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Technical Data Sheet

B-I-N® Shellac-Base, Primer-Sealer / Stain Killer / Bond Coat

Performance Characteristics

- Dries in minutes, can be recoated in 45 minutes
- Superior adhesion to glossy surfaces without scuff sanding
- High-hiding formula blocks stubborn and persistent stains
- Seals porous surfaces with excellent enamel holdout
- Can be applied in freezing temperatures
- Permanently blocks every kind of odour
- Seals bleeding knots and sap streaks
- Dried film is non-toxic and hypo-allergenic

Recommended Uses–

Recommended for application to interior ceilings, walls, doors, trim, cabinets, furniture, and related paintable surfaces. Exterior uses are limited to spot priming only. May be used to block water, grease, rust, smoke, asphalt, graffiti, and many other types of stains.

- Interior– Use as a full surface primer on drywall, cured plaster, filled areas, ceiling tiles, wood or metal doors, windows, cabinets, plywood, panelling, trim, glossy paints, clear finishes and other paintable interior surfaces.
- Exterior– B-I-N is great for exterior spot priming over knots, sap streaks, rust stains, copper screening stains, properly prepared weathered siding, and trim touch-up. B-I-N is also ideal for interior spot applications like water stains and filled spots. Note that spot-primed areas on porous surfaces may "flash" or show through paints with poor hiding power including many ceiling paints and glossy enamels - use only high-hiding finish paints.
- Sealing– B-I-N® seals unpainted or porous surfaces so topcoat paints have better coverage. It fills and binds wood fibers to create a smooth, sealed surface with "enamel holdout" so fewer coats of paint are needed. Note that very porous surfaces may require two coats and may reduce square foot coverage of the product.
- Stain Killing– B-I-N® is the ultimate interior stain killing primer. One coat will effectively block stains, including water, nicotine, ink, graffiti, crayon, marker, rust and smoke stains so they won't bleed into the topcoat. Some stains require a second coat. Recommended for permanently sealing heavy fire and water stains B-I-N® seals in smoke stains and odours caused by fires. It also seals in urine and other animal odors from smelling. B-I-N® may be used in areas where incidental contact to food items occurs. B-I-N® is also recommended for sealing nicotine stains or odours from tobacco.

- Glossy Surfaces – Glossy enamel paint and clear finishes, ceramic tile, paneling, cabinets and metal surfaces can be primed without sanding or deglossing.
- Over Wallcovering– B-I-N® may be used to prime existing, soundly adhered, non-porous wallcoverings to hide patterns/dark colours prior to painting.

Surface Preparation-

Surfaces should be clean, dry, sound and free of dust, dirt, excessive chalky material, grime, grease, oil, wax, mildew, wallpaper adhesive or any contamination that may interfere with adhesion. If unsure, always wash surface with a household ammonia and water solution, appropriate cleaning solution, or solvent (Do not use tri sodium phosphate based cleaners). Remove any unsoundly adhered coatings. Sand any remaining paint film edges smooth with the surface. Lightly sand exposed exterior wood with 80 to 100grit sandpaper to remove loose or weathered wood fibers. Attempt to remove existing stains by washing, sanding, scraping, etc. Bare wood that has been exposed for more than 4 weeks should be lightly sanded or abraded to remove weathered wood fibers. Countersink exposed nail heads and fill all nail holes and gouges. Remove interior mould and mildew before painting with a solution of one-cup household bleach per 5 litres of water or a quality biocidal wash. Rinse well. Always wear protective clothing and goggles to prevent eye and skin contact with bleach. Do not mix ammonia or any other chemical with bleach solution. If you are concerned about mould and mildew behind walls, underneath flooring, in ventilation systems or other unseen areas, contact a professional who specializes in mould and mildew remediation. For commercial buildings and schools follow appropriate guidelines for mold removal. Remove rust and wipe metal with a cloth dampened in alcohol then apply a rust-inhibitive primer.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. **Special precautions should be taken during the surface preparation of pre 1960's paint surfaces over wood and metal as they may contain harmful lead. When dry-sanding avoid dust inhalation by wearing a suitable protective face mask.**

Application Conditions–

Apply when air and surface temperature is between -1° and 32°C and relative humidity is less than 70%. Do not apply B-I-N® if surface temperature is within 15% of the dew point.

Substrate moisture content should not exceed 12%.

Application Methods – Shake or stir before using.

Eliminate all sources of ignition. In most cases only one coat is necessary to prime most surfaces. If excessive absorption occurs over very porous substrates a second coat may be necessary. Spot priming is recommended only under high-hiding topcoat paints. For best results prime entire surface before painting. Keep container closed when not in use. Do not thin this product.

- Brush, Roller or Pad – Use natural or synthetic (nylon, polyester or blend)
- Airless Sprayer – Use .011" – .013" tip @ 800–1,200 PSI
- Conventional Sprayer – Spray at 45 – 55 PSI

Tinting–

B-I-N can be tinted with up to 16ml of universal tinter per litre. Tinting the primer toward the colour of the topcoat helps it hide in one coat. To achieve improved topcoat hide of mid/deep-tone colours, use Bulls Eye 1-2-3 Deep Tint Primer Sealer.

Dry Time–

In most cases B-I-N® will dry to the touch in 20 minutes and can be recoated in 45 minutes. The dry primer film develops full adhesion after it cures in 1 to 3 days. Lower temperatures, higher humidity and the addition of tint will prolong dry and cure time.

Coverage–

Approx. 12.5m² / litre smooth, painted, non- porous surfaces. Application losses may vary according to the porosity and texture of the substrate and the method of application and should be taken into account when estimating the quantity of product needed.

Cleanup–

Clean up spills and drips with denatured alcohol or ammoniated detergent. If spills or drips have dried use denatured alcohol or ammoniated detergent to soften and remove primer. Wash application tools in a solution of 1 part ammonia and 3 parts water immediately after use. If product has dried on application tool soak the tool overnight in a solution of equal parts ammonia and water. Scrub clean with a stiff brush. Follow manufacturer's instructions when cleaning spray equipment. Use Zinsser BIN Brush Cleaner to remove dried paint on brushes.

Precautions

Consult product Safety Data Sheet.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Warranty–

B-I-N® is guaranteed to perform as indicated when applied according to label directions to a properly prepared surface. Directions are as complete as possible but cannot encompass all conditions, applications, and / or surfaces beyond manufacturer's control. The contents of the container are warranted to be free from any other defect for 2 years from the date of manufacture. All warranties and guarantees are limited to refund or replacement of product used with proof of purchase. No other warranty or guarantee is expressed or implied.

Typical Physical Properties Percent Solids,

Weight: 49% Percent Solids,

Volume: 29%

Density: 1.23 kg / litre

Viscosity Range: 53 – 65 KU

Dry Time @ 20°C / 50% RH:

Touch: 20 min

Recoat: 45 min

Stain Sealing @ 20°C / 50% RH: 45 min

Adhesion Cure @ 20°C / 50% RH: 1 – 3 days

Cured Gloss @ 60°: 5 – 10 % (flat)

Cured Enamel Holdout: 98% gloss chg

Flame Spread (ASTM-84-97A): 0, Class 1

Smoke Contrib. (ASTM-84-97A): 5, Class 1

Flash Point (ASTM D3278): 12°C

VOC: <550 g/L

Freeze / Thaw Stable: Yes

Shelf Life: 3 years in unopened containers

Storage / Handling: Store indoors

4° – 27°C

Limitations–

Not recommended for whole surface exterior application or for application to floors or decks or surfaces subject to immersion or prolonged contact with water. These limitations are not to be construed as all-inclusive.

Disposal–

Dispose of unused or unwanted product in accordance with local laws regulating solvent-based coatings.