

Dulux Trade Bulk Packaging Solution





Background

Decorative finishes are an essential part of any project and help to preserve, protect and decorate substrates. Traditionally decorative coatings are delivered in 5 or 10 litre packs. On large projects this can lead to large numbers of empty cans requiring disposal. Several decorative merchants, including Dulux Decorator Centres, offer can recycling schemes that ensure responsible and cost effective waste disposal.

However, to continue reducing their environmental impact AkzoNobel, makers of Dulux Trade, recently provided S Lucas team (Dulux Trade Contractor Partner) with bulk packaging solution as part of their total decorative package at one of Sir Robert McAlpine's projects - Bloomberg London.

The Challenge

Emulsion paint is generally delivered in convenient 10 litre plastic packs weighing circa 450 grams.

However, for large projects this can create a high number of empty cans on site that require disposal.

Merchant recycling programmes enable cost effective & responsible disposal but require on-site storage of empty containers and regular reverse logistics.

The Solution

Bulk packaging solutions use much thinner plastic liners encapsulated in robust and reuseable metal containers. This can reduce waste packaging by up to 90%.

The 500L containers can be moved around site providing a store of paint where you need it. The paint can be directly decanted into scuttles via a bulge pump.

The unit used at Bloomberg London



More information

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