

## SPECIFICATION DATA SHEET - AXOLOTL PAINT VOC Levels For the information of Specifiers and Trades

## **Volatile Organic Compounds**

VOC's or Volatile Organic Compounds are common term and measure in the paint industry, used to measure environmental effect. 'Organic Compounds' are chemicals that are built on carbon and 'Volatile' is currently accepted in most countries as a boiling point of less than 250°C. The debate around VOC's is a political one and has led to exemptions and inclusions which are different in different countries, and often inconsistent. Some measured alcohols are shorter lived in the atmosphere and less damaging than other excluded alcohols such as acetone. In Australia, acetone - which is an organic compound - and whose boiling point is considerably lower than 250°C is not classified as a VOC while ammonia which is not an organic compound is classified as a VOC.

The table below shows our declared results based on the current VOC testing requirements in Australia and are provided to help consumers choose the product with the best environmental outcome.

AXOLOTL PRODUCT	VOC LEVEL
Chroma Flat	<38g/Litre
Chroma Low Sheen	<38g/Litre
Chroma Satin	<52g/Litre
Chroma Gloss	<54g/Litre
Metta	<10g/Litre
Micaceous	<49g/Litre
Timberwash Interior	<13g/Litre
Timberwash Exterior	<22g/Litre
Cement Paint	<0g/Litre
Rust Paint - Base	<19.1g/Litre
Rust Paint - Age	<19.3g/Litre
Rust Paint - Seal	<19.1g/Litre
Primer	<52g/Litre
Metal Primer	<49g/Litre
Clear Primer	<4g/Litre
Clear Acrylic Sealer	<13g/Litre
Urethane Sealer	<69g/Litre

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