

Wattyl Hardiprime

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Wattyl Hardiprime is an acrylic basecoat especially formulated to seal wood grained fibre cement. Its unique formula and colour are designed to give an ideal substrate for finishing with Wattyl Hardistain to create a natural timber appearance.

INTENDED USES – EXTERIOR

- Bare or previously painted woodgrain or Hardie® weatherboard
- Nail heads, jointers

TECHNICAL DATA

- Vehicle Type 100% Acrylic
- Pigmentation Titanium dioxide plus extenders
- Solvent Water
- Pot Life Not applicable
- Finish Flat
- Colour Tan
- Touch Dry Time 30 minutes at 20°C and 65% RH
- Recoat Time 4 hours at 20°C and 65% RH
- Preparatory Coat Not applicable
- Theoretical Coverage 12 - 14m²/L depending on porosity and texture of the surface
- Dry Film Thickness 25µ
- Usual Number of Coats 1
- Toxicity of dry film Non Toxic
- Durability Good
- Thinning and Clean Up Clean Water
- V.O.C. 19g/L as per EC-07-07
- Pack Sizes 1L, 4L, 10L

PERFORMANCE PARAMETERS

Features

- Its unique formula and colour are designed to give a natural timber coloured basecoat for Wattyl Hardistain as well as encouraging the stain to flow and give the appearance of dense grained areas.

Constraints

- Do not apply when the temperature is below 10°C, the humidity is greater than 85%, or if dew or rainfall is likely within 4 hours of application.
- Overcoat with Wattyl Hardistain.

SURFACE PREPARATION

Wattyl Hardiprime is best applied after the boards or planks have been fixed. All surfaces should be clean and dry and brushed to remove loose surface fibres and dust. Galvanised or stainless steel nails should be used to avoid rust stains. Alternatively, punch all nails below the surface then fill all holes and cracks with a suitable filler, sand and clean thoroughly.

Previously Painted Surfaces:

Ensure surface is sound. To test, cut a X through the paint with a sharp blade. Stick a piece of tape firmly over the X and rip off. If the paint pulls away, the surface is unsound. Repeat at random in a number of areas. Unsound surfaces should be stripped to achieve best results. For generally sound surface, remove any loose or flaking paint with a scraper or wire brush, wash with detergent and water, then rinse thoroughly. Glossy surfaces should be sanded and thoroughly cleaned to ensure correct adhesion.

Mould: If mould is present remove as much mould growth as possible by scraping and stiff brushing. Apply a mixture of 1L hypochlorite bleach and 20mL liquid sugar soap in 3L of water by spray or brush. Leave for 30 minutes then hose off and allow the surface to dry. Alternatively a proprietary fungicidal wash may be used as directed.

APPLICATION

Stir thoroughly with a flat stick before and occasionally during use.

Apply one full coat then stain with one or more coats of Wattyl Hardistain. Surface must be over coated within 30 days.

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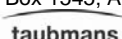
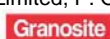
All plastic or metal jointer, soakers and flashings must be thoroughly primed with Wattyl Hardiprime before staining.

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS

Wattyl (N.Z.) Ltd Material Safety Data Sheets contain pertinent information that you may need to protect your employees and customers against any known health or safety hazards associated with our products, and are available on request.

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