Wipe down the surface with a damp cloth so it is free from grease, rust and dirt. Ensure surface is totally dry before painting. (Note: Oil from your hands will cause imperfections in the finished paint)

Sand surface slightly with extra fine P400-P600 sandpaper so the paint better adheres and allows for a smoother finish.

Wipe down the surface with a damp cloth so it is free from grease, rust and dirt. Ensure surface is totally dry before painting.

Mask off any areas that you don’t want painted with good quality painters tape.

Use drop sheets or newspaper to cover surfaces and protect from overspray.

Shake can for at least three minutes after first rattle before use and regularly during use.

Prime before painting to ensure superior adhesion of the paint to the surface. On porous materials the primer also assists in sealing the surface and giving a smoother finish.

For an ultra durable finish, coat with Dulux Duramax Clear Coat Gloss or Semi Gloss. For items that require wear resistance, coat with Dulux Duramax 2 Pack Clear Coat.*

* Dulux Duramax 2 Pack Clear Coat should only be used on darker paints.

Prevent blocking of the nozzle by turning the can upside down and spraying until clear gas emerges, then wipe the front of the nozzle clean.

Clean up overspray while it is still wet with mineral turps.

Important steps

Refer to icons referenced on each project page and follow the recommend steps to achieve a high quality finish.
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crackle effect

Dulux Duramax
Crackle Effect over 'Endless Dusk'

Dulux Duramax
Endless Dusk
crackle effect

*Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect delivers an instant antique crackle finish. Simply spray the product over a previously painted *Dulux Duramax* surface and watch your item transform into a personalised masterpiece right in front of your eyes.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect White
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Endless Dusk
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Clear Coat Semi Gloss
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper

2. Spray surface with *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Endless Dusk.
   Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Spray with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Apply in one or more light coats, as opposed to one heavy coat. Continue coating until the desired opacity and finish is achieved. For best results wait 2 hours for the enamel to dry before applying *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect.

3. Spray 1 coat of *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect White.
   Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Spray with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Apply *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect in a single coat. **DO NOT** use multiple mist coats. Wait for 3-5 minutes for the crackled effect to start forming. Leave for at least 2 hours before applying a protective clear coat.

Note: *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect must be used over *Dulux Duramax* colours including Metallics to achieve the crackle effect. Not to be used over *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish.

**TIP**
For smaller crackle apply one light coat, for larger crackle, use a single heavy opaque coat. **DO NOT** go back over areas where crackle has been applied more than 15 seconds previously. Practice on a piece of excess *Dulux Duramax* Enamel coated timber to get the desired crackle size before application.

**Available in:**
- White Crackle
- Black Crackle

**Use *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect over different *Dulux Duramax* colours:**
- White Crackle over ‘Gogo Blue’
- White Crackle over ‘Endless Dusk’
- Black Crackle over ‘True Blue’
Dulux Duramax
Black Satin

Dulux Duramax
Grass Court

stencils & spots
stencils & spots

*Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel is perfect for getting creative with stencils. Have some fun experimenting with the wide range of colours to achieve your own design.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Black Satin
   - 1 can *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Grass Court
   - Box cutter
   - Blu-Tack
   - Cardboard or cereal boxes
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan
   - Round items to trace around

2. Cut out circles from old cereal boxes or suitable cardboard and stick onto surface with Blu-Tack.
   Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Spray 2 coats of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Black Satin with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Remove stencils after 20 minutes when dry.

3. Spray shelves and pegs with 2 coats of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Grass Court.
   To help achieve an even spray, slowly spin the lazy Susan to paint all sides. Turn shelves over after 20 minutes and paint other side.

**TIP**
If your peg board is bare timber, lightly sand with P400–P600 sand paper, apply one coat of *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat followed by two coats of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Vivid White Satin.

**Colours used:**
- Black Satin
- Grass Court

*Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel is available in 30 decorative colours.
bright finish

*Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish allows you to reproduce the look of precious metals with ease. Transform usually mundane items around the home into brilliant feature pieces.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish of your desired colour
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan

2. Disassemble all frames, remove glass and lay frames out on newspaper or a drop sheet. Due to the mirror finish of the bright colours, use a damp cloth to make sure the surface is clean and free from finger prints.

3. Spray with 2 light coats of *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish while turning the lazy Susan to ensure you get an even coat on all sides of the frame. Wait for 24 hours before reassembling the frames to allow the paint to harden. The frames need to be treated with care as *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish is very sensitive to touch at all times. Avoid touching the sprayed surface to ensure you maintain your bright shine.

Note: *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish cannot be overcoated with a clear coat.

*TIP*

Like all precious metals, all *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finishes can easily mark. To keep your finished items looking their best, ensure your hands are clean and free of grease and oil when you handle them.

Available in:

- Chrome
- Gold
- Copper Rose
marble effect

*Dulux Duramax* Marble Effect gives you a highly fashionable black or white marble look. This eye catching effect is easily applied to give new life to items around the home.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   ✓ 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Marble Effect White
   ✓ 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Ito
   ✓ 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Clear Coat Semi Gloss
   ✓ 1 roll of good quality painters tape
   ✓ Damp cloth
   ✓ Drop sheet or newspaper
   ✓ Lazy Susan

2. Mask the areas of your tray to stay unpainted with good quality painters tape. Some lacquered timber finishes will need to be primed with one coat of *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat. If you are unsure, it’s best to prime with *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat to eliminate any adhesion issues.
   Once undercoat is dry, apply 2 coats of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Ito following instructions and dry times on the label.

3. To achieve a realistic marble look, *Dulux Duramax* Marble Effect should be applied with quick hand movements from multiple directions and 25cm or more from the tray. Every marble finish will be unique so don’t think too hard about the pattern you are spraying.
   Once the tray has dried, remove tape and spray entire tray with *Dulux Duramax* Clear Coat Semi Gloss.

*TIP*

*Dulux Duramax* Marble Effect is applied similar to silly string. When painting your item, ensure you start the spray off the edge so that the spray is even before it hits your item.

Use *Dulux Duramax* Crackle Effect over different *Dulux Duramax* colours:

- Black Marble over ‘Vivid White’
- White Marble over ‘Black’

Note: *Dulux Duramax* Marble Effect must be used over *Dulux Duramax* colours including Metallics to achieve the effect.
Not to be used over *Dulux Duramax* Bright Finish.
granite effect

*Dulux Duramax Granite Effect* is a textured paint designed to reflect the natural tones and texture of granite.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax Granite Effect Grey*
   - 1 roll of good quality painters tape
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan

2. Place the chord fittings connected to the light in a plastic bag and tape areas not to be painted with painters tape. Place light with opening on the lazy Susan to prevent spray going in the opening.

3. Apply 2 coats of *Dulux Duramax Granite Effect Grey*.
   Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Spray with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Apply light mist coats rather than one heavy one. To get an even textured finish, slowly spin the lazy Susan. Leave the first coat to dry for 1 hour before applying a second coat.

**TIP**
To achieve depth of colour, spray *Dulux Duramax Granite Effect* over a *Dulux Duramax High Performance Enamel* colour. We recommend ‘Ito’ to achieve a darker granite finish or ‘Tranquil Retreat’ for a lighter granite finish.
metallic finish

Dulux Duramax
Metallic Finish
Silver

Dulux Duramax
Metallic Finish
Purple

Dulux Duramax
Metallic Finish
Green

Dulux Duramax
Metallic Finish
Red

Dulux Duramax
Metallic Finish
Blue
metallic finish

Dulux Duramax Metallic Finish brightens any space with its shimmering effect. Use all colours to achieve a bold look or be selective to complement any colour scheme.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

Wipe  Cover  Shake  Prime  Clear  Clean

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   ✓ 1 can of Dulux Duramax Undercoat
   ✓ 1 can of Dulux Duramax High Performance Enamel Vivid White Gloss
   ✓ 1 can of Dulux Duramax Metallic Finish in your desired colours
   ✓ 1 roll of good quality painters tape
   ✓ Damp cloth
   ✓ Drop sheet or newspaper
   ✓ Lazy Susan

2. Pull dolls apart and tape overlapping areas with good quality painters tape to eliminate dolls not fitting back together. Spread parts out on newspaper with openings facing down.
   Apply 1 coat of Dulux Duramax Undercoat to both top and bottom of dolls followed by 1 coat of Dulux Duramax High Performance Enamel Vivid White Gloss on the bottom half of all dolls.

3. Spray the tops of each doll with 2 light coats of Dulux Duramax Metallic Finish while turning the lazy Susan to ensure you get an even coat on all sides.
   Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Spray with smooth, even strokes to avoid any drips.

TIP
Place small items on an aerosol lid to raise them off the table or a lazy Susan so that you can paint right to the bottom.

Available in:
- Gold
- Purple
- Silver
- Blue
- Green
- Red
Dulux Duramax
Diamond Finish
Silver over
‘Lickedy Lick’
diamond finish

*Dulux Duramax* Diamond Finish can be sprayed over any *Dulux Duramax* colour to give a brilliant glittery finish. This sparkle effect is perfect for any object requiring a little more glitz!

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

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1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Lickedy Lick Gloss
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Diamond Finish Sliver
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan
   - Sand paper

2. Apply 2 coats of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Lickedy Lick Gloss. Hold can upright 15 to 25cm from the surface. Use the lazy Susan by turning slowly as you spray with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Apply in one or more light coats, as opposed to one heavy coat.

3. Apply one or more coats of *Dulux Duramax* Diamond Finish Sliver to achieve the desired glitter density.

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**TIP**

Due to the sparkling nature of *Dulux Duramax* Diamond Finish, make sure your surface is as smooth as possible. Sand with extra fine P400-P600 sandpaper if required.

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Use *Dulux Duramax* Diamond Finish over different *Dulux Duramax* colours:

- Blue over ‘True Blue’
- Silver over ‘Endless Dusk’
Dulux Duramax
Frosted Glass Effect
frosted glass effect

Dulux Duramax Frosted Glass is a versatile effect that can update the appearance of glass with ease. This durable coating delivers a semi opaque, matte finish that when sprayed on part of an object offers dimension. Also ideal for glass windows where privacy is needed.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   ✓ 1 can of Dulux Duramax Glass Frosting
   ✓ 1 roll of good quality painters tape
   ✓ Damp cloth
   ✓ Drop sheet or newspaper
   ✓ Lazy Susan

2. Tape areas of vase that you do not want painted. Wipe down vase with a glass cleaner to remove any dust or fingerprints.

3. Use the lazy Susan by turning slowly as you spray. Apply 2 or more coats of Dulux Duramax Glass Frosting to achieve desired look.

TIP
Use kitchen plastic wrap to cover large areas that you do not want to spray.

Available in:
White Frosted
ombre effect
ombre effect

*Dulux Duramax* doesn’t have to be used to spray the entire item. Why not try spraying part of an item to achieve this very on trend ombre effect.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Endless Dusk Gloss
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan

2. Place item on lazy Susan. Whilst slowly spinning the basket on the lazy Susan, start spraying at approximately half of the way up the basket keeping your hand steady. This should be a lighter coat to achieve the ombre effect.

3. Using light even strokes and rotating the lazy Susan, fill in the area from your top line to the bottom of the basket. Due to the texture of a basket, 2 to 3 coats are required to achieve an opaque finish. Remember to leave the top line as a light coat.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

**TIP**

Place basket on a lazy Susan and rotate while keeping your spraying hand still to achieve an even line all around the basket.

Colour used:

*Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel is available in 30 decorative colours.
magnetic chalkboard

_Dulux Duramax_ Magnetic Chalkboard is an easy to use specialty paint that can turn ordinary items into a fun interactive feature. Suitable for entertaining, office spaces or children’s play areas.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   ✓ 1 can of _Dulux Duramax_ Magnetic Chalk Board
   ✓ 1 roll of good quality painters tape
   ✓ Damp cloth
   ✓ Drop sheet or newspaper

2. Tape areas of serving board that you do not want painted. Wipe down board with a damp cloth to remove any dust or fingerprints.

3. Apply 2 even coats of _Dulux Duramax_ Magnetic Chalkboard and allow to dry before removing tape.

_TIP_

As the name suggests, _Dulux Duramax_ Magnetic Chalkboard has magnetic properties which means it can also be used for noticeboards or kids play areas.

Note: _Dulux Duramax_ Magnetic Chalkboard should be cleaned with a damp cloth. Some foods may mark the surface so we recommend using bowls when serving.

Available in:

Black
stainless steel finish
stainless steel finish

*Dulux Duramax* Stainless Steel Finish can be used on a wide range of decorative items around the home to achieve a durable and stylish finish.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Stainless Steel Finish
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan

2. Wipe down both bookends with a damp cloth to remove any dust or fingerprints. Place first bookend on the lazy Susan and turn slowly while spraying a light even spray of *Dulux Duramax* Stainless Steel Finish.

3. For a durable and smooth finish, apply second coat of *Dulux Duramax* Stainless Steel Finish. Once dry take bookend off the lazy Susan and repeat the process with the second bookend.

**TIP**

*Dulux Duramax* Stainless Steel Finish can also be used to repair scuff and scratch marks on stainless steel appliances.
fluoro finish

Dulux Duramax
High Visibility
Fluoro Pink

Dulux Duramax
High Visibility
Fluoro Green

Dulux Duramax
High Visibility
Fluoro Orange
fluoro finish

*Dulux Duramax* High Visibility Fluoro isn’t just for the worksite. Fluoro colours are the perfect way to make a statement in your home by highlighting a feature piece such as a bowl or basket.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   ✓ 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat
   ✓ 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Visibility Fluoro in your desired colour
   ✓ Damp cloth
   ✓ Drop sheet or newspaper
   ✓ Lazy Susan

2. Place basket upside down on the lazy Susan and apply 1 coat of *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat over the whole basket. Once dry, turn back over and repeat the process on the inside of the basket and allow to dry.

3. Apply 2 coats of the desired *Dulux Duramax* Fluoro Finish to both sides of the basket and allow to dry.

TIP
Spraying *Dulux Duramax* High Visibility Fluoro over *Dulux Duramax* Undercoat or *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel Vivid White will achieve the brightest fluoro finish.
outdoor projects

- Dulux Duramax Terracotta Chip
- Dulux Duramax Gogo Blue
- Dulux Duramax Endless Dusk
- Dulux Duramax Antique White U.S.A.™
- Dulux Duramax Wiggle
- Dulux Duramax Hyssop
outdoor projects

*Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel is durable enough to be used both inside and outside the home and is the perfect way to personalise your next DIY project.

Ensure you complete these steps to achieve the best results. Refer to the Important Steps page on the inside cover.

1. Before you start you will require the following items to complete the project:
   - 1 can of *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel in your desired colours
   - Damp cloth
   - Drop sheet or newspaper
   - Lazy Susan

2. Lay rungs out on newspaper and spray with 2 coats of desired *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel colours. Spray 15 to 25cm from the surface, with smooth, even strokes parallel to the surface. Make sure the sides are dry before flipping them over to paint the back.

3. Place metal planters on newspaper and spray with 2 coats of desired *Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel colours and allow to dry before assembling planters with ladder.

**TIP**
Enjoy the perfect spray result every time with *Dulux Duramax* platinum spray caps. Available in 4 different sizes, each tip provides varied spray widths which is perfect for when you have different sized objects to be sprayed.

Colours used:
- Terracotta Chip
- Wiggle
- Gogo Blue
- Antique White
- Hyssop

*Dulux Duramax* High Performance Enamel is available in 30 decorative colours.
Dulux Duramax
Crackle Effect Black over 'Vivid White'

Dulux Duramax
Granite Effect Light Grey

Dulux Duramax
Appliance White

Dulux Duramax
Tranquil Retreat

Dulux Duramax
Terracotta Chip

more inspiration
Dulux Duramax
Bright Finish
Copper Rose

Dulux Duramax
Black Satin

Dulux Duramax
Marble Black over Duramax Ito Gloss

Dulux Duramax
Granite Light Grey over Dulux Duramax Vivid White

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*Dulux Duramax dries ten times faster than alkyd based spray paint.

*Some plastics like polyethylene do not allow for paint adhesion even with primers. Test the plastic projects in an inconspicuous area first.

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