

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

OLYMPIC ASCENT Semi-Transparent Stain provides a subtle colour that allows wood's natural grain and texture to show through. Core shell hybrid resin technology provides stain penetration, waterproofing and UV defence to strengthen, protect and condition wood fibres, ensuring the wood's natural beauty lasts.

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

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

CONFORMANCE STANDARDS

Complies with the Canadian Volatile Organic Compound Concentration Limits for Architectural Coatings Regulations

LIMITATIONS OF USE

Apply when no precipitation is expected for 8 hours, and when air and surface temperatures are 2 °C to 48 °C (35 °F to 118 °F) and will remain above 2 °C (35 °F) for the next 24 hours. Avoid staining in direct sunlight. Caution: Avoid direct skin contact with hot surfaces.

While this product is formulated to resist mildew growth on the stain film, growth may still occur if the substrate is not properly prepared prior to staining and/or if the substrate is consistently exposed to conditions conducive to mould, 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 surfaces previously painted or stained with a solid colour product.

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

**FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY.
PROTECT FROM FREEZING.****Permissible temperatures during the application:**

Material:	10 to 32 °C	50 to 90 °F
Ambient:	2 to 48 °C	35 to 118 °F
Substrate:	2 to 48 °C	35 to 118 °F

TINTING AND BASE INFORMATION

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

795601C	Tintable neutral base*
795611C	716 Cedar naturaltone
7956211C	717 Redwood Naturaltone

*Must be tinted before use.

PACKAGING

3.78 L and 18.9 L (795601C)

PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE:	Resin emulsion (Acrylic)
VOLUME SOLIDS*:	18% ± 2%
WEIGHT SOLIDS*:	18% ± 2%
VOC*:	< 100 g/L
DENSITY*:	1.0 kg/L

*Product data calculated on product 795601C.

SPREADING RATE PER COAT: Approximately 23 to 33 m² (250 to 350 ft²) per 3.78 L depending on application, surface texture and porosity.

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

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

Prior to withstanding rain:	8 hours
For Foot Traffic:	24 to 48 hours
Before replacing furniture	24 to 48 hours
Full curing before washing	30 days

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

CLEANUP: Remove as much product quantity as possible and clean brushes and tools with warm, soapy water.

DISPOSAL: Consult your municipality about proper disposal procedure of residue in accordance with the laws and respect the environment. Do not pour down a drain or storm sewer.

FLASH POINT: Over 93.3 °C (200 °F)

FEATURES / BENEFITS

WEATHER-READY® Application

- Rain-ready in 8 hours.
- Apply down to 2 °C.
- Apply down to 48 °C.
- Apply on damp wood.
- Protect and beautify in one step.

Stain + Sealant

Penetrating Formula for Strong Protection.

Enhanced Waterproofing Protection.

Formulated to resist mildew growth on the stain film.

Fade resistant.

Easy Water Cleanup.

GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Proper surface preparation is essential for the OLYMPIC satisfaction guaranteed warranty to apply.

Surface must be thoroughly clean and free of standing water. Remove all dust, dirt, mildew, oil, loose wood fibres, and other contaminants. Previous coatings must be completely removed. To ensure proper penetration, weathered, dirty, or mildewed surfaces should be cleaned with a wood cleaner prior to applying stain. After rinsing, ensure surface is free of standing water. Remove grade stamps or pencil marks by sanding.

PRECAUTION: Dry sanding will give rise to dust and/or hazardous fumes. Wet sanding should be used wherever possible. Wear suitable respiratory protective equipment when exposure cannot be avoided by adequate local ventilation. **WARNING!** If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. **LEAD IS TOXIC.** Contact a regional Health Canada office for more information.

Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label. If the surface is too hot to touch, lightly mist the surface using a garden hose to cool the surface before application of the stain. Caution: Avoid direct skin contact with hot surfaces. Avoid staining in direct sunlight.

Remove mildew with a solution of household bleach (1 part household bleach to 3 parts of water). Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label.

FENCES, SIDING OR DECKS: To ensure proper penetration, weathered, dirty or mildewed surfaces should be cleaned with the appropriate cleaner prior to applying the product. After rinsing, allow wood to dry.

EXTRACTIVE BLEEDING: Some woods, such as redwood and cedar, contain natural, water-soluble tannin, a coloured wood extract, which tends to “bleed” or migrate to the surface. If tannin bleeding occurs, allow the coating to dry completely, then wash with a mild detergent solution and rinse with clear water.

RECOMMENDED PRIMERS

This product is self-priming on most bare or previously coated wood with a weathered clear sealant or a semi-transparent stain.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Avoid staining in direct sunlight or on hot surfaces. **DO NOT THIN.** When using more than one container of the same colour, intermix to ensure colour uniformity. Stir thoroughly and often during use.

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

For previously coated wood: 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.

For damp wood: If wood is too damp to allow penetration, allow to dry further and retest for penetration.

Apply one thin coat with a high-quality brush, paint/stain pad, or by spray equipment. To help avoid lap marks, apply to only a few boards at a time and maintain a wet edge.

CAUTION: Floors are slippery when wet. Use caution when walking on wet surfaces during application.

Application Equipment:

Brush: High quality polyester/nylon brush.

Pad: High quality stain pad

Roller: 10 mm or 13 mm (3/8 or 1/2") nap synthetic roller cover. If rolling, always back-brush immediately on the surface for best results.

Airless Spray: When spraying, always back-brush immediately on the surface for best results.

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

Thinning: DO NOT THIN.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

USE WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label and Material Safety Data Sheet.

PRECAUTIONS

CAUTION. IRRITANT. MAY IRRITATE EYES. Do not get in eyes. Keep out of reach of children. Wear protective gloves and eye/face protection: Chemical splash goggles. Use chemical-resistant, impervious gloves. Sanding and grinding dusts may be harmful if inhaled. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. **Note: These warnings encompass the product series. Prior to use, read and follow product-specific SDS and label information.** **FIRST AID TREATMENT:** Contains: ethanediol; 2-butanone oxime. If swallowed, call a Poison Control Centre or doctor immediately. Do not induce vomiting. If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes. Contains isothiazolinones. May cause allergic reaction. For workplace use, an SDS is available from your retailer or by calling 1-800-463-7426. **EMERGENCY SPILL INFORMATION:** 514-645-1320.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. The manufacturer warrants your complete satisfaction with the performance of this product for A PERIOD OF 6 YEARS ON DECKS AND 8 YEARS ON FENCES AND SIDING when our product has been applied and maintained according to label directions. This 6 YEARS ON DECKS AND 8 YEARS ON FENCES AND SIDING Satisfaction Guarantee is non-transferable. The manufacturer does not warrant against problems with the product which are caused by factors beyond its control, such as structural defects, damage to the coating film by others, poor condition of the substrate, improper application, etc. If not satisfied as warranted, return the unused portion along with sales receipt to place of purchase. You will receive as your exclusive remedy either a refund of the price paid for the product or replacement with product of equal value. This warranty specifically excludes labour or costs of labour for the removal or application of any product and indirect, special, consequential, and incidental damages.

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