OLYMPIC® WATERGUARD® Waterproofing Clear Sealant for Wood

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

OLYMPIC® WATERGUARD® Waterproofing Clear Sealant for Wood has been specially developed to provide four-way protection. Recommended on exterior bare wood, pressure-treated wood, or wood with a weathered solvent-based clear or semi-transparent stain.

RECOMMENDED USES

Wood	Shingles
Pressure-treated Wood	Railings
Decks	Plywood
Fences	Outdoor Furniture
Siding	

FEATURES / BENEFITS

For Decks, Fences & Siding
Repels Water
Provides Sun Block® U.V. Protection
Gives Mildew Resistant Coating
Protects with Linseed Oil

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY. Shake well before and frequently during use. To maintain wood protective properties, reapply yearly or as necessary.

Pretest: Apply on a small area before treating the entire surface. 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. Tacky areas may be wiped clean with mineral spirits or MEK (Methyl Ethyl Ketone).

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Method: Coat vertical surfaces starting at the bottom and working up. Do not saturate or puddle on horizontal surfaces.

Application Equipment: Application by brush is recommended. May be applied by roller, dipping, paint-type sprayer or low-pressure garden-type sprayer. If applied by spray to rough surfaces, back-brushing or back-rolling is recommended.

Thinning: DO NOT THIN OR MIX WITH ANY OTHER COATING, PAINT OR STAIN PRODUCTS.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

57560   WATERGUARD Waterproofing Clear Sealant for Wood
57593   WATERGUARD Waterproofing Clear Sealant for Wood

DO NOT TINT.

PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE:	Linseed Oil Resin
VOLUME SOLIDS:	25% +/- 2%
WEIGHT SOLIDS:	28% +/- 2%
VOC:	581 g/L (4.8 lbs./gal.)
WEIGHT/GALLON:	6.8 lbs. (3.1 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)
FLASH POINT:	112ºF (44ºC)

COVERAGE: One coat application is recommended. Coverage will vary due to porosity of surface and application techniques. One gallon (3.78 L) will normally cover 100 to 150 sq. ft. (9.29 to 13.9 sq. meters) on highly porous surfaces; 250 to 350 sq. ft. (23.2 to 32.5 sq. meters) on less porous surfaces.

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

DRYING TIME: Allow 24 to 48 hours depending on temperature and humidity. Over application will lead to increased drying time.

If tacky areas are present after drying, wipe with mineral spirits or MEK (Methyl Ethyl Ketone). For best results, wait a minimum of 3 days before applying a solvent based coating over WATERGUARD Waterproofing Clear Sealant for Wood. Allow 60 days before applying a latex based coating.

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

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

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.

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GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Proper surface preparation is essential for the OLYMPIC limited warranty to apply. All surfaces must be clean and free of dirt, dust, oil, mildew, and loose material. Prior to use on weathered decks, clean and restore surfaces with an OLYMPIC deck cleaner.

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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.

MILDEW: Remove and inhibit regrowth of mildew by using MILDEW CHECK® Multi-Purpose Wash by OLYMPIC.

LIMITATIONS OF USE

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.

Apply product only when air, product and surface temperatures are between 50ºF (10ºC) and 90ºF (32ºC). Some applications of solvent based top coats may result in a higher gloss. This will gradually weather to a soft, dull finish Do not apply if rain is expected within 24 hours of application. Certain wood surfaces may discolor slightly.

Not recommended for recently painted or sealed surfaces. Do not use on plastic, rubber, asphalt, tile, vinyl, concrete, or any non-porous surface. FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY.

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.

Do not reuse empty container.

PACKAGING

57560	1-Gallon (3.78 L)
	5-Gallon (18.9 L)
57593	1.2 Gallon (4.52 L)
	6-Gallon (22.7 L)

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