



## OLYMPIC WOOD PROTECTOR Deck, Fence, Siding Semi-Transparent Stain

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

OLYMPIC WOOD PROTECTOR Deck, Fence & Siding Semi-Transparent Stain provides waterproofing protection with subtle color that allows the natural grain and texture to show, enhancing the natural beauty of wood.

Recommended for use on any properly prepared exterior wood, including decks, fences, siding, railings, outdoor furniture, and other wood surfaces. Apply to new, dry, pressure-treated wood, uncoated new or weathered wood, or previously coated wood with a weathered, clear sealant or semi-transparent stain.

## RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Exterior wood surfaces	New wood
Decks	Pressure-treated wood
Siding	Weathered wood
Fences	Outdoor furniture

## FEATURES / BENEFITS

Durable Alkyd/Oil Formula  
Waterproofing Protection  
SunBlock® UV Defense  
Exclusive Scuff Guard® Technology  
Provides a Mildew Resistant Coating

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

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

**Pretest:** Apply to a small area and allow to dry to ensure acceptable appearance and penetration.

**Application Equipment:** Apply with a high quality brush, roller, paint pad, or by spray equipment. When spraying or rolling, always back-brush for best results.

**Application Method:** Apply one thin coat. To help avoid lapmarks, apply to only a few boards at a time keeping a wet edge. Do not saturate or puddle on horizontal surfaces.

**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
Substrate:	50 to 90°F	10 to 32°C

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

79250	Neutral Base*
79251	716 Cedar Naturaltone
79252	717 Redwood Naturaltone

\*Must be tinted before use.

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

## PRODUCT DATA

<b>PRODUCT TYPE:</b>	Alkyd / Oil
<b>VOLUME SOLIDS*:</b>	30% +/- 2%
<b>WEIGHT SOLIDS*:</b>	36% +/- 2%
<b>VOC*:</b>	540 g/L (4.5 lbs./gal.)

**WEIGHT/GALLON\*:** 7.1 lbs. (3.2 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)  
\*Product data calculated on 79251.

**COVERAGE:** Approximately 250 to 350 sq. ft. (23.2 to 32.5 sq. meters) per gallon (3.78 Liters) depending upon wood texture. One coat application is recommended.

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

**DRYING TIME:** Normally dries in 24 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. It is not recommended to apply product if rain is expected within 24 hours.

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

**CLEANUP:** Clean brushes and tools with mineral spirits.

**DANGER:** Rags, steel wool or waste soaked with this product may spontaneously catch fire if improperly discarded. Immediately after each use, place rags, steel wool or waste in a sealed water-filled container. Refer to [www.pittsburghpaints.com](http://www.pittsburghpaints.com), Spontaneous Combustion Advisory for additional information.

**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:** 105°F (41°C)

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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 other contaminants. Remove grade stamps, pencil marks, etc. by sanding. Remove loose and peeling stain and loose wood fibers by sanding, scraping or wire brushing.

**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](http://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.

**DECKS, FENCES OR SIDING:** Clean weathered, dirty or mildewed surfaces with *OLYMPIC* Deck Cleaner prior to applying product.

**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

Apply when air and surface temperatures are 50°F to 90°F (10°C to 29°C) and will remain above 50°F for the next 24 hours. It is not recommended to apply product if rain is expected within 24 hours. Avoid staining in direct sunlight or on hot surfaces. **FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY.**

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 use on metallic, masonry, or interior surfaces.

### 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.**

### PACKAGING

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

Not all products available in all sizes.

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