



# Prep 'n Size® II With Microban

## 52401

### Product Description:

This white 100% acrylic latex will properly prepare most interior surfaces for wallpaper, foil, flock, canvas backed vinyl, and canvas wall coverings. This one step product bonds to most surfaces eliminating the need for sanding, priming and sizing. The white pigmentation helps hide seams and improve the appearance of thin or slightly transparent wall coverings. It can also be tinted toward the background color of the wall covering with up to 2 oz. of Universal Colorant. Prep'n Size II contains Microban® antimicrobial product protection. This unique additive will inhibit the growth of stain and odor causing bacteria; mold, mildew and other fungal growth on the dried paint film. Microban protection provides an added level of protection between cleanings, but does not take the place of normal cleaning and disinfecting procedures and will not protect users or others against food borne illness. Microban additives are E.P.A. registered for use in paint. For more information visit [www.microban.com](http://www.microban.com).

### Recommended Use:

Gypsum Board, Wallboard, Plaster, Plastic Laminates, Painted Surfaces, Ceramic Tile

### Application:

**WARNING!** If you scrape, sand or remove old paint from any surface, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Carefully clean up with a wet mop or HEPA vacuum. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the U.S. EPA/Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD (5323) or log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).

Surfaces to be painted must be free of dust, mildew, dirt, grease, loose paint, oil, glue size, calcimine, wax, soap, and other surface contamination. Patch irregularities with vinyl patching paste or an appropriate patching compound. All surfaces must be structurally sound before application of this surface primer.

New Plaster - Knife off all nibs and protrusions. Wipe with a clean damp cloth to remove loose particles. Do not sand new plaster until it is primed.

Wallboard, Sheetrock, Gypsum Board - Joint compound should be sanded smooth, but avoid abrading the paper.

Masonry Block - Apply one coat of Mason-Cote® Block Filler 3751 if a denser surface is desired.

Previously Painted Surfaces - Wash, sand or dust to obtain a paintable surface.

Glossy Surfaces - Sanding is not required on properly and thoroughly cleaned hard or glossy surfaces, but abrasion of the surface will increase the adhesion of this product.

Ferrous Metal - Clean, then prime with Larcoloid® Rust Inhibiting Metal Primer

Wood - Seal knots and stains with Prime Choice™ Low Odor Oil Base Primer Sealer or Prime Choice™ 100% Acrylic Universal Primer.

### Architectural Specifications:

- Plaster, Wallboard, Sheetrock, Wood, Previously Painted Surfaces, Laminates, Tile :  
1 coat Prep 'n Size II w/Microban 52401
- Concrete, Non-Porous Masonry:  
1 or 2 coats Prep 'n Size II w/Microban 52401
- Porous Masonry and Block:  
1 coat Mason-Cote® Block Filler 3751  
1 coat Prep 'n Size II w/Microban 52401

### Precautions:

Do not add solvents, oils or colors in oil, or mix with other paint types. Do not use in areas subject to continuous dampness. Do not apply when air or surface temperature is below 50 °F or when drying conditions are poor. Keep from freezing. Due to varied job conditions one full strip of wall covering should be hung and checked thoroughly before wall covering is applied to the entire surface. Do not thin, it can reduce the efficiency of this product. Drying and curing times will be longer when Prep'n Size II is tinted.

### Safety Information:

Keep out of reach of children. Do not take internally. Close container after each use.

### Product Specifications:

**Type:** 100% Acrylic Latex  
**Exposure:** Interior  
**Specular Gloss:** 2 @ 60° ± 2  
**Volume Solids:** 25.1 % ± 2  
**Solids by Weight:** 33.8 % ± 2  
**Vehicle:** 87.7 % ± 2  
**Pigment:** 12.3 % ± 2  
**Dry Film Thickness:** .9 mils  
**Viscosity @ 77 °F:** 88 KU ± 5  
**Maximum VOC:** 150 g/liter  
**Flash Pt °F:** Non-combustible  
**Thinner:** Water  
**Clean Up:** Soap & Water

### Available Colors and Bases:

White

### Available Package Sizes:

Quart      Gallon

(Weight Per Gallon: 9.5 lbs. ± .5 lb)

### Drying Times:

**To Touch:** .3 hrs.  
**To Handle:** 4 hrs.  
**To Recoat:** hrs.  
 (@ 70-77 °F, 50% R.H.)

### Surface Spread Rate:

**Smooth:** 450 s.f./gal.  
**Porous:** s.f./gal.  
 (Spray Application is 50% of above)

### Tools and Equipment:

**Brush -**  
Synthetic, Nylon or Polyester

**Roller -**  
3/8" Nap Synthetic Fiber

**Airless Spray -**  
.017 to .019 Tip