Pinja Top

DESCRIPTION

A water-borne acrylate semi opaque exterior paint.

PRODUCT FEATURES AND RECOMMENDED USES

- Developed to withstand the severe conditions of Finnish climate. It forms a flexible film, which lives with the seasons. The water-resistant topcoat however allows the wood to breathe
- A semi opaque acrylate paint. Suitable for both wooden logs and claddings it shows natural structure of the wood
- Contains alkyd for improved adhesion to bare wood
- Protects the surface against moisture, sunlight and dirt
- Suitable for exterior wooden panels and claddings

TECHNICAL DATA

Volume solids 35% (VVA base), 33% (VC base)
Weight solids 47% (VVA base), 38% (VC base)
Specific gravity 1.2 kg/litre (VVA base)
1.1 kg/litre (VC base)

Recommended spreading amounts and theoretical coverage

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<td>wet</td>
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<td>120–160 g/m²</td>
<td>35–50 µm</td>
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Practical coverage depends on the application method, conditions and the shape and roughness of the surface to be treated.

Drying times

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<th>+23°C</th>
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Note! Dark shades made from VC base will dry slower.

Drying and recoating times are related to the film thickness, temperature, the relative humidity of the air and ventilation.

Gloss

Semi-matt.

Color shades

The shades of Tikkurila colour card for Wooden Facades. Avatint tinting system.
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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

**Surface preparation**
Clean surfaces from dirt, dust and loose material. Assure that surface is free from mold and blue stain.

**Recommended primers**
Pinja Pro Primer, Pinja Universal Primer, Pinja Top.

**Application conditions**
The surface to be treated has to be clean and dry. The moisture content of wood has to be below 20%. During application and drying temperature of the air, substrate and product must be over +10°C and relative humidity of the air below 70%. Good ventilation is required to ensure optimal result. Product can be dried with or without oven.

**Application**
Stir the product carefully before use. Avoid making foam.

For airless spraying, the product is thinned approximately 0–10%. Recommended nozzle tip is 0.013”–0.015” and pressure 140–180 bar. Spray angle shall be chosen according to the shape of the object.

For air-assisted airless spraying, the product is thinned approximately 0–10%. Recommended nozzle tip is 0.013”–0.015” and pressure 40–140 bar. Atomising air pressure should be about 1–3 bar. Spray angle shall be chosen according to the shape of the object.

For conventional spraying, the product is thinned approximately 0–10%. Recommended nozzle tip is 1.6–2.0 mm and pressure 2–3 bar.

Wood contains resin and other colouring extractives especially in knots. Temperature and humidity fluctuations may cause paint coat discolouration in these areas.

**Thinners**
Water

**Cleaning of equipment**
Water

**VOC**
The Volatile Organic Compounds amount is 20 g/litre of paint.

Maximum VOC content in ready to use paint (thinned 10% by volume) is 40 g/l.

**HEALTH AND SAFETY**
Containers are provided with safety labels, which should be observed. Further information about hazardous influences and protection are detailed in individual health and safety data sheets.

A health and safety data sheet is available on request from Tikkurila Oyj.

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