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VOC

Resene TimberLock

preserver/ conditioner

Resene TimberLock is a multifunctional timber treatment designed to increase the water, fungal and U.V. resistance of the wood surface itself, improving the performance of subsequently applied finishes. A penetrating material, it also has the ability to regenerate wood fibres laid bare by U.V. and weather attack and re-build them into a wood-like material.

Physical properties

Vehicle type
Pigmentation
Solvent
Finish
Colour
Dry time (minimum)
Recoat time (minimum)
Theoretical coverage
Usual no. of coats
Primer required
Thinning and clean up

Polyester
None
Hydrocarbon/ester
Penetrating type
Natural – transparent amber liquid
24 hours
24 hours
Dependent on surface
1-2
Usually

Do not thin; clean up with mineral turps High, cannot be calculated in normal manner (see Resene VOC Summary)

exterior/interior

Typical uses

- New timber exterior
- Timber interior/wet areas
- Weathered timber

Performance and limitations

Performance

- 1. Upgrades timber surface.
- 2. Increases life of subsequently applied finishes.
- 3. Repairs degraded timber surfaces.
- 4. May penetrate underneath flaking coatings.

Limitations

- Will not kill existing mould use Resene Moss & Mould Killer (see Data Sheet D80).
- 2. Will not penetrate through existing coatings. Such areas will need wiping off.
- 3. Will lose reactivity if product is contaminated with water.
- 4. Should not be used under penetrating stains, such as Resene Waterborne Woodsman (see Data Sheet D57a).
- 5. Must be overcoated.

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Surface preparation

Exposed timber (greater than one week)

Remove any gross contamination and semi-detached cellulose fibres. Apply Resene Moss & Mould Killer (see Data Sheet D80).

Flaking existing coatings

Remove all the weakly adhering coating by sanding. Apply Resene Moss & Mould Killer (see Data Sheet D80).

New timber

Ensure timber is dry and free from dirt, dust and loose material.

Caution

Sanding dusts from some hardwoods are considered carcinogenic and all timber sanding dusts should be considered potentially harmful. Always wear an efficient dust mask.

Sanding dust from old lead or chromate based paints or old building materials containing asbestos may be injurious to the health if inhaled or ingested. Seek expert advice if the presence of these materials is suspected.

Application

Apply by brush, roller or spray. Saturate surface with Resene TimberLock. Badly weathered surfaces may take up to 3 square metres per litre; new timber will require 10-12 square metres per litre. The worst weathered surfaces will require a second application.

Precautions

- 1. Will not penetrate through existing coatings or very hard latewood bands. For best results wipe excess Resene TimberLock off with a dry, absorbent, lint free cloth rubbing along the grain. This will also ensure maximum adhesion of topcoats.
- 2. Contains powerful fungicides. Avoid skin contact. If any skin contact occurs, wash skin thoroughly with soap and water immediately. Do not scrub the skin.
- 3. FLAMMABLE Keep away from heat and open flame. Keep closed when not in use.
- 4. Avoid breathing vapour use with adequate ventilation.

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