



OLYMPIC®

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OLYMPIC® Exterior Clear Wood Preservative

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

OLYMPIC® Clear Wood Preservative is a penetrating linseed oil base, water repellent wood preservative. It gives wood protection from rot, decay, mildew, ultra violet light, and moisture damage. Recommended only for exterior above ground use, it also adds these protective qualities when used under finish coats, resulting in longer life for the wood and the finish. It may also be used on pressure treated wood. It exceeds the Federal specification for water repellency, TT-W-572B, paragraph 3.7.

RECOMMENDED USES

Bare Wood	Sills
Structural Lumber	Millwork
Beams	Roofs
Timbers	

FEATURES / BENEFITS

Protects Against Costly Water Damage
Protects Against Harmful Sun Damage
Fights Unsightly Mildew Growth
Linseed Oil Penetrates Deep to Strengthen Wood Fibers
Preserves Wood While Helping to Maintain Its Natural Beauty

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

FOR EXTERIOR ABOVE GROUND USE ONLY. Stir thoroughly before and often during use.

Pretest: Apply to a small area and allow to dry to ensure acceptable appearance and penetration. If the product is not absorbed into the surface and is still tacky after 12 hours, the surface is not suitable for a waterproofing sealant.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Method: Apply one thin coat. Thoroughly treat ends and edges of boards. Do not saturate or puddle on horizontal surfaces.

Application Equipment: Apply with a high quality natural bristle brush or by dipping.

Thinning: DO NOT THIN.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

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PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE: Linseed Oil Resin

VOLUME SOLIDS: 57% +/- 2%

WEIGHT SOLIDS: 62% +/- 2%

VOC: 330 g/L (2.8 lbs./gal.)

WEIGHT/GALLON: 7.3 lbs. (3.3 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)

FLASH POINT: 105°F (40.6°C)

COVERAGE: Approximately 150 to 250 sq. ft. (13.9 to 23.2 sq. meters) per gallon (3.78 L) depending upon porosity and dryness of wood.

Coverage does not include variation due to application methods, surface porosity, and/or mixing.

DRYING TIME: Normally dries in 24 to 48 hours when applied in temperatures of 50°F (10°C) to 85°F (29°C). High humidity or low temperature application may prolong drying time.

Drying times listed may vary depending on temperature, humidity and air movement.

CLEAN UP: Clean brushes and equipment immediately with mineral spirits.

DANGER: RAGS, STEEL WOOL OR WASTE SOAKED WITH THIS PRODUCT MAY SPONTANEOUSLY CATCH FIRE IF IMPROPERLY DISCARDED. IMMEDIATELY AFTER USE, PLACE RAGS, STEEL WOOL OR WASTE IN A SEALED WATER-FILLED METAL CONTAINER. REFER TO WWW.PITTSBURGHPAINTS.COM, SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION ADVISORY FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. PLACE CLOSED METAL CONTAINER AWAY FROM BUILDINGS AND OTHER COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS.

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GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Proper surface preparation is essential for the OLYMPIC limited warranty to apply. Surfaces must be clean, dry and free of mildew. Rinse thoroughly and allow to dry before application. Remove and inhibit regrowth of mildew by using Mildew Check® Multi-Purpose Wash by OLYMPIC Stains.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust or fumes. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST OR FUMES CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a properly fitted NIOSH-approved respirator and prevent skin contact to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the USEPA National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead. Follow these instructions to control exposure to other hazardous substances that may be released during surface preparation.

PRETEST: Test a small hidden area prior to application to ensure acceptable appearance and penetration.

EXTRACTIVE BLEEDING: Some woods, such as redwood and cedar contain natural water-soluble colorings or extractives that tend to “bleed” or migrate to the surface. If extractive bleeding occurs, allow the coating to dry completely, then wash with a mild detergent solution and rinse with clear water.

LIMITATIONS OF USE

It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Apply this product only as specified on this label. Wear goggles or face shield when handling. Remove contaminated clothing and separately launder clothing before use. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

Avoid application to a hot surface in direct sunlight. Do not apply when the air, coating or surface temperature is below 50°F (10°C). Application should be limited only to EXTERIOR above ground use.

To maintain wood preservation properties, reapplication is recommended every 2 to 4 years. Applications of oil base top coats may result in a higher gloss in some areas which will normally before more uniform with weathering.

Surfaces treated with Clear Wood Preservative will be protected from moisture damage, mildew and rot, but will “weather” naturally. Depending on the exposure and the type of wood, this weathering will include a gradual graying. To protect and beautify with color, use one of OLYMPIC® Semi-Transparent or Solid Color stains. For severe exposure to wood rot, “pressure treated wood” offers maximum protection.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Before using the products listed in this publication, carefully read each product label and follow directions for its use. Please read and observe all the warnings and precautionary information on the product labels. Material Safety Data Sheets are available through our Sales Representative, Retailer or by calling (412) 492-5555.

Keep containers closed and away from heat, sparks, and flames when not in use.

USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

PACKAGING

55587 1-Gallon (3.78 L)
5-Gallon (18.9 L)

55582 6-Gallon (22.7 L)

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