



## Tips for Tinting DuraTex<sup>®</sup> to Custom Colors

DuraTex<sup>®</sup> is a water based coating so any tint that is added will need to be tint that is compatible with water based paints. Some colors may cause the DuraTex<sup>®</sup> to be thinned down slightly & some may cause the DuraTex<sup>®</sup> to thicken slightly. Both of these situations are fine and will not affect the performance of the product. If you desire to thin down DuraTex<sup>®</sup> please **do NOT add any more than 5% of water in proportion to the amount of DuraTex<sup>®</sup>** or you will completely change the composition of the DuraTex<sup>®</sup>.

### **Ultra Deep Tint Base DuraTex<sup>®</sup>:**

This is what the "Deep" & "Ultra Deep" (darker) colors are tinted from. If a "Deep" color is required, white colorant will most likely need to be added to the straight "Deep Tint Base" formula to lighten the color. We suggest adding small amounts of white colorant at a time to creep up on the color otherwise you could blow by it and lighten the color too much.

### **White DuraTex<sup>®</sup>:**

This is what the "Pastel" & "Medium" (lighter) colors are tinted from. We suggest starting with ½ of the formula when tinting from the White DuraTex<sup>®</sup> & then creep up on the color so that the color does not come out too dark.

Certain colors may require slightly more time to dry than the Black or White DuraTex<sup>®</sup> depending on the colorants that are added to the product.

Please feel free to contact us by phone or email if you have any further questions or if you require any additional information.

Good luck with your project!