



Description

Our Premium Woodshield Best Exterior Acrylic Semi-Transparent Deck and Siding stain was developed to perform optimally through the combination of resin and proprietary formulation. The 100% acrylic latex stain offers notable adhesion, durability, and performance for our Canadian climate.

Recommended Substrates

Wood (Bare and New) – Previously semi-transparent stained wood – Vertical and Horizontal use

Tinting and Base Information

778-09* Clear Base

778-23 Cedar

778-24 Walnut

*Must be tinted. Refer to the formula book or colour matching system for colour formulas and tinting instructions. More than two coats to achieve a uniform finish.

Features

Exterior

Stain and Primer in One

100% Acrylic Formulation

Semi Transparent Stain

Beautiful and Protective Finish

Home Owners Guarantee

Benefits

Exemplifies the grain and texture of wood surface.

Excellent long-term performance and durable finish

Easy soap and water clean-up

Resist formation of new mildew on the paint surface

Regulatory Conformance and Approvals

Meets stringent VOC regulation - ≤ 250 g/L (based on 778-09)

MPI – Master Painters Institute – MPI 33

Meets LEED 2009 (Excluding Schools) www.paintinfo.com

Technical Data

Vehicle Type: 100% Acrylic Resin

Gloss Range: 3-10 (60° angle) based on 778-09

Spread Rate: Up to 40m² or 400ft² per gallon on smooth and non-porous surfaces. Spread Rate do not include loss due to surface irregularities, surface porosity, and application method.

Volume Solids*: 23% based on 778-09

Weight Solids*: 25% based on 778-09

*Weight per 3.40L – 3.8kg including can

Drying Time: @ 25°C; 50% Relative Humidity

To Touch – 0.5 hour

To Recoat – 8 hours

Light Traffic – 72 hours

To Full Cure – 30 days

Drying times will vary depending on ambient temperature, humidity, film build, colour, and air movement.

Surface Temperature:

Material – 10°C (50°F) to 32° (90°F)

Ambient - 10°C (50°F) to 32° (90°F)

Substrate - 10°C (50°F) to 32° (90°F)

Storage of material at elevated temperatures for prolonged periods may experience skinning.

Viscosity: 55-65 Krebs Units @ 25°C

Flash Point: N/A

Disposal: Contact your local environmental regulatory office or your municipality for specific guidelines

Container Sizes:

778-09	850ml 1870-828	3.40L 1870-827	17.0L 1870-835
778-23	3.64L 1870-831		
778-24	3.64L 1870-833		

General Preparatory Steps and Application Info

-Surface must be cleaned, sanded, and dried.

-Remove all loose and peeling stain, dirt, mildew, grease, stains, and any other surface contamination. Replace questionable pieces of wood. Sand all glossy (mill glaze) and rough surfaces. Consult with your local paint department on preparatory steps.

-New lumber can be stained immediately providing the moisture content is below 25%.

-All grey wood or dead wood fibres need to be removed with an oxalic acid type cleaner (WoodRestorer) or sanded very well (not smooth). It is possible the wood surface is too far gone negating the use of stain, clear, or paint.

-Do not apply over water proofing agents nor add water proofing agents to stain. If the surface beads or sheds water, the coating needs to be removed and thoroughly prepped prior to staining.

-Do not apply over Shellac. Wipe knots and sap with Home paint thinner.

-Moisture content in wood needs to be below 25%.

-Remove all traces of mildew with appropriate cleaner. Consult with your local Paint Department.

-Repair all moisture damage and deter all moisture problems.

-Ensure adequate air flow underneath deck system (adequate ventilation).

-Do not apply in direct sun or if rain is imminent and avoid heavy dews shortly after application.

-Please take extra precaution near and around the deck to protect foliage, metal, and glass.

-Do not apply over multiple coats of semi-transparent or opaque stains.

-Apply 2 liberal coats of stain. Do not apply over painted or primed surface.

Horizontal and Vertical Use. We recommend applying the stain one linear board at a time.

-Not intended to be used on resin or composite material.

-If spraying or rolling stain, one must back-brush to push the stain into wood surface. Stir thoroughly before and occasionally during use.

-Follow label directives for application requirement. Consult your local Paint Department.

-If using more than one can of the same, intermix to ensure uniform finish.

New Treated Lumber: Preferably stain prior to or shortly after installation. Ensure moisture content in wood is below 25%. Any evidence of Mill Glaze needs to be sanded prior to staining. Apply two liberal coats of stain. If applicable, stain all 4 sides and end cuts of each board. Maintenance coat is suggested every 12-24 (horizontal surfaces) months for high use zones.

Previously Coated with Semi Transparent like Treated and Non-Treated

Lumber: Evaluate existing condition of coating and surface. Consult with your local paint department for recommendations. Most circumstances, the surface needs to be sanded, scraped, and cleaned with WoodRestorer or WoodPrep. Remove as much of the old coating as possible and replace any questionable pieces of deck lumber. Lessen any pooling or ponding of water on deck surface. Apply two liberal coats of stain. Maintenance coat is suggested every 12-24 (horizontal surfaces) months for high use zones.

Old Treated Lumber (never coated): Evaluate existing condition of decking and surface. Consult with your local paint department for recommendations. Replace any questionable pieces of deck lumber. Clean the wood surface with WoodRestorer a couple of times. Clean the surface with Natura Mildew off. Rinse thoroughly with a power washer or a garden hose (500-800 PSI). Once dry, sand the surface, rinse, and allow to dry. Repeat if necessary. Lessen any pooling or ponding of water on deck surface. Apply two liberal coats of semi-transparent stain but we suggest using a solid stain due to age of lumber. Maintenance coat is suggested every 12-24 (horizontal surfaces) months for high use zones.

Untreated Raw Wood (Pine, Cedar, and so on): Preferably stain prior to or shortly after installation. Ensure moisture content in wood is below 25%. Any evidence of Mill Glaze needs to be sanded prior to staining. Apply two liberal coats of stain. If applicable, stain all 4 sides and end cuts of each board. Maintenance coat is suggested every 12-24 (horizontal surfaces) months for high use zones. Certain species of wood are high in tannins and likely will bleed through the stain coating (Knots, Cedar, Pine). To minimize this issue, use an alkyd stain.

Application Equipment: Apply with a high-quality brush, roller, stain pad, or sprayer. Sprayer – 0.015"-0.021" nozzle tip at manufacture PSI recommendation. Brush – Pure Bristle. Roller – 5mm – 10mm nap cover.

Thinning: Water - Not necessary but no more than 10%-12% of volume.