

# **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

# WOOD PRIMER

A quality wood primer for use on MDF, softwood, hardwood, chipboard, plywood and flakeboard. For interior and exterior use.

AVAILABILITY	
Colour range Packaging	White. 2.5 & 5 litres.
PROPERTIES	
Drying time Finish Composition	Under normal drying conditions touch dry in 4 hours, recoatable after 16 hours. Allow for adequate ventilation during the drying period. Matt. Pigment: Titanium Dioxide, pigments and extenders. Resin: Alkyd / oleoresinous
Spreading rate Wet film thickness Dry film thickness Volume solids Flash point VOC content	Solvent: Dearomatised White Spirit. Up to 15m <sup>2</sup> per litre depending on surface texture and porosity. 67 micrometres at 15m <sup>2</sup> per litre. 37 micrometres at 15m <sup>2</sup> per litre. 55% White other colours will vary. 47°C (closed cup) EU limit value for this product (cat.A/g): 400 g/l (2007) / 300 g/l (2010) This product contains max. 349 g/l VOC.
Limitations	Do not apply when air or substrate temperatures are likely to fall below 5°C or when the relative humidity is above 80% during application or the drying period.
PREPARATION	
New surfaces	
Timber	All surfaces must be suitably dry, and free from anything that will interfere with the adhesion of the materials to be applied. Rub down with a suitable grade of abrasive paper and round sharp edges 1-3mm. Remove all dust. Treat knots with two thin coats of fresh knotting. Fill any fixing holes, open joints and shallow surface defects with Sandtex Trade Ready Mixed Filler. Rub down with a suitable grade of abrasive paper. Remove all dust. Prior to priming the moisture content of the substrate should not exceed 18%. Prime with one coat of Macpherson Wood Primer.

For further details on any products in the Macpherson Trade Paints range please call the Customer Relations Team on **0870 241 6457** or visit the Macpherson website: www.macphersontrade.co.uk



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# Previously decorated surfaces

TimberAll surfaces must be suitably dry, and free from anything that will interfere with the adhesion of<br/>the materials to be applied. Remove all loose, and failing or suspect paint. Prior to painting the<br/>moisture should not exceed 18%. Remove grey and denatured surfaces by rubbing down with<br/>abrasive paper or by mechanical means. Feather edges of sound paint. Remove all dust.<br/>Organic growth must be removed and the areas treated with Crown Trade Fungicidal Solution.<br/>Treat knots with two thin coats of fresh knotting. Fill any fixing holes, open joints and shallow<br/>surface defects with Sandtex Trade Ready Mixed Filler or a two pack proprietary wood filler.<br/>Rub down with a suitable grade of abrasive paper. Remove all dust. Spot prime all bare<br/>woodwork with one coat of Macpherson Wood Primer.

COATING SYSTEM Apply one coat.

APPLICATION Stir well before use. Apply by brush to an even thickness (a fine, soft long filament bristle brush gives best results). Stir well before use. Apply by brush or roller. Prior to application of the primer, the moisture content of timber substrates should not exceed 18%. Maintain a wet edge. Lay off in the direction of the grain.

#### CLEANING Return surplus material to container. Clean with a proprietary cleaner immediately after use.

# MAINTENANCE INFORMATION FOR CDM FILE

Between maintenance redecoration surfaces may be washed with a warm water and liquid detergent solution to remove surface dirt.

# HEALTH AND SAFETY

Please refer to the Safety, Health and Environmental Information on the container. Take special precautions during the surface preparation of pre 1960's painted surfaces as they may contain harmful lead. For further information contact our Customer Relations Team. When preparing all surfaces avoid the inhalation of dust and/or metal particles. Wear a suitable facemask. Material Safety Data Sheets for this and all other Crown Paints products are freely available from the place of purchase or the address below. Store in secure dry conditions inaccessible to children or animals. Containers should be kept closed during storage. Do not empty into drains, watercourses or access routes to septic tanks.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Apply all products in accordance with BS 6150: 2006 Code of practice for painting of buildings and BS 8000: Part 12: 1989 Code of practice for decorative wallcoverings and painting. Under normal and frost free conditions this product will remain usable for up to two years if stored correctly and unopened.

Every care is taken to ensure that all information provided on this Technical Data Sheet is accurate. Crown Paints are unable to guarantee results as it has no control over the conditions under which its products are applied. For help or more information contact the Customer Relations Team on 0870 241 6457. Before using this product please ensure you have the latest information.

The information is correct at date of issue May 2009.

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