



OLYMPIC® FastHide® Exterior Latex Semi-Gloss

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Ideal for use on properly primed new or previously painted wood, metal or masonry surfaces including brick, stucco, cement block, aged concrete and masonry, plaster, and wood.

RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Aluminum Siding	Concrete/Masonry Block	Wood
Brick	Plaster	
Concrete/Masonry	Stucco	

CONFORMANCE STANDARDS

AIM	Architectural Industrial Maintenance
CARB	California Air Resources Board
LADCO	Lake Michigan Air Directors Consortium
OTC	Ozone Transport Commission
SCQAMD	South Coast Air Quality Management District

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Stir thoroughly before and occasionally during use. When using more than one can of the same color, intermix to ensure color uniformity.

Permissible temperatures during application:

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

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Method: Apply with a high quality brush, roller, paint pad, or by spray equipment. Where necessary, apply a second coat. Allow each coat to dry before applying the next coat.

Application Equipment: For smooth surfaces, use a polyester nylon brush or 3/16" - 3/8" nap roller cover. For textured surfaces, use a nylon brush or roller designed for this purpose. If applied by spray, back-brushing or back-rolling is recommended. For airless spray application, use tip size 0.015" - 0.021" and pressure range of 1500 - 2000 psi.

Thinning: No thinning is usually required.

FEATURES / BENEFITS

Features

Excellent flow and leveling
Good mildew resistance
Fast drying
Soap and water cleanup

PRODUCT INFORMATION

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

78330	White (Also Base 2)
78331	Base 3*
78332	Base 5*

*Must be tinted before use.

Some colors, drastic color changes, or porous substrates may require more than one coat to achieve a uniform finish.

PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE:	Vinyl Acrylic Latex
SHEEN:	Semi-Gloss: 30 to 50 (60° Gloss Meter)
VOLUME SOLIDS*:	28% +/- 2%
WEIGHT SOLIDS*:	37% +/- 2%
VOC*:	39 g/L (0.3 lbs./gal.)
WEIGHT/GALLON*:	9.7 lbs. (4.4 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)

*Product data calculated on 78330.

COVERAGE: One gallon (3.78 Liters) covers approximately 400 sq. ft. (37.2 sq. meters) on primed, smooth non-porous surfaces.

Wet Film Thickness:	4.0 mils
Wet Microns:	102
Dry Film Thickness:	1.1
Dry Microns:	28

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

DRYING TIME: Dry time @77°F (25°C); 50% relative humidity.

To Touch:	1 hour
To Recoat:	4 hours
To Full Cure:	30 days

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

CLEAN UP: Wipe up spills immediately with a damp cloth or sponge. Wash brushes, rollers and other painting tools with soap and water immediately after use.

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)

Benefits

Provides a natural uniform appearance
Stays cleaner longer
Turns jobs faster
Easy to clean up hands and tools

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GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Surfaces to be coated must be dry, clean, sound, and free from all contamination including loose and peeling paint, dirt, grease, oil, wax, concrete curing agents and bond breakers, chalk, efflorescence, mildew, rust, product fines, and dust. Remove loose paint, chalk, and efflorescence by wire brushing, scraping, sanding, and/or pressure washing. Putty all nail holes and caulk all cracks and open seams. Sand all glossy, rough, and patched surfaces. Feather back all rough edges to sound surface by sanding. Prime all bare and porous substrates with an appropriate primer. Remove mildew by using 1 part chlorine bleach to 3 parts water. Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label. **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.

ALUMINUM SIDING: Siding may present potential adhesion problems. A primer may be required if the original painted surface has degraded to the substrate. Topcoat should be spot applied, allowed to cure overnight, then evaluated for adhesion. If adhesion is good, the application may proceed. Check adhesion by applying a piece of masking tape. When the masking tape is removed, if the coating peels off, the surface must be scuff sanded prior to proceeding to ensure mechanical adhesion.

BRICK: New brick and mortar should cure for at least 30 days and preferably 90 days prior to priming and painting. The pH of the substrate must be less than 10 before priming with an alkali resistant primer. Painting glazed brick is not recommended due to potential adhesion problems.

CONCRETE and MASONRY: New concrete should cure for at least 30 days and preferably 90 days prior to priming and painting. The pH of the substrate must be less than 10 before priming with an alkali resistant primer.

CONCRETE/MASONRY BLOCK: Mortar should cure for at least 30 days and preferably 90 days prior to priming. Fill block with an appropriate block filler. Surfaces previously coated with water thinned cement-based paint must be prepared with extra care. If the material appears to be adhering tightly, a masonry sealer may be applied to seal the surface. Check adhesion by applying a piece of masking tape. If the sealer peels off and has loose particles, remove all chalking or crumbling material, re-seal and re-check adhesion.

PLASTER: Plaster, hardcoat, skim coat, or other alkaline surfaces should be allowed to cure for at least 30 days prior to priming with an alkali resistant primer.

STUCCO: New stucco should cure for at least 30 days and preferably 90 days prior to priming and painting. The pH of the substrate must be less than 10 before priming with an alkali resistant primer. Surface chalk from the curing or aging process should be removed then sealed with an appropriate sealer to rebind and restore the surface to a sound condition.

WOOD: Unpainted wood or wood in poor condition should be sanded smooth, wiped clean, then primed. Any knots or resinous areas must be primed before painting. Countersink all nails, putty flush with surface, then prime.

LIMITATIONS OF USE

FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY. Apply only when air and surface temperatures are between 50°F (10°C) and will remain above 50°F (10°C) for the next 24 hours. Avoid painting late in the day when dew or condensation are likely to form or when rain is expected. Not recommended for steps or floors. PROTECT FROM FREEZING.

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.

PACKAGING

1-Gallon (3.78 L)

5-Gallon (18.9L)

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.

Spray equipment must be handled with due care and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations. High pressure injection of coatings into the skin by airless equipment may cause serious injury.

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

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