



## Suede

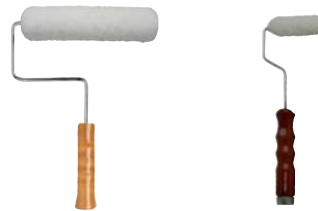
To achieve the elegant look of this unique finish, please follow these simple steps. It will take two coats to achieve the Suede look.

RALPH LAUREN PAINT NEEDED:



RALPH LAUREN OUT-OF-THE-CAN SUEDE TEXTURED FINISH

RALPH LAUREN APPLICATORS NEEDED:



9" UNIQUE FINISH ROLLER 4" UNIQUE FINISH TRIM ROLLER  
Handle sold separately

- 3" Nylon/Poly Trim Brush
- Low-tack painter's tape

### TAPING:

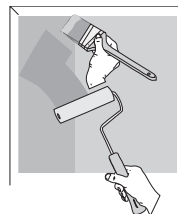
Tape around the ceiling and trim work before applying Suede.

### STEP 1:

#### FIRST COAT: ROLL

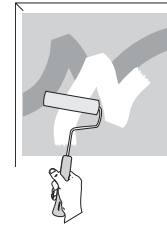
Fully saturate both the 4" and 9" unique finish rollers with Suede before starting to apply Suede to your wall.

Starting at the top corner of the wall, cut in at the ceiling and corner with a brush. Remove any brush lines from the wet paint by random rolling a pre-saturated Ralph Lauren Paint 4" unique finish roller over the cut in. *Helpful Hint:* Cut in smaller sections of the wall to insure paint stays wet for blending.



### STEP 2:

Continue across the wall; random rolling using the Ralph Lauren 9" unique finish roller. Roll on Suede with a fully saturated and heavily loaded roller. A generous application of product is recommended. *Helpful Hint:* A typical roller load will cover a 1-1/2' x 1-1/2' area. Continue to apply Suede down the wall to the baseboard, reloading the roller after each section.

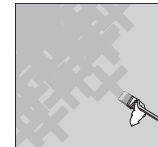


Repeat this process across the entire wall. The first coat will appear uneven. Two coats are required for complete coverage. Allow paint to dry at least four hours before applying second coat.

### STEP 3:

#### SECOND COAT: BRUSH

Starting at the top of the wall, apply the second coat with a 3" brush in a criss-cross pattern of overlapping X's over the entire surface. Your X's should be random and free form, creating a random brushed suede look. Allow Suede to dry before gently removing tape.



If a small area becomes marred, touch up only the affected area with a small artist's brush. Due to the directional nature of the finish, large marred areas will require the entire wall to be recoated.

Not recommended for application on ceilings or textured walls. Suede is best suited for low traffic rooms.

#### RE-PAINTING YOUR WALLS

If, in the future, you wish to paint over the Suede Finish, you do not need to sand your walls. Simply apply a coat of a premium primer and apply your new Ralph Lauren 100% Acrylic Latex Paint or new finish.

# Suede

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