

Technical Guidance Notes to common issues

Water damaged Thistle® plaster

Regarding Thistle plaster applications that have been affected by water, we can offer the following advice.

The ease of identifying whether Thistle plaster is considered defective as a result of water damage will depend on the degree of severity, and damage is not always intermediately apparent. Therefore, our recommendation when Thistle plaster applications have been subjected to water is that the plaster should be removed and replaced with an appropriate Thistle plaster product to maintain the original performance integrity.

Where mould growth is evident, professional advice should be obtained before any remedial treatment is carried out. Additionally, any potential for salt migration from the background should be treated as necessary before re-plastering.