

## FINISH DESCRIPTION

### Counterpointe / Subtle pearlescent color

Pearlescent colorants give Counterpointe a soft, lustrous glow. Counterpointe's pearlescent effect brightens interior spaces giving architectural details a diffused, inner light.

## FEATURES

## BENEFITS

<b>Finish</b>	Pearlescent with finely ground mica particles
<b>Formulation</b>	Waterbase / 100% Acrylic
<b>Colors</b>	Thousands of colors available.
<b>Easy Application</b>	Airless Spray Equipment.
<b>Lead Time</b>	3-5 days for stock colors. 7-10 for custom colors.
<b>Waterbased / Low VOC</b>	Meets all environmental requirements.
<b>Warranty</b>	5 - Year manufacturer's warranty against adhesion failure if product
<b>Class A fire rated</b>	Like all Zolatone finishes, Counterpointe is Class A fire rated.

## WHERE TO SPECIFY COUNTERPOINTE

Zolatone Finishes are designed for vertical wall surfaces yet can be applied to imperfect substrates like Block, Tile, Metal, etc. along with Architectural Elements, Features and Ceilings.

### Corporate Spaces

Corridors  
Offices  
Lobby areas  
Conference rooms  
Cafeterias  
Lunch rooms  
Bathrooms  
Stairwells

### Educational Facilities

Corridors  
Offices  
Lecture halls  
Auditoriums  
Gymnasiums  
Locker rooms  
Bathrooms  
Dormitories

### Healthcare Facilities

Corridors  
Offices  
Waiting areas  
Examination rooms  
Meeting rooms  
Cafeterias  
Bathrooms  
Stairwells

### Other Applications

Theaters  
Exercise rooms  
Pool areas  
Escalator areas  
Elevator areas  
Passenger terminals  
Baggage claim areas  
Parking areas

**Suitable Substrates** / Primed sheetrock (level 5), previously painted surfaces, consistently textured surfaces, ceramic tile, etc. (All substrates must be prepped and primed with un-tinted white primer.)

## SURFACE PREPARATION

Surfaces should be clean, dry and free of dust, grease, wax or other contaminants. Gloss surfaces need to be deglossed or scuff sanded prior to priming and finish application. Stains should be spot primed with a quality Stain Blocking primer before general priming. All primers need to be un-tinted white primer.

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

<b>System Components</b>	Un-Tinted White Primer (Sealing, Bonding, or Other), Zolatone Counterpointe.
<b>Method</b>	Spray only. Counterpointe should be sprayed using airless spray equipment according to manufacturer's published installation instructions. Consult application guide or visit <a href="http://www.zolatone.com">www.zolatone.com</a> regarding proper spray equipment, set up and technique. DO NOT SPRAY WITH CONVENTIONAL SPRAY EQUIPMENT
<b>Tinting</b>	Do not tint primer. Do not tint material.
<b>Thinning</b>	Product is ready for use. Consult application guide or call (800) 765-6699 for details on evaluating and adjusting material viscosity.
<b>Dry Time</b>	Air dry @ 70°F and 50% relative humidity. To touch in 2-4 hours. Full cure in 7-10 days.

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

<b>Coverage Rate:</b>	Up to 110 sq. ft. per gallon depending upon color, pattern size, surface porosity, surface texture and method of application.
<b>Dry Film Thickness:</b>	Average 2.0 - 3.0 mils.
<b>Solid by Volume:</b>	29-32%
<b>Specular Gloss:</b>	Maximum of 15 @ 60° Angle
<b>DOT Shipping Class:</b>	Not regulated
<b>VOC Content:</b>	60 g/L
<b>Solids by Weight:</b>	38-42%
<b>Service Temp:</b>	Min. 50°F Max. 85°F
<b>Flash Point:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Caution:</b>	Protect from freezing. Do not apply when temperature of paint or surface is below 50° F.
<b>Shelf Life:</b>	6 months from ship date

## PERFORMANCE TESTING

A. V.O.C.: Less than 60grams/liter (waterbase acrylic formula)	ASTM-3960
B. ContinuousColor™: Complete integration of color particles within and throughout the paint finish.	
C. Fire Rating: Class "A" Fire Rated	ASTM E-84
D. Scrubability: 4,795+ cycles (to system failure).	ASTM D-2486
E. Abrasion Resistance: 224 mg loss / 1000 cycles / 1000 gram weight.	ASTM D-4060
F. Accelerated Weathering: 500 hours. No chalking or change in film integrity. Very good color retention. Excellent water resistance.	ASTM G-53
G. Stain Resistance: Resistant to the following: catsup, butter, orange juice, soda, vegetable oil, motor oil and betadine.	ASTM D 1308
H. Washability: No Change in Specular Gloss (100 cycles).	Fed Std 141B Method 6141
I. Resistance to Common Cleaners and Disinfectants including: soapy water, liquid cleansers, mild-abrasive cleansers, 70% isopropyl alcohol solutions. Film Not Affected.	ASTM D-1308
J. Adhesion Over Primed Surfaces: Good adhesion.	ASTM D-3359
K. Hardness-Pencil: B	ASTM D-3363
L. Flexibility Test: No cracking of film when bent around a 1/8" mandrel.	ASTM D-522
M. Resistance of Emulsion Paint in the Container to attack by Micro-Organism. No Growth	ASTM D-2574
N. Permeability: 7.5 - 11.4 perms (with SP97 or SP203 primer)	ASTM D-1653
O. Mildew and Fungal Resistance: No growth.	ASTM D-2574

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P. Bacterial Resistance: No growth.	ASTM D-3456
Q. Flashpoint: D.O.T. / OSHA - Not Regulated	ASTM D-56
R. Specular Gloss: Maximum of 15 @ 60°.	ASTM D-523
S. Impact Resistance: Pass: 40 lbs.-in, no visible cracking (over Bonderite Steel Panel)	ASTM D-2794
T. Lifting: Counterpointe can be recoated, painted or covered with sheet goods without stripping.	Fed Std 141B Method 6552
U. Hiding power of paints by reflectometry: Not less than .96 contrast ratio. Passes LEED requirement of minimum .95 contrast ratio.	ASTM D-2805

## WARRANTY

Master Coating Technologies warrants the Zolatone components of this finish system against manufacturing defect for a period of five years from the date of application when applied to a wall surface according to manufacturer's current printed instructions. Manufacturing defect is defined to be a failure of the coating system to adhere to a wall surface when applied according to manufacturer's printed instructions, and does not include subsequent failure or damage caused by exogenous factors such as substrate failure or defect, sharp objects, persons, or acts of God. In the event of a failure resulting from manufacturing defect, the product will be replaced. Master Coating Technologies shall have no obligation to or otherwise participate in labor or other costs associated with replacing the product.



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