



DIRECTIONS FOR USE

XP

Surface Preparation

Proper surface preparation is the key to maximum performance. The appearance and durability of XP can be impaired by an unsound or poorly prepared surface. In order to be effective, this finish must be able to penetrate. It is very important that the surface be clean of all dirt, mildew, loose wood fibers and other foreign matter. Surfaces must be structurally sound. Previously finished or weathered wood surfaces must be either sanded (use 40 to 60 grit paper), chemically stripped with Timber Pro Strip & Brite, media blasted or power washed to restore the surface to new wood condition. New wood that appears shiny should be sanded (use 40 to 60 grit paper), or media blasted to remove mill glaze. New rough-cut lumber should be power washed or media blasted to ensure a clean surface prior to stain application. New logs should be power washed, media blasted or sanded (use 40 to 80 grit paper) to ensure surface is clean and will allow stain to penetrate properly.

Precautions

Do not apply if rain or freezing temperature is likely to occur. Apply to a cool surface and when temperature is between 10C to 25C. Avoid application in direct sunlight. Protect product from freezing. Do not thin product. XP is not for use on decks or interior floors.

Stirring

Stir thoroughly before and occasionally during use. If the job requires more than one batch, blend them together. Before proceeding with entire job always test for appearance and color in an inconspicuous area.

To avoid non-uniform appearance

On vertical siding start at the bottom with several boards and continue all the way to the top. On horizontal siding and/or logs start at bottom and work up. Start at one edge and follow through to a logical break, such as a door, window or corner. While applying XP it is important to maintain a wet edge.

Method of application

Best results are with a quality nylon polyester brush. Airless sprayer application is acceptable but must be immediately back brushed. Smooth out all runs, drips and puddles immediately. XP can be applied with automated application equipment using spray application. (pre-finish shops)

Number of Coats

For exterior surfaces apply a minimum of 2 pigmented coats allowing adequate drying time between coats (minimum 2 hours). After initial coats have dried apply a final coat of Timberpro XP Clear as a topcoat for maximum wear. For interior surfaces apply a minimum of 2 pigmented or clear coats. Apply as much product as wood will absorb on each coat.

Coverage Per Coat

Per Coat On rough sawn wood coverage is between 5 - 6.1 m² per liter (200-250 sq ft per gallon). Smooth wood coverage is 6.1 - 7.4 m² per liter (250 - 300 sq ft/gallon). Exotic woods (hardwoods) coverage is between 7.4 - 9.8 m² per liter (300 - 400 sq ft / gallon). Aged porous wood requires coverage of between 3.5 - 5m² per liter (150 - 200 sq ft per gallon). Coverage may vary depending on the porosity of the wood.

Maintenance

Depending upon exposure or wear, evaluate recoating needs every 2-4 years. Clear or a pigmented XP formula can be applied on an as needed basis as a topcoat and as part of an ongoing maintenance program. Prior to applying maintenance coat, wash surface with Timber Pro Clean + Brite, rinse well with clear water. Allow 24 hours of dry time before applying maintenance coat.

Clean Up

Clean brushes and equipment immediately after use with soap and water. Rinse well.

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