

**OLYMPIC®** 79703

OLYMPIC RESCUE IT!® Wood & Concrete Resurfacer

## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

OLYMPIC RESCUE IT! Wood and Concrete Resurfacer extends the life of worn or weathered wood and concrete. This high performance, 100% acrylic formula fills in cracks up to 1/4", locks down splinters and provides a safe, durable surface that resists fading and creates a mildew resistant coating. RESCUE IT! Wood and Concrete Resurfacer extends the life of time-worn wood and concrete.

## RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Wood Concrete

Recommended for use on horizontal and vertical concrete and wood surfaces: aged rough, broom-swept concrete; new concrete surfaces cured for 30 days; retaining walls, structurally sound and properly prepared old, gray weathered wood (decks, stairs, posts, railings and more); new wood when a non-slip, textured surface is desired. RESCUE IT! Wood and Concrete Resurfacer is not recommended for whole-house vertical surfaces such as stucco or wood siding.

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Stir thoroughly. When using more than one can of the same color, intermix to ensure color uniformity.

Application Equipment: Apply two coats with a high quality brush or 1/2" nap roller. TWO COATS ARE REQUIRED. Application of one coat or use of smaller -nap roller could lead to peeling.

Application Method: Ideal temperature for application is between 50° (10°C) and 90°F (32°C). Before applying the first coat, dab a heavily loaded brush into cracks, gaps, nail/screw holes and knots until filled. Cut in around the edges of the deck or concrete surface with a brush using a short dabbing stroke. To apply the first coat, fully saturate the roller by rolling back and forth in the tray. A full-loaded roller will cover an area of approximately 5- 7 sq. ft. Using light and even pressure, apply product to a few boards or a few square feet at a time, keeping a wet edge to avoid lap marks. For cupped, cracked or warped boards, drive product into cracks by rolling across the narrow width as well as the length of the board. Lightly brush any product that drips between the boards. Lightly backbrush after rolling if you desire a smoother appearance.

Thinning: Do not thin.

Permissible temperatures during application:

Material: 50 to 90°F 10 to 32°C Ambient: 50 to 90°F 10 to 32°C 10 to 32°C Substrate: 50 to 90°F

# **TINTING AND BASE INFORMATION**

Refer to the appropriate color formula book, automatic tinting equipment, and or computer color matching system for color formulas and tinting instructions.

79703 Base 2\*

\*Must be tinted.

## PRODUCT DATA

**PRODUCT TYPE:** 100% acrylic **VOLUME SOLIDS:** 57% +/- 2% **WEIGHT SOLIDS:** 72% +/- 2%

<50 g/L (0.4 lbs./gal.) VOC:

**WEIGHT/GALLON:** 13 lbs. (4.8 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)

COVERAGE: Approximately 50 sq. ft. in 2 coats (4.6 sq. meters) per U.S. gallon (3.78 Liters) in 2 coats.

Coverage figures do not include loss due to surface irregularities and porosity or material loss due to application method or mixing.

DRYING TIME: Allow 6 hours for the first coat to dry. To apply the second coat, cut in around the edges of the entire surface again and roll out as for the first coat.

Allow the final coat to dry at least 48 hours before foot traffic and 72 hours before replacing furniture or heavy objects. Cool or humid conditions require longer drying time. If surface remains tacky, allow more time to dry. Premature use will cause coating to fail. Avoid heavy use for 30 days to allow full cure to a hard finish.

To Recoat: 6 hours For Pedestrian Service: 48 hours

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

**CLEANUP:** Clean brushes and tools with warm soapy water.

**DISPOSAL:** Contact your local environmental regulatory agency for guidance on disposal of unused product. Do not pour down a drain or storm sewer.

**FLASH POINT:** Over 200°F (93°C)

# **PACKAGING**

1-Gallon (3.78 L) 3-Gallon (10.1 L)

# FEATURES / BENEFITS

#### **Features**

High-performance coating based on elastomeric technology

Locks down splinters, fills cracks up to 1/4"

Great on wood and concrete decks, porches, sidewalks and more

Finely textured finish

Resists cracking and peeling and provides a mildew resistant coating

Waterproofing protection Premium latex formula

## **Benefits**

Bridges cracks. Moves with substrate to keep cracks from re-opening

Extends the life of time-worn wood and concrete Versatile coating suitable for multiple projects

Barefoot friendly and slip-resistant Long-lasting finish

Protects the substrate

Great adhesion and easy soap and water cleanup

Read Label and Material Safety Data Sheet prior to use. See other cautions on the last page.

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## GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Proper surface preparation is essential for the *OLYMPIC* limited warranty to apply. Do not apply this product to any surface that has been recently coated with paint, stain, sealer or water repellant.

Failure to clean surface of dirt and contaminants will cause loss of adhesion (blistering and peeling).

WOOD: Surface must be clean, dry and free of loose wood/wood fibers, dirt, grease, mildew and algae. Complete ALL of the following steps: 1. Scrape to remove peeling paint/stain. 2. Replace rotting or severely damaged boards, remove all loose splinters. 3. Secure loose deck screws, raised nail heads or loose decking boards. 4. Clean with *Olympic* Premium Deck Cleaner and rinse well to remove cleaning product residue, and contaminants. Repeat cleaning steps as many times as necessary to remove ALL dirt, mildew, grease and algae. 5. Pressure-wash using LOW to MODERATE pressure. (High pressure may damage wood surface and cause product to fail.) Allow wood to dry completely (minimum 24 hours). (See "How to Prep" video on olympic.com for pressure-washing demonstration and details on drying time and dryness test.) 6. Use coarse sandpaper to remove any loose wood fibers and then remove all sanding dust that will interfere with bonding (See "How to Prep" video on olympic.com for loose wood fiber test). For more detailed instructions and "How to Prep" videos, please visit olympic.com. 7. Fill wood cracks and depressions deeper than 1/4" with an exterior paintable sealant caulk.

**CONCRETE:** Complete ALL of the following steps: 1. Scrape away all loose/peeling previous coatings. 2. Clean with *Olympic* Premium Deck Cleaner and rinse. Repeat cleaning step until ALL surface contaminants (dirt, grease, mildew and algae) are completely removed. 3. Rinse well to remove cleaner residue or perform final rinse with a power washer. 4. Patch cracks and depressions larger than 1/4" with a polymeric concrete patching compound (follow manufacturer's instructions). Do not use caulks or other non-concrete patching compounds.

Both wood and concrete surfaces must be thoroughly dry before application and there should be no threat of rain for 24 hours. **Please use** caution when applying around aquatic habitats to avoid spills.

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. In Canada, contact a regional Health Canada office. Follow these instructions to control exposure to other hazardous substances that may be released during surface preparation.

## LIMITATIONS OF USE

Apply when air temperatures are between 50°F (10°C) and 90°F (32°C). Do not apply if rain is expected within 24 hours of application, as product will not cure properly and peeling will result. Do not apply above 90°F (32°C). Both wood and concrete surfaces must be thoroughly dry before application.

While this product provides a mildew resistant coating, growth may still occur if the substrate is not properly prepared prior to painting and/or if the substrate is consistently exposed to conditions conducive to mold, mildew, and algae. Examples of these conditions include, but are not limited to, under eaves, behind shrubbery and trees, and in areas that are consistently damp with little to no direct sunlight.

Do not apply on garage floors, driveways, or any other areas with vehicular traffic. Do not use on submerged surfaces such as ponds, fountains, swimming pools or interior concrete surfaces.

FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY. PROTECT FROM FREEZING.

### 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. USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Please use caution when applying around aquatic habitats to avoid spills. WARNING! HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY CAUSE ALLER-GIC RESPIRATORY REACTION. Sanding and grinding dusts may be harmful if inhaled. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Do not swallow. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Wash thoroughly after handling. Provide fresh air ventilation during and after application and drying. Avoid the inhalation of dust, particulates, spray or mist arising from the application of this preparation. Use personal protective equipment as required. FIRST AID: If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). Call physician immediately. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes. Check for and remove any contact lenses. If on skin, rinse well with water. Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Call physician immediately.

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