



**GENERATION<sup>LX</sup>**  
**LIFETIME EXTERIOR 100% ACRYLIC**  
**LATEX SEMI-GLOSS 47 SERIES**

**PRODUCT DATA**

**GENERIC TYPE:** 100% Acrylic Latex

**DESCRIPTION:** This product is our most technologically advanced ultra premium exterior 100% acrylic latex semi-gloss house paint. It provides a high film build, self priming long term durable finish that will adhere to glossy surfaces with minimal surface preparation. Resistant to extreme weather conditions.

**Features:**

- Superior Hiding
- Low Temp Application 35°F
- Algae / Mildew Resistant
- Tannin Stain Resistant
- One Coat Coverage
- Excellent Color Retention
- Lifetime Warranty

**RECOMMENDED USES:** For use on properly prepared exterior wood, masonite type siding, aluminum siding, vinyl siding, galvanized metal, asbestos shingles, cement masonry, stucco, block, and primed ferrous metal.

**COMPATIBLE COATINGS:** May be applied over properly prepared alkyd or acrylic finishes. See application instructions for proper substrate primer.

**Primers:**

- McCormick Interior/Exterior Acrylic Clear Brushing Lacquer Surface Conditioner 01242
- McCormick Interlok Interior/Exterior Rust Inhibiting Acrylic Metal Primer 06449
- McCormick 1<sup>st</sup> Step Interior/Exterior White Metal Rust Inhibitive Alkyd Primer
- McCormick Interior/Exterior Latex Block Filler 01015

**NOT RECOMMENDED:** Do not use on floors, decks, steps, or other underfoot areas. This product is not intended for immersion service, situations characterized by high heat, or presence of corrosive chemicals.

**PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

- **Colors:** Super White, Custom Tints
- **Vehicle Type:** 100% Acrylic
- **VOC/VOS:** Less than 150 Gms/L, 1.3 lbs/gal
- **Volume Solids (Avg.):** 42% ± 2%
- **Weight Solids (Avg.):** 56% ± 2%
- **Viscosity:** 115 ±5 KU
- **Suggested Film Thickness:**  
**Brush and Roll:** 4 mils wet, 1.6 mils dry  
**Spray:** 8 mils wet, 3.25 mils dry
- **Theoretical Coverage per Gallon:**  
300 sq ft @ 1.6 mils DFT
- **Gloss Level:** 50 ±5% at 60°
- **Drying Time @ 77°F & 50% R.H.:**  
**To Touch:** 2 hours  
**Recoat:** 8 hours. Allow additional drying time during humid or cooler weather.  
**Min. Surface/Air Temperature at Application:**  
35°F
- **Thinning:**  
**Brush and Roller:** Up to One Pint of Water per Gallon  
**Spray:** Up to One Pint of Water per Gallon
- **Clean Up:** Clean Immediately with Soap and Water
- **Packaging:** Quart, Gallon and Five Gallon
- **Weight per Gallon:** 11.3 lbs/gallon

**LIFETIME WARRANTY:** McCormick Paints' Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior is warranted for complete satisfaction. Our lifetime warranty is valid when this product is applied to a properly prepared exterior surface according to label instructions. This warranty is effective for as long as you, the paint purchaser, live in your home and is not transferable. Excluded from this warranty is the cost of labor for the application of paint. If this paint fails to perform, present your purchase receipt and any unused product to your McCormick Paints store. Once breach of warranty is determined, McCormick Paints will furnish replacement paint without charge. This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

For the following surfaces, self prime as indicated and finish with 1 or 2 coats of McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior 100% Acrylic Latex Semi-Gloss 47 Series.

### SURFACE PREPARATION:

**Previously Painted Surfaces:** All surfaces must be internally dry, thoroughly clean, and free from dirt, grease, loose paint, excessive chalk, mildew and other foreign matter. Protected areas such as under eaves, overhangs, porch ceilings and upper walls should be scraped and sanded to remove loose and peeling paint. Wash these areas using a detergent solution, rinse and allow to dry before priming or painting. Dull glossy areas by sanding. Remove mildew by scrubbing with a solution that kills mildew, rinse thoroughly and allow to dry.

**Unpainted Wood:** Sand smooth and wipe clean. Seal all knots. Fill all cracks, nail holes, and open joints with exterior wood putty. Sand to remove surface roughness and wipe clean. Apply one or two coats of McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss. Tannin bleeding woods require two coats. For optimum tannin blocking, McCormick Paints recommends allowing first coat to dry overnight before applying second coat.

**Previously Painted Wood:** If surface is in good condition, it only needs to be clean and dry before painting. Cracked, blistered, or peeling paint must be removed down to bare wood. Self prime bare areas and apply 1 or 2 coats of McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss.

**Unpainted Masonry:** Allow new masonry to age 30 days.  
**Brick and Smooth Concrete:** Self prime with McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss and allow to dry.  
**Concrete Block:** Prime with McCormick Interior/Exterior Latex Block Filler 01015 and allow to dry. Apply 1 or 2 coats McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss.

**Ferrous Metal:** Remove rust, surface contaminants, and dust. Prime with McCormick Interlok Interior/Exterior Rust Inhibiting Metal Primer 06449 and allow to dry. Apply 1 or 2 coats McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Exterior Semi-Gloss.

**Unpainted Galvanized Metal:** New galvanized metal requires no priming. Clean factory surface treatment by wiping with clean rags wet with mineral spirits. Old galvanized metal should be lightly sanded, wiped clean and then self primed with McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss and allowed to dry. Apply an additional coat of McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss.

**Aluminum Siding:** Weathered aluminum siding should be power washed clean. Remove mildew by scrubbing with a solution that kills mildew, rinse thoroughly, and allow to dry. Apply 1 or 2 coats of McCormick Generation<sup>LX</sup> Lifetime Exterior Semi-Gloss.

**Vinyl Siding:** Clean surface thoroughly by scrubbing with warm soapy water. Rinse thoroughly and allow to dry.

\*\*Chose a paint color that is similar in color to the vinyl siding that is to be painted.

## APPLICATION:

Always stir well before use. Additives for ease of application or to promote adhesion are not recommended. Do not apply if material, substrate, or ambient temperature is below 35°F or above 110°F. Relative humidity should be below 90%. Apply by brush, roller, or spray. Apply full and generous coats and brush towards the wet edge. For best brush application results, use a quality synthetic filament brush. For roller application, use a ¼" or ⅜" nap cover. For spray application, thin with clean water, up to one pint per gallon if necessary. Keep to the shady side of structure while painting. Avoid painting late in the evening when dew or condensation is likely to form. Do not apply when rain is threatening.

### APPLICATION EQUIPMENT:

- Apply by brush, roller, or spray.
- Manufacturers listed below are a guide. Others may be used. Changes in pressure and tip size may be required to achieve proper application.

### Airless Spray:

Pump: Graco / Titan

High Pressure Filter: 60 Mesh

Fluid Hose: ¼" x 50'

Tips: 0.013" - 0.021"

Minimum pressure to avoid fingering: 2000 psi

### CAUTIONS --- Lead Hazard: WARNING!

**If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Information Hotline at**

**1-800-424-LEAD or log on to [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).**

**USE ONLY WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION.** Wear appropriate respiratory protection when sanding or spraying this product. To avoid breathing vapors or spray mist, open windows and doors or use other means to ensure fresh air entry during application and drying. If you experience eye watering, headaches or dizziness, wear respiratory protection (NIOSH/MSHA TC23C or equivalent) or leave the area. Avoid contact with eyes and skin.

**First Aid:** If you experience difficulty in breathing, leave the area to obtain fresh air. If continued difficulty is experienced, get medical assistance immediately. In case of eye contact, flush immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention; for skin, wash thoroughly with soap and water. If swallowed, get medical attention immediately.

**CONTAINER LABELING COMPLIES WITH APPLICABLE STATE RIGHT-TO-KNOW ACTS.** For additional safety and health information, please refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS).

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