execution

3.1 EXAMINATION

- .1 Verify that conditions of substrate are acceptable for non-structural metal framing application in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
 - .1 Visually inspect substrate.
 - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions.
 - .3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied.

3.2 ERECTION

- .1 Align partition tracks at floor and ceiling and secure at maximum 600 mm on centre.
- .2 Place studs vertically at 400 mm on centre and not more than 50 mm from abutting walls, and at each side of openings and corners.
 - .1 Position studs in tracks at floor and ceiling. Cross brace steel studs as required to provide rigid installation to manufacturer's instructions.
- .3 Erect metal studding to tolerance of 1:1000.
- .4 Attach studs to bottom track using screws.
- .5 Co-ordinate simultaneous erection of studs with installation of service lines. When erecting studs ensure web openings are aligned.
- .6 Co-ordinate erection of studs with installation of door/window frames and special supports or anchorage for work specified in other Sections.
- .7 Provide two studs at each side of openings wider than stud centres specified.
 - .1 Secure studs together, 50 mm apart using column clips or other approved means of fastening placed alongside frame anchor clips.
- .8 Erect track at head of door openings to accommodate intermediate studs.

- .1 Secure track to studs at each end, in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- .2 Install intermediate studs above and below openings in same manner and spacing as wall studs.
- .9 Frame openings and around built-in equipment, cabinets, access panels, on four sides. Extend framing into reveals. Check clearances with equipment suppliers.
- .10 Provide 40 mm stud or furring channel secured between studs for attachment of fixtures behind fixtures attached to steel stud partitions.
- .11 Install steel studs or furring channel between studs for attaching electrical and other boxes.
- .12 Extend partitions to ceiling height except where noted otherwise on drawings.
- .13 Maintain clearance under beams and structural slabs to avoid transmission of structural loads to studs.
 - .1 Use double track slip joint as indicated.
- .14 Install continuous insulating strips to isolate studs from uninsulated surfaces.

3.3 CLEANING

- .1 Progress Cleaning: Clean in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
- .2 Leave Work area clean at end of each day.
- .3 Final Cleaning: Upon completion remove surplus materials, rubbish, tools and equipment in accordance with Section 01 74 11 - Cleaning.
- .4 Waste Management: Remove waste materials in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.

3.4 PROTECTION

- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
- .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by non-structural metal framing application.

END OF SECTION

Part 1 General

1.1 REFERENCES

- .1 ASTM D638-10, Test Method for Tensile Properties of Plastics.
- .2 ASTM D2240-05 (2012), Standard Test Method for Rubber Property-Durometer Hardness.
- .3 ASTM D4060-10, Standard Test Method for Abrasion Resistance of Organic Coatings by the Taber Abraser.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- .1 Section 01 33 00: Submission procedures.
- .2 Product Data: Provide data on specified products, describing performance characteristics; sizes, patterns and colours available.
- .1 Samples: Submit duplicate samples, 150 x 150 mm (6 x 6 inches) in size, illustrating colour and pattern for each floor material for each colour specified.
- .2 Installation Data: Manufacturer's special installation requirements indicating special procedures, perimeter conditions requiring special attention.

1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- .1 Section 01 78 00: Submission procedures.
- .2 Operation and Maintenance Data: Include maintenance procedures, recommended maintenance materials, procedures for stain removal, repairing surface, and suggested schedule for cleaning.

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND PROTECTION

- .1 Section 01 61 00: Transport, handle, store, and protect products.
- .2 Store resin materials in a dry, secure area.
- .3 Maintain minimum temperature of 16°C.
- .4 Store materials for three days prior to installation in area of installation to achieve temperature stability.

1.5 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- .1 Maintain ambient temperature required by manufacturer three days prior to, during, and 24 hours after installation of materials.

Part 2 Products

2.1 MATERIALS

- .1 System: Nominal 4 mm thick, reinforced, textured flooring system.
- .2 Matrix: Urethane, elastomeric, 100% solids.
 - .1 Components: Isocyanate and polyol.
- .3 Reinforcement: Engineering fabric, fibreglass, woven, 339 g/m² (10 oz/sq yd).
- .4 Top Coat: Epoxy, two-component, 100% solids, general purpose.
 - .1 Components: Amine and resin.
 - .2 Colour: Steel grey.
- .5 Texture aggregate: #3 silica.
- .6 Flooring: Conform to the following:

Property	ASTM Standard	Test Result
Tensile Strength	D638	16 N/mm ² (2300 psi)
Hardness	D2240, Shore D	85
Abrasion Resistance	D4060, CS-17	Maximum weight loss 0.06 g

2.2 ACCESSORIES

- .1 Cove base: 100 mm (4 inches) high.
- .2 Subfloor Filler: Type recommended by flooring material manufacturer.
- .3 Primers and Adhesives: Waterproof; types recommended by flooring manufacturer.

Part 3 Execution

3.1 EXAMINATION

- .1 Verify existing conditions before starting work.
- .2 Verify that surfaces are smooth and flat with maximum variation of 6 mm in 3 m (1/4 inch in 10 ft) and are ready to receive work.
 - .1 Verify concrete floors are dry to manufacturer's recommended moisture content, and exhibit negative alkalinity, carbonization, or dusting.
 - .2 Verify floor and lower wall surfaces are free of substances that may impair adhesion of new adhesive and finish materials.

3.2 PREPARATION

- .1 Remove sub-floor ridges and bumps. Fill low spots, cracks, joints, holes, and other defects with sub-floor filler.
- .2 Apply, trowel, and float filler to achieve smooth, flat, hard surface. Grind irregularities above the surface level. Prohibit traffic until filler is cured.
- .3 Vacuum clean substrate.
- .4 Apply primer.

3.3 INSTALLATION - FLOORING

- .1 Install flooring to manufacturer instructions.
- .2 Apply to thickness of 4 mm (5/32 inch).
- .3 Finish to smooth level surface.
- .4 Cove at vertical surfaces.

3.4 PROTECTION OF FINISHED WORK

- .1 Prohibit traffic on floor finish for 48 hours after installation.
- .2 Barricade area to protect flooring until cured.

END OF SECTION

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1.1 REFERENCES

- .1 Department of Justice Canada (Jus)
 - .1 Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA), 1999, c. 33.
- .2 Health Canada / Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)
 - .1 Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS).
- .3 Master Painters Institute (MPI)
 - .1 MPI Architectural Painting Specifications Manual, 2014.
 - .2 MPI Maintenance Repainting Manual, 2015.
 - .3 MPI Approved Products List, 2016.
- .4 National Fire Code of Canada 2015.
- .5 Transport Canada (TC)
 - .1 Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act (TDGA), 1992, c. 34.

1.2 SCHEDULING

- .1 Submit work schedule for various stages of painting to Departmental Representative for review. Submit schedule minimum of 48 hours in advance of proposed operations.
- .2 Obtain written authorization from Departmental Representative for changes in work schedule.
- .3 Schedule painting operations to prevent disruption of occupants.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- .1 Submittals in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Product Data:
 - .1 Submit product data and instructions for each paint and coating product to be used.
 - .2 Submit product data for the use and application of paint thinner.
 - .3 Submit Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS). Indicate VOCs during application.
 - .4 Certificates: submit certificates signed by manufacturer certifying that materials comply with specified performance characteristics and physical properties.
 - .5 Manufacturer's Instructions:
 - .1 Submit manufacturer's application instructions.

- .6 Closeout Submittals: Submit maintenance data for incorporation into manual specified in Section 01 78 00 - Closeout Submittals include following:
 - .1 Product name, type and use.
 - .2 Manufacturer's product number.
 - .3 Colour numbers.

1.4 MAINTENANCE

- .1 Extra Materials:
 - .1 Deliver to extra materials from same production run as products installed. Package products with protective covering and identify with descriptive labels. Comply with Section 01 78 00 - Closeout Submittals.
 - .2 Quantity: provide one – 4 litre can of each type and colour of primer and finish coating. Identify colour and paint type in relation to established colour schedule and finish system.
 - .3 Delivery, storage and protection: comply with Departmental Representative requirements for delivery and storage of extra materials.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- .1 Packing, Shipping, Handling and Unloading:
 - .1 Pack, ship, handle and unload materials in accordance with Section 01 61 00 - Common Product Requirements and manufacturer's written instructions.
- .2 Acceptance at Site:
 - .1 Identify products and materials with labels indicating:
 - .1 Manufacturer's name and address.
 - .2 Type of paint or coating.
 - .3 Compliance with applicable standard.
 - .4 Colour number in accordance with established colour schedule.
- .3 Remove damaged, opened and rejected materials from site.
- .4 Storage and Protection:
 - .1 Provide and maintain dry, temperature controlled, secure storage.
 - .2 Store materials and supplies away from heat generating devices.
 - .3 Store materials and equipment in well-ventilated area within temperature range 7°C to 30°C.
- .5 Store temperature sensitive products above minimum temperature as recommended by manufacturer.
- .6 Keep areas used for storage, cleaning and preparation clean and orderly. After completion of operations, return areas to clean condition.

- .7 Remove paint materials from storage only in quantities required for same day use.
- .8 Fire Safety Requirements:
 - .1 Provide one 9 kg dry chemical fire extinguisher adjacent to storage area.
 - .2 Store oily rags, waste products, empty containers and materials subject to spontaneous combustion in ULC approved, sealed containers and remove from site daily.
 - .3 Handle, store, use and dispose of flammable and combustible materials in accordance with National Fire Code of Canada requirements.
- .9 Waste Management and Disposal:
 - .1 Remove waste materials in accordance with Section 01 74 21 - Construction/Demolition Waste Management and Disposal.
 - .2 Handle and dispose of hazardous materials in accordance with CEPA, TDGA, Regional and Municipal regulations.
 - .3 Ensure emptied containers are sealed and stored safely.
 - .4 Unused paint materials must be disposed at official hazardous material collections site as approved by Departmental Representative.
 - .5 Paint, stain and wood preservative finishes and related materials (thinners, and solvents) are regarded as hazardous products and are subject to regulations for disposal. Information on these controls can be obtained from Provincial Ministries of Environment and Regional levels of Government.
 - .6 Material that cannot be reused is to be treated as hazardous waste and disposed of in an appropriate manner.
 - .7 Place materials defined as hazardous or toxic waste, including used sealant and adhesive tubes and containers, in containers or areas designated for hazardous waste.
 - .8 To reduce contaminants entering waterways, sanitary/storm drain systems or into ground follow these procedures:
 - .1 Retain cleaning water for water-based materials to allow sediments to be filtered out.
 - .2 Retain cleaners, thinners, solvents and excess paint and place in designated containers and ensure proper disposal.
 - .3 Return solvent and oil soaked rags used during painting operations for contaminant recovery, proper disposal, or appropriate cleaning and laundering.
 - .4 Dispose of contaminants in approved legal manner in accordance with hazardous waste regulations.
 - .5 Empty paint cans are to be dry prior to disposal or recycling (where available).
 - .9 Set aside and protect surplus and uncontaminated finish materials. Deliver to or arrange collection by Departmental Representative for maintenance use.

1.6 SITE CONDITIONS

- .1 Heating, Ventilation and Lighting:
 - .1 Provide heating facilities to maintain ambient air and substrate temperatures above 10°C for 24 hours before, during and after paint application until paint has cured sufficiently.
 - .2 Coordinate use of existing ventilation system with Departmental Representative and ensure its operation during and after application of paint as required.
 - .3 Provide temporary ventilating and heating equipment where permanent facilities are not available or supplemental ventilating and heating equipment if ventilation and heating from existing system is inadequate to meet minimum requirements.
 - .4 Provide minimum lighting level of 323 Lux on surfaces to be painted.
- .2 Temperature, Humidity and Substrate Moisture Content Levels:
 - .1 Unless pre-approved written approval by product manufacturer, perform no painting when:
 - .1 Ambient air and substrate temperatures are below 10°C.
 - .2 Substrate temperature is above 32°C unless paint is specifically formulated for application at high temperatures.
 - .3 Substrate and ambient air temperatures are not expected to fall within MPI or paint manufacturer's prescribed limits.
 - .4 The relative humidity is under 85% or when the dew point is more than 3°C variance between the air/surface temperature. Paint should not be applied if the dew point is less than 3°C below the ambient or surface temperature.
 - .5 Rain or snow are forecast to occur before paint has thoroughly cured or when it is foggy, misty, raining or snowing at site.
 - .6 Ensure that conditions are within specified limits during drying or curing process, until newly applied coating can itself withstand 'normal' adverse environmental factors.
 - .2 Perform painting work when maximum moisture content of the substrate is below:
 - .1 12% for plaster and gypsum board.
 - .3 Allow new concrete and masonry to cure minimum of 28 days.
- .3 Surface and Environmental Conditions:
 - .1 Apply paint finish in areas where dust is no longer being generated by related construction operations or when wind or ventilation conditions are such that airborne particles will not affect quality of finished surface.
 - .2 Apply paint to adequately prepared surfaces and to surfaces within moisture limits.
 - .3 Apply paint when previous coat of paint is dry or adequately cured.
- .4 Additional interior application requirements:

- .1 Apply paint finishes when temperature at location of installation can be satisfactorily maintained within manufacturer's recommendations.

Part 2 Products

2.1 MATERIALS

- .1 Paint materials listed in the MPI Approved Products List (APL) are acceptable for use on this project.
- .2 Provide paint materials for paint systems from single manufacturer.
- .3 Conform to latest MPI requirements for painting work, including preparation and priming.
- .4 Materials (primers, paints, coatings, varnishes, stains, lacquers, fillers, thinners, solvents, etc.) in accordance with MPI Architectural Painting Specification Manual "Approved Product" listing.
- .5 Linseed oil, shellac, and turpentine: Highest quality product from approved manufacturer listed in MPI Architectural Painting Specification Manual, compatible with other coating materials as required.

2.2 COLOURS

- .1 Selection of colours to be from manufacturer's full range of colours.
- .2 Where specific products are available in restricted range of colours, selection to be based on limited range.
- .3 Second coat in three-coat system to be tinted slightly lighter colour than top coat to show visible difference between coats.

2.3 MIXING AND TINTING

- .1 Perform colour-tinting operations prior to delivery of paint to site. Obtain written approval from Departmental Representative for tinting of painting materials.
- .2 Mix paste, powder or catalyzed paint mixes in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
- .3 Use and add thinner in accordance with paint manufacturer's recommendations. Do not use kerosene or similar organic solvents to thin water-based paints.
- .4 Thin paint for spraying in accordance with paint manufacturer's instructions.
- .5 Re-mix paint in containers prior to and during application to ensure break-up of lumps, complete dispersion of settled pigment, and colour and gloss uniformity.

2.4 GLOSS/SHEEN RATINGS

- .1 Paint gloss is defined as sheen rating of applied paint, in accordance with following values:

	Gloss @ 60 degrees	Sheen @ 85 degrees
Gloss Level 1 - Matte Finish (flat)	Max. 5	Max. 10
Gloss Level 2 - Velvet-Like Finish	Max.10	10 to 35
Gloss Level 3 - Eggshell Finish	10 to 25	10 to 35
Gloss Level 4 - Satin-Like Finish	20 to 35	min. 35
Gloss Level 5 - Traditional Semi-Gloss Finish	35 to 70	
Gloss Level 6 - Traditional Gloss	70 to 85	
Gloss Level 7 - High Gloss Finish	More than 85	

.2 Gloss level ratings of painted surfaces as indicated.

2.5 INTERIOR PAINTING SYSTEMS

.1 Concrete Unit Masonry:

.1 INT 4.2A –Latex, G3.

.1 Coat 1: Latex block filler, MPI #4.

.2 Coats 2 and 3: Latex, MPI #52.

.2 Galvanized metal: Doors and door frames:

.1 INT 5.3B – Waterborne light industrial coating, G5 finish.

.1 Coat 1: Cementitious primer, MPI #26.

.2 Coats 2 and 3: waterborne light industrial coating, MPI #153.

.3 Gypsum wallboard:

.1 INT 9.2A – Latex, G3.

.1 Coat 1: Latex primer/sealer, MPI #50.

.2 Coats 2 and 3: HIPAC latex, MPI #52.

2.6 INTERIOR REPAINTING

.1 Concrete Unit Masonry:

.1 RIN 4.2K – High performance architectural latex, G3.

.1 Touch-up, spot prime: MPI #52.

.2 Coats 1 and 2: MPI #52.

Part 3 Execution

3.1 MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS

- .1 Comply with manufacturer's written recommendations or specifications, including product technical bulletins, handling, storage and installation instructions, and data sheets.

3.2 GENERAL

- .1 Perform preparation and operations for interior painting in accordance with MPI Architectural Painting Specifications Manual except where specified otherwise.
- .2 Apply paint materials in accordance with paint manufacturer's written application instructions.

3.3 EXAMINATION

- .1 Prior to commencing work, examine site conditions and existing substrates to be painted and repainted. Report to Departmental Representative damages, defects, or unsatisfactory or unfavourable conditions or surfaces that will adversely affect this work.
- .2 Conduct moisture testing of surfaces to be painted using properly calibrated electronic moisture meter, except test concrete floors for moisture using simple "cover patch test". Do not proceed with work until conditions fall within acceptable range as recommended by manufacturer.
- .3 Do not commence until such adverse conditions and defects have been corrected and surfaces and conditions are acceptable to Painting Subcontractor and Inspection Agency.
- .4 Assess degree of surface deterioration for areas to be repainted, using MPI identifiers and assessment criteria indicated in MPI Repainting Manual. MPI DSD ratings and descriptions are as follows:

Condition	Description
DSD-0	Sound Surface (includes visual (aesthetic) defects that do not affect film's protective properties).
DSD-1	Slightly Deteriorated Surface (indicating fading; gloss reduction, slight surface contamination, minor pin holes, scratches).
DSD-2	Moderately Deteriorated Surface (small areas of peeling, flaking, slight cracking, and staining).
DSD-3	Severely Deteriorated Surface (heavy peeling, flaking, cracking, checking, scratches, scuffs, abrasion, small holes and gouges).
DSD-4	Substrate Damage (repair or replacement of surface required).

- .5 Where an assessed degree of surface degradation of DSD-1 to DSD-3 before preparation of surfaces for repainting is revealed to be DSD-4 after preparation, repair or replacement of such unforeseen defects discovered are to be corrected, as mutually agreed, before repainting is started.
- .6 Maximum moisture content as follows:

- .1 Gypsum board, stucco, and plaster: 12%.
- .2 Concrete: 12%.
- .3 Concrete Block: 12%.

3.4 PREPARATION

- .1 Protection:
 - .1 Protect existing building surfaces and adjacent structures from paint spatters, markings, and other damage by suitable non-staining covers or masking. If damaged, clean and restore surfaces as directed by Departmental Representative.
 - .2 Protect items that are permanently attached such as fire labels on doors and frames.
 - .3 Protect factory finished products and equipment.
 - .4 Protect passing pedestrians, building occupants, and general public in and about the building.
- .2 Surface Preparation:
 - .1 Remove electrical cover plates, light fixtures, surface hardware on doors, bath accessories and other surface mounted equipment, fittings and fastenings prior to undertaking painting operations. Identify and store items in secure location and re-installed after painting is completed.
 - .2 Move and cover furniture and portable equipment as necessary to carry out painting operations. Replace as painting operations progress.
 - .3 Place "WET PAINT" signs in occupied areas as painting operations progress. Signs to be to approval of Departmental Representative.
- .3 Clean and prepare surfaces in accordance with MPI Architectural Painting Specification Manual and Maintenance Repainting Manual requirements. Refer to MPI Manual for specific requirements and as follows:
 - .1 Remove dust, dirt, and other surface debris by vacuuming, wiping with dry, clean cloths.
 - .2 Wash surfaces with a biodegradable detergent and clean warm water using a stiff bristle brush to remove dirt, oil and other surface contaminants.
 - .3 Rinse scrubbed surfaces with clean water until foreign matter is flushed from surface.
 - .4 Allow surfaces to drain completely and allow to dry thoroughly.
 - .5 Prepare surfaces for water-based painting, water-based cleaners should be used in place of organic solvents.
 - .6 Use trigger operated spray nozzles for water hoses.
 - .7 Many water-based paints cannot be removed with water once dried. Minimize use of mineral spirits or organic solvents to clean up water-based paints.

- .4 Clean metal surfaces to be painted by removing rust, loose mill scale, welding slag, dirt, oil, grease and other foreign substances in accordance with MPI requirements. Remove traces of blast products from surfaces, pockets and corners to be painted by brushing with clean brushes or vacuum cleaning.
- .5 Prevent contamination of cleaned surfaces by salts, acids, alkalis, other corrosive chemicals, grease, oil and solvents before prime coat is applied and between applications of remaining coats. Apply primer, paint, or pre-treatment as soon as possible after cleaning and before deterioration occurs.
- .6 Touch up of shop primers with primer as specified.
- .7 Do not apply paint until prepared surfaces have been accepted by Departmental Representative.
- .8 Sand and dust between coats as required to provide adequate adhesion for next coat and to remove defects visible from a distance up to 1000 mm.

3.5 APPLICATION

- .1 Method of application to be as approved by Departmental Representative. Apply paint by brush and roller. Conform to manufacturer's application instructions unless specified otherwise.
- .2 Brush and Roller Application:
 - .1 Apply paint in uniform layer using brush and/or roller type suitable for application.
 - .2 Work paint into cracks, crevices and corners.
 - .3 Paint surfaces and corners not accessible to brush using spray, daubers and/or sheepskins. Paint surfaces and corners not accessible to roller using brush, daubers or sheepskins.
 - .4 Brush and/or roll out runs and sags, and over-lap marks. Rolled surfaces free of roller tracking and heavy stipple.
 - .5 Remove runs, sags and brush marks from finished work and repaint.
- .3 Use dipping, sheepskins or daubers only when no other method is practical in places of difficult access.
- .4 Apply coats of paint continuous film of uniform thickness. Repaint thin spots or bare areas before next coat of paint is applied.
- .5 Allow surfaces to dry and properly cure after cleaning and between subsequent coats for minimum time as recommended by manufacturer.
- .6 Sand and dust between coats to remove visible defects.
- .7 Finish surfaces both above and below sight lines as specified for surrounding surfaces, including such surfaces as tops of interior cupboards and cabinets and projecting ledges.
- .8 Repaint top, bottom, and vertical edges of doors to be repainted.
- .9 Finish closets and alcoves as specified for adjoining rooms.

- .10 Finish top, bottom, edges and cut-outs of doors after fitting as specified for door surfaces.

3.6 SITE TOLERANCES

- .1 Walls: no defects visible from 1000 mm at 90 degrees to surface.
- .2 Final coat to exhibit uniformity of colour and uniformity of sheen across full surface area.

3.7 RESTORATION

- .1 Clean and re-install hardware items removed before undertaken painting operations.
- .2 Remove protective coverings and warning signs as soon as practical after operations cease.
- .3 Remove paint splashings on exposed surfaces that were not painted. Remove smears and spatter immediately as operations progress, using compatible solvent.
- .4 Protect freshly completed surfaces from paint droppings and dust to approval of Departmental Representative. Avoid scuffing newly applied paint.
- .5 Restore areas used for storage, cleaning, mixing and handling of paint to clean condition as approved by Departmental Representative.

END OF SECTION