# BUFFALO

A low VOC, uniquely formulated lime-based acrylic paint. It dries to give a magnificent, distressed-worn leather-like finish.



# APPLY WITH

- Brush "6"
- Brush "4"
- Roller
- Pure Cotton Cloth



# RECOMMENDED FOR

Interior surfaces only. Not suitable for use on substrates where there is contact with water such as bathrooms, kitchen sinks and damp walls.

# TRIBE

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

- Surface must be dry and moisture content of surface should not be more than 10% when measured with a moisture meter.
- Surfaces must be free of dirt, dust, grease, loose particles and flaking paint.
- Surface must be smooth and even to avoid see-through of surface and other imperfections should be filled with suitable wall primer.
- Sanding is recommended for new substrates to remove dirt and cement flashes.

## **APPLICATION**

- It is highly recommended that Tribe Buffalo be applied by a skilled applicator to achieve desired finish and effect.
- Apply 1 coat of Tribe Palette of Africa tinted to the selected Tribe Buffalo colour with a roller to obtain a uniform surface coverage.
- · Allow Tribe Palette of Africa to dry completely before applying the second coat.
- Recoat Tribe Palette of Africa with roller and allow complete drying before applying Tribe Buffalo.
- Drying time of Tribe Palette of Africa shall depend on weather conditions. Ideally 4 hours would be sufficient.
- 2 coats of Tribe Buffalo at the spread rate of 8m²/liter are recommended for a good finish.
- Apply first coat of Tribe Buffalo with 6-inch clean brush creating crisscross patterns and thereby stretching them as far as possible. Allow to dry 4 hours.
- Recoat Tribe Buffalo using same technique as above and allow to dry overnight.
- Apply 2 coats of Tribe Wax by hand and smooth with a cotton cloth at desired spread rate.
- Allow 30 mins of drying time in between coats of Tribe Wax.

# **PRECAUTIONS**

- The air temperature must not be below 10°C and not higher than 35°C. Humidity must not be below 10% and not higher than 85%.
- It is recommended that the surface where products are being applied is not dry during application process, to avoid marks caused by the application tools being used.
- Touch ups are not recommended, apply from corner to corner, or from a natural cut off point to another.
- Finish may show white spots as the product is Lime based.
- Low temperatures and moisture can create 'lime blooming'.
- Use lump-free Tribe Wax.

## IMPORTANT TO NOTE

- Considering the nature of this product, its colour can vary slightly from batch to batch.
- Due to the application technique, the texture may also vary.

# DISCLAIMER

THIS GUIDE IS BASED ON EXTENSIVE LAB TESTS AND FIELD USE. HOWEVER, IF USED UNDER UNSPECIFIED CONDITIONS AND IF APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS ARE NOT FOLLOWED CORRECTLY, THE PERFORMANCE OF THE PRODUCT MAY DIFFER.

FOR ANY FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE REFER TO THE TECHNICAL DATA SHEET OR CONTACT OUR TECHNICAL DEPARTMENT.