GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Paramount Solid Color is ideal for use on any properly prepared exterior wood, including decks, fences, siding, railings, outdoor furniture and other wood surfaces. Apply to new, dry, pressure-treated wood, uncoated new or weathered wood, or wood previously stained or painted.

RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Wood	Siding
Pressure-treated wood	Railings
Decks	Plywood
Fences	Outdoor Furniture

FEATURES / BENEFITS

PLATINUM CLIMATE PROTECTION PACKAGE:
Enhanced UV resistance & waterproofing protection
Provides a powerful mildew & algae resistant coating
Urethane-fortified for toughness

COLOR ENHANCE TECHNOLOGY:
Delivers rich, durable low-luster colors

LIMITATIONS OF USE

Apply when no precipitation is expected for 24 hours, and when air and surface temperatures are 35°F to 90°F (2°C to 32°C) and will remain above 35°F (2°C) for the next 24 hours. Avoid staining in direct sunlight or on hot surfaces. NOTE: Surface may become slippery when wet.

While this product provides a mildew resistant coating, growth may still occur if the substrate is not properly prepared prior to painting and/or if the substrate is consistently exposed to conditions conducive to mold, mildew, and algae. Examples of these conditions include, but are not limited to, under eaves, behind shrubbery and trees, and in areas that are consistently damp with little to no direct sunlight.

FOR EXTERIOR USE ONLY. PROTECT FROM FREEZING.

TINTING AND BASE INFORMATION

41-8301	White & Pastel Base
41-8302	Clear Base*

*Must be tinted before use.

Refer to the appropriate color formula book, automatic tinting equipment, and or computer color matching system for color formulas and tinting instructions.

PRODUCT DATA

PRODUCT TYPE:	Acrylic/Oil Resin
VOLUME SOLIDS*:	33% +/- 2%
WEIGHT SOLIDS*:	45% +/- 2%
VOC:	<100 g/L (0.83 lbs./gal.)
WEIGHT/GALLON*:	10.2 lbs. (4.6 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)

*Product data calculated on product 41-8301

COVERAGE: Approximately 350 to 500 sq. ft. (32.5 to 46.5 sq. meters) per gallon (3.78 L) depending upon application, wood texture and porosity.

Coverage figures do not include loss due to surface irregularities and porosity or material loss due to application method or mixing.

DRYING TIME: Normally dries to the touch in 30 minutes when applied in optimal temperatures of 50°F to 85°F (10°C to 29°C). Allow 2 to 4 hours between coats or before recoating. Application in high humidity or in temperatures below 50°F (10°C) may prolong drying and recoating times. Allow 24 to 48 hours of drying time before light foot traffic or replacing furniture. Allow new stain to cure 30 days before washing.

CLEANUP: Clean brushes and tools with warm soapy water.

DISPOSAL: Contact your local environmental regulatory agency for guidance on disposal of unused product. Do not pour down a drain or storm sewer.

FLASH POINT: Over 200ºF (93ºC)

PACKAGING

1-Gallon (3.78 L)

GENERAL SURFACE PREPARATION

Surface must be clean. Remove all dust, dirt, mildew, oil, loose wood fibers and other contaminants. Remove grade stamps, pencil marks, etc. by sanding. Remove loose, peeling stain and loose wood fibers by sanding, scraping or wire brushing. To ensure proper adhesion, weathered, dirty or mildewed surfaces should be cleaned with *Pittsburgh Paints & Stains* Deck Cleaner prior to applying stain. After rinsing, allow wood to dry.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand, or remove old paint, you may release lead dust or fumes. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST OR FUMES CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a properly fitted NIOSH-approved respirator and prevent skin contact to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the USEPA National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead. Follow these instructions to control exposure to other hazardous substances that may be released during surface preparation.

FENCES, SIDING OR DECKS: Clean weathered, dirty or mildewed surfaces with *Pittsburgh Paints & Stains* Deck Cleaner prior to applying product. Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label
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PRETEST: Test a small hidden area prior to application to ensure acceptable appearance.

PRIME: This product is self-priming over most substrates.

EXTRACTIVE BLEEDING: Some woods, such as cedar and redwood, contain high amounts of tannin, a colored wood extract. The first coat of stain may show some discoloration, but the tannins will be trapped in the first coat of stain. A second coat will result in a uniform appearance.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Stir thoroughly before and often during use.

Application Method: Apply two thin coats. To help avoid lapmarks, apply to only a few boards at a time keeping a wet edge. Do not saturate or puddle on horizontal surfaces.

Application Equipment: Apply with a high quality brush, paint/stain-pad or by spray equipment. When applying by roller or spray, always back brush for best results.

Thinning: DO NOT THIN.

Permissible temperatures during application:
Material: 50 to 90ºF (10 to 32ºC) Ambient 35 to 90ºF (2 to 32ºC) Substrate: 35 to 90º (2 to 32ºC)

PRECAUTIONS

Provide fresh air ventilation during and after application and drying. Avoid the inhalation of dust, particulates, spray or mist arising from the application of this preparation. Use personal protective equipment as required. **Note: These warnings encompass the product series. Prior to use, read and follow product-specific MSDS and label information. FIRST AID:** If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If in eyes, rinse with water for 15 minutes. Check for and remove any contact lenses. If on skin, rinse well with water. Wash with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops. If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If experiencing respiratory symptoms call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Keep out of the reach of children. For workplace use, an MSDS is available from your retailer or by calling (412) 492-5555. EMERGENCY SPILL INFORMATION: (412) 434-4515 (U.S.).

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