

## Glossary of Terms

The following glossary is a list of terms commonly used in the trade in Alberta and elsewhere in Canada. Individuals preparing for examinations should be familiar with these terms and how they are used in the context of the trade.

Abrasive	Dragging	Lambswool
Abrasive blasting equipment	Drop sheet	Latex
Acrylics	Dry micron gauges	Lead slag
Agitator	Dusters	Lining fitch
Airless	Edging	Litmus paper
Alkyds	Efflorescence	Logs
Alligatoring	Elastomeric	Luster
Analglypta	Electrostatic	Mall stick
Apron	Enamel	Manganese
Architectural drawings	Epoxy	Manuals
Architectural rule	Ester	Marble
Artistic brush	Etching	Marbling
Back-prime	European	Masking tape
Badger	Fall arrester	Measuring tape
Badger blender	Faux	Mill scale
Bleaching	Filling knife	Misprints
Bleeding	Fitch brush	Mohair
Blueprints	Flaking	Moisture meter
Boatswain's chair	Floatation device	Mottler
Broad knife	Flock	Mottling
Bruising	Flogger	MSDS
Can hook	Full body harness	Mud cracking
Caulking	Fume and toxic gas	Muriatic acid
Caulking gun	detector	NACE
Chamois leather	Gilder's tip	Nap
Check roller	Glass bead	Naphtha
Cheesecloth	Goose feathers	Natural bristle brush
Closed grain	Graining-combs	NGR
Cobalt	Grass cloth	OHS
Colorant	Gypsum	Opacity
Colour charts	Hardwood	Open grain
Colour wheels	Hawk	Orange peeling
Combing	HLVP	Paint pad
Complement	Hog	Paint strainer
Corrosion	Holiday detector	Piped overgrainer
Curling	Horse	Pliable
Deadman	Humidity	Plumb bob
Delaminating	Knot	Plural component
Dragger	Lacquers	Pounce wheels

Primary  
Profile gauge  
Putty  
Putty knife  
PVA  
Quarternary  
Rag rolling  
Ragging  
Reflect  
Reflectance  
Residual  
Rheology  
Rocker grainer  
Roller cage  
Roller grid  
Rollers  
Roto-peen  
Rough coat  
Sable  
Sandblast  
Sandpaper  
Scraper  
Sea sponge  
Seam roller  
Secondary  
Sienna  
Silica sand

Silk paper  
Skim coat  
Sled knife  
Sling psychrometer  
Smoothing brush  
Soft wood  
Soiling  
Specifications  
Spirit level  
Sponge  
Spotter  
Squeegee  
SSPC SP  
Steam stripper  
Steel wool  
Stencil brush  
Stencil knife  
Stilts  
Stipplers  
Stippling  
Strainer  
Stripper  
Substrate  
Swing stage  
Sword stripers  
Synthetic bristle brush  
Tack cloth

Tertiary  
Texture spray machine  
Thixotropic  
Titanium dioxide  
Toptone  
Trimming wheel  
TSP  
Umber  
Undertone  
Urethanes  
Varnish  
Varsol  
Vinyl  
Vinyl table  
Viscosity  
Viscosity cup  
Water boom  
Water trough/dams  
Wet micron gauges  
WHMIS  
Zinc strip