

Group policies – Product policies

Our guidelines on paint

Paint and timber coatings offer many environmental benefits. They preserve and protect a product and surface from the ravages of the elements and therefore decrease the frequency with which fences, window frames and railings need to be replaced.

However, Home Retail Group acknowledges that the manufacture, use and disposal of paint can also effect the environment in a detrimental way.

Our policy is to:

- Continue to provide clear information about the volatile organic content (VOC) content of own brand paint. All Homebase own brand paint carries a label, which denotes the VOC content of the paint
- Strive to reduce the VOC content of our paint, through product development and make available water based alternatives to traditional solvent based products
- Offer advice about the removal and safe disposal of old and leftover paint.