

Protectakote Light Reflectance Values

Light Reflectance Values (LRV's) for Protectakote

The Light Reflectance Value or LRV is a measurement often used by interior decorators to determine how bright a surface will appear and therefore how much contrast may be expected.

The LRV for a paint must fall between 0% for an absolutely black surface and 100% for an absolutely white surface i.e.



For example:

- Colour Palette colours fall between 04 and 83
- Most pastels have an LRV between 75 and 83

LRV's for Zest Polyurethane's range of Protectakote and Protectakote UVR colours were determined by Custom Colours using a colour computer and are given below:

<u>Colour</u>	<u>measured LRV</u>
Black	25
Green	31
Blue	35
Brown	40
Red	41
Olive Green	41
Dark Grey	46
Orange	50
Mid Grey	54
Tan	63
Sand	67
Yellow	76
Medium Blue	78
Light grey	80
Cream	90
White	97

These LRV's were determined using smooth standards and are presented as a relative figures only. Although they allow good comparisons between our various colours, the scatter inherent in textured coatings means that there will be some inaccuracies when compared to flat coatings from other manufacturers.

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