

# Dulux® BIM Solutions – Inspiring Creativity



# Bring Projects to Life with Dulux BIM Solutions

Dulux BIM Solutions provides easy to use BIM content and Add-Ins so you can add Dulux colours and product ranges to Autodesk<sup>®</sup> Revit<sup>®</sup> and GRAPHISOFT<sup>®</sup> Archicad<sup>®</sup> models quickly and simply.

Dulux BIM Solutions now supports both BIM authoring platforms of Revit and Archicad and has expanded to now offer material, colour and specification information on over 7,000 colours and product ranges from:

- Dulux Colours of New Zealand®: over 1,000 colours
- Dulux Powder Coatings: Fluoroset,® Electro,® Duratec,® Duralloy,® Precious®
- Dulux Protective Coatings: AS2700, Micaceous Iron Oxide (MIO), Quantum FX
- Dulux AcraTex®: 7 Texture Coatings & Render Finishes, each available in 100 Dulux colours
- Intergrain®: UltraDeck® Timber Oil & *UltraDeck* Timber Stain





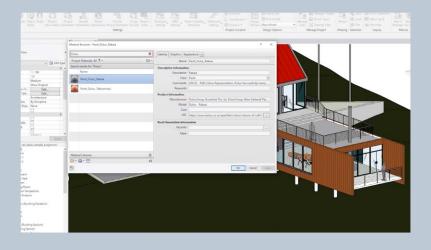








#### **Benefits of Dulux BIM Solutions**



- ✓ Dulux colour and product information automatically generated into Revit & Archicad project schedules
- ✓ Reduces manual entry and data entry errors
- ✓ Saves time
- ✓ Makes choosing and specifying *Dulux* easy!

# **Dulux® BIM Solutions for Archicad®**



Dulux BIM Solutions now offers an exciting new integration into Archicad.

Over 7,000 *Dulux* colours and products from the *Dulux* World of Colour®, *Dulux* Colours of New Zealand®, *Dulux* Powder Coatings, Protective Coatings, *AcraTex* and *Intergrain* ranges are now available for download in *Archicad*. All downloads include relevant material, colour and specification information, reducing manual data entry and streamlining workflow.

Dulux BIM Solutions is available in three downloadable options for an Archicad user's preferences and needs.



## 1. Download All – complete attribute libraries

This function provides quick access to *Dulux* World of Colour® and *Dulux* Colours of New Zealand® colour ranges as well as product ranges, including, *Dulux* Powder Coatings, Protective Coatings, *AcraTex* and *Intergrain*. Access the entire 7,000 *Dulux* materials as a bulk download.



## 2. Colour Group & Collections

Specific colour groups from the *Dulux* World of Colour® and *Dulux* Colours of New Zealand®, as well as product collections from *Dulux* Powder Coatings, Protective Coatings, AcraTex and *Intergrain* can be selected and downloaded as a Colour Group or Collection.



#### 3. Individual Colour & Product Downloads

Download one or more individual *Dulux* colours and product ranges for direct integration into *Archicad*.

# **Dulux BIM Solutions for other applications**

Dulux BIM Solutions colour and product ranges can be downloaded as product images to be used in other applications. These are consistently sized at 2000x2000pixels and represent 500mmx500mm of the product.

The product image download provides a consistent image format that can be used in popular applications:

• Adobe Photoshop • Adobe Indesign • Microsoft Word • Microsoft Outlook • Microsoft Paint

# **Dulux BIM Solutions for Revit®**



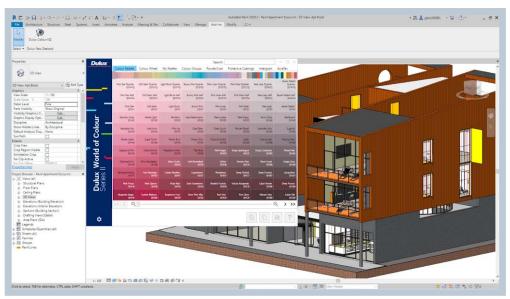
Now available in five download options, designed to cater to a Revit user's download preference needs. And they're FREE!



#### 1. Dulux Colour Add-in for Revit

The easiest way to browse, search and insert the latest range of over 7,000 *Dulux* colours and product ranges without leaving Revit.

The Dulux Colour Add-In now contains material, colour and specification information from the Dulux World of Colour® and Colours of New Zealand® ranges and product ranges from Dulux Powder Coatings, Protective Coatings, AcraTex and Intergrain Timber Finishes.



Dulux Colour Add-In for Revit

# Dulux Colour Add-In New & Enhanced Features make it easier to use, share & install Dulux BIM Solutions

#### NEW Dulux AcraTex tab

A selection of 7 Texture & Render finishes each with 100 popular exterior colours applied

#### NEW Dulux Colours of New Zealand®

• Access the full Dulux Colours of New Zealand® range of over 1,000 colours.

#### **NEW Save/Share Palettes**

- · Save custom palettes of selected finishes
- Palettes can be exported and imported to be shared between teams

#### **IMPROVED** Workflows

- Copy to MS Word Document updated to provide larger image swatch & more information copied into a word finishes schedule or email
- Hex code can now be copied to clipboard to allow simple workflow to paste into Photoshop or similar programs

#### **NEW BIM Manager Settings**

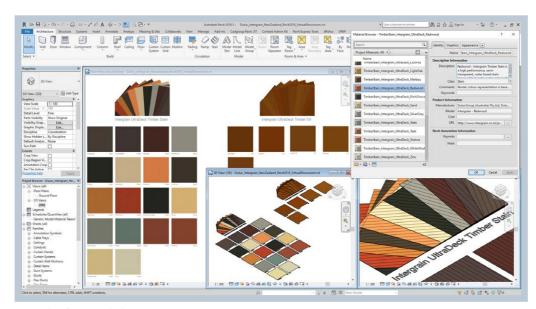
 Allows for office standard material naming conventions to be conformed to and BIM managers can deploy a json setting file as part of the installation process



#### 2. Virtual Showrooms NEW

Virtual Showrooms are a new download option in *Dulux BIM Solutions*. The *Dulux World* of Colour® and Colours of New Zealand® ranges and product ranges can be accessed as individual virtual showroom project files.

This allows designers to browse the aisles in the *Revit* project environment and easily select a specific colour or product range. The material colour and specification information will then automatically generate into their live *Revit* project and modify to match the firm's standards.



Example of a Virtual Showroom – Intergrain



#### 3. Download All

Access the entire 7,000 Dulux materials and five Virtual Showrooms as a bulk download.



### 4. Colour Groups & Collections

Specific colour group and product range collections can be selected and downloaded as a Colour Group Revit Family or Collection Revit Family. Each Revit family includes all relevant material, colour and specification information for that range.



#### 5. Individual Colour & Product Downloads

Download one or more individual *Dulux* colours and product for direct integration into *Revit*. Each *Dulux* colour and product range *Revit* family includes all relevant material, colour and specification information.



## **Material Improvements**

To ensure high quality visualisation outputs, the *Dulux* library has been created as Advanced Materials in *Revit* 2019 and subsequent versions, this utilises *Revit*'s Physically-based Rendering capability.

To increase version compatibility, the library is also available with generic appearance assets in *Revit* 2018.

# Access Dulux BIM Solutions

Search, browse and download over 7,000 *Dulux* materials available in *Revit*, *Archicad* and as image download formats.

All download options are FREE! Visit dulux.co.nz/bim



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Dulux BIM Solutions is available on Dulux Specifier, Powder Coatings, Protective Coatings, AcraTex and Intergrain websites. The BIM content is tailored on each website. The Dulux Specifier site hosts the entire Dulux BIM Solutions offer.

#### **Custom Appearance Assets**



Material Image Folder needs to be downloaded once to allow all product ranges to appear correctly in a "realistic" or rendered views

## Learn More

To learn more on *Dulux BIM Solutions*, a series of how-to videos are available at **dulux.co.nz/bim** 

Videos include:

- Dulux BIM Solutions Overview
- Dulux Colour Add-In for Revit General Usage Video
- Dulux Colour Add-In for Revit Update Video
- Dulux Colour Add-In for Revit Installation Video



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