

NZDU03766 Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen on New Tannin Rich Timber [Exterior]

Scope of Works

DULUX Weathershield X10 Low Sheen Acrylic is a 100% acrylic self priming paint for exterior use. Its unique MaxiFlex Stretch Technology gives a tough flexible finish, for long life protection from the extremes of weather.

Substrate and Substrate Preparation

Substrate Notes

Tannins are water-soluble extractives present in some timbers such as meranti, merbau, kwila, western red cedar and tallowwood. These tannins are leached out by water or moisture and can cause staining of surrounding areas. They are seen as dark coloured stains either under or within a coating.

Tannin staining is most obvious in light coloured coatings, such as whites. Darker and wood-toned colours hide the tannin stains best. When using light colours on tannin rich timbers, an appropriate primer should be used to seal the tannins in the wood, such as Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat.

CEDAR

Cedar is a tannin rich timber. A durable but soft reddish-brown timber and is available in a dressed and rough sawn version. The uncoated surface of this timber will weather (go grey) more dramatically than any other timber when used outside and is a very porous timber. Cedar is a Softwood.

It is commonly used on weatherboards, fascias, doors and windows, door louvers, as it is easy to work and is ideal for staining.

Substrate Preparation Notes

ASSESS SUITABILITY

Ensure the wood is thoroughly clean and dry before commencing. Moisture content should be close to equilibrium moisture content, usually 14-18% for satisfactory staining or coating.

REMOVE SURFACE CONTAMINANTS

Examine the surface for the presence of sap, grease, oil, wax, tannin, building marks, or other contaminants. Clean to remove all dirt, dust, mould and all other surface contaminants by using Dulux Prep Wash and rinse off with clean water. Scrape off any sap or gum exudations and then treat these areas by solvent cleaning with either Mineral Turps or Methylated Spirits, before priming. Use scraper to remove dirt and mortar splashes. Any greyed wood fibres on aged timbers need to be removed by sanding and/or suitable chemical wood cleaner (such as Intergrain Reviva or Cabot's Deck Clean).

REPAIR SURFACE IMPERFECTIONS

Fill nail holes, cracks and other defects with Selleys Permafilla or Rapidfilla and allow to dry thoroughly. These are both ready-to-use rigid fillers.

SANDING

Sand the timber with sandpaper in the direction of the grain, along the full length of the board. Round off all sharp edges in order to achieve an even film build and uniform paint coverage. Ensure all sanding dust is removed prior to continuing.

PRIME





Prime any bare areas with a suitable oil based, tannin blocking primer – such as Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat.





ADDITIONAL NOTES:

- LOSP Treated Timber – Leave 5-7 days before using an oil based primer and 10-15 days before using an acrylic primer. Wash the timber with Cabot's Deck Clean to label instructions and make sure it is thoroughly dry before coating timber. Carry out a water bead test on the timber, as some LOSP treatments may include a water repellent.
- Due to the higher surface area, rough sawn timber may require a lower spread rate

Coating System Summary

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| • 1st Coat | Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat |
| • 2nd Coat | Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen |
| • 3rd Coat | Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen |

Coating System			
1st Coat — Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat			
Coat Type 1st Coat		Datasheet NZDU00430 Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat	
Read the full Datasheet details at Dulux 1 Step Oil Based Primer Sealer Undercoat			
Application Methods			
<div><div> Air Spray</div><div> Airless Spray</div><div> Brush</div><div> Roller</div></div>			
	Min	Max	Recommended
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)	10	10	12
Wet Film Per Coat (microns)	100	100	100
Dry Film Per Coat (microns)	40	40	40
Recoat Time **	1 Hour	Indefinite	
V.O.C. Level < 505 g/L untinted		Meets ECNZ V.O.C. Requirements? Not Applicable	
Coating Application Details Brush, roller, conventional or airless spray. Stir thoroughly before and during use. Brush/Roller: Apply by brush or roller, full even coats direct from the container. If necessary up to 50ml per litre of mineral turpentine may be added to ease application. Airless/Conventional Spray: Suitable for application by all standard spray equipment. If necessary thin up to 100ml per litre of Dulux Spraying Thinner to aid atomisation. Clean brushes and rollers with mineral turpentine prior to and after use.			
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2nd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen			
Coat Type 2nd Coat		Datasheet NZDU00231 Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen	
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Application Methods			
<div><div> Air Spray</div><div> Airless Spray</div><div> Brush</div><div> Roller</div></div>			
	Min	Max	Recommended
Theoretical Spread Rate (m²/L)	16	16	16
Wet Film Per Coat (microns)	63	63	63
Dry Film Per Coat (microns)	24	24	24
Recoat Time **	2 Hours	Indefinite	
V.O.C. Level <45 g/L untinted		Meets ECNZ V.O.C. Requirements? Yes	

Total Volatile Organic Content (TVOC) values are calculated in accordance to the stated methodology within Green Star Technical Manuals. The TVOC content is theoretically calculated as the sum total of the known VOC values of the product's raw material components. These materials include the base paint plus additional low VOC tinter required for non-factory packaged colours.

Coating Application Details

Brush, roller, conventional and airless spray

Within 1km of sea for Galvanised iron, Zincalume

Apply one coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield. Preparation/coating system can vary depending on the quality and conditions of pre-primed timber/fibre cement, Colorbond® & colorsteel® and tilt-up & precast concrete surfaces. For help and advice, please call Dulux Help & Advice on 0800 800 424 for specific guidance. Some colours may require more than the recommended number of coats to achieve full opacity. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), when painting over contrasting colour, apply 1 coat of Dulux 1Step prepcoat.

Steel/wrought iron

Apply 2 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

Bare surfaces including brick, masonry, fibre cement, Zincalume

Apply 3 coats of Weathershield.

Galvanised iron

Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), apply 1 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

For Zincalume/galvanised iron roofs

Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), apply 1 coat of Dulux All Metal Primer followed by 2 topcoats of Weathershield.

Bare unpainted timber

Apply 3 coats of Weathershield. For Weathershield Chromamax Pigment Bases (True Red, Bold Yellow, Orange, Blue and Extra Bright bases), for improved resistance to cracking on hardwoods (eg Mt Ash, Oak), apply a coat of Dulux 1Step Prep-coat prior to the application of two topcoats of Weathershield. Professional Painters refer to Dusec Specification Sheets to qualify for guarantee. Check the weather forecast. Do not paint on excessively cold or humid days. Exposure to rain or overnight dew whilst drying may result in the coating being damaged or removed. If painting during the hottest time of the day, cool the surface by hosing before painting and paint on the shady side of the house. Stir contents thoroughly before and during use with a broad flat stirrer, using an upward lifting action.

Brush/roller

Soak brush or roller in water before starting and use while still slightly damp. Thinning is usually not required.

Airless or conventional spray

Suitable for application by all standard spray equipment. Apply wet even coats. If necessary thin with up to 100 ml/litre water to aid atomisation. Under hot or very windy conditions, up to 100 ml/litre of Dulux Hot Weather Thinner may be added to ease application. On previously painted surfaces, apply 2 coats of Weathershield.

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3rd Coat — Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

Coat Type
3rd Coat

Datasheet
NZDU00231 Dulux Weathershield Low Sheen

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Application Methods



Air Spray



Airless Spray



Brush



Roller

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* Practical Spreading Rate will vary from the quoted Theoretical Spreading Rate due to factors such as method and condition of application and surface roughness. ** Recoat times are quotes for 25°C and 50% relative humidity, these may vary under different conditions.

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