

TECHNICAL BULLETIN

Differences Between Gloss Levels

Matt Finishes	Semi-Gloss Finishes
Flat Finish (no sheen)	Significant shine without be overly overt
Faster drying	Easier to clean than matt and satin - will withstand frequent cleaning and water
Does not reflect light	Reflective nature of coating will highlight imperfections if
Hides imperfections and surface defects in timber	timber is not thoroughly prepared prior to coating
Can be difficult to keep clean	Suitable for bathroom and kitchen doors, windows and trims
Suitable for rooms that receive little traffic such as studies	Gloss Finishes

Highest reflective quality

Satin Finishes

Also known as a velvet finish

Most recommended finish

Easy to clean with a light wipe

Use in rooms such as bedrooms, hallways and living areas

Suitable for coating window frames, doors trims and wooden ceilings.

Will highlight the smallest imperfections if timber not meticulously prepared

Can be quite shiny, especially if direct light hits the surface

The easiest surface to keep clean and maintain

The end grain of timber shown best in this coating

Use on windows, doors, trims and furniture for durable finish

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