

NewLook International, Inc. NewDeck™

Technical Information Sheet



NewLook NewDeck™ is an environmentally friendly water-based semi-translucent wood stain. It includes a water-repelling sealer designed for wood. Due to its low-build factor, future maintenance applications do not require stripping of previous NewDeck coatings. The stain is one-part system that is diluted with water depending upon desired opacity. Unlike other wood stains, NewDeck does not turn black or gray with aging or exposure to sunlight.

USES AND BENEFITS

- Use NewDeck on wood fences or decks to help prevent damage due to environmental conditions.
- Includes ingredients that help combat mold and fungus.
- NewDeck is easy to maintain and clean with mild detergent and water.
- Dilute with water. Does not require solvents or mineral spirits to thin.
- 1 quart diluted with 4 parts of water makes 1.25 gallons.
- Coverage is 250 – 500 sq ft per quart.

PREPARATION

Clean the wood surface by sanding the deck or pressure washing. Care should be taken NOT to get too close to the wood while pressure washing to prevent scoring or furring of the wood grain. All previous paints and stains need to be removed. Remove any existing grease, oil, mold, fungus, dirt, or other foreign material that may inhibit a proper bond. If the deck is sanded, it should be bleached using good quality wood bleach and then rinsed thoroughly before applying the stain. Degreasers can be used on wood to remove oil and grease. Do a test area and avoid degreasers that leave a dark “oil stained” spot. After cleaning, allow the deck to dry, especially any puddles of water. Care should be taken to mask off any areas where overspray or splatters might be a concern.

APPLICATION TIPS

- NewLook strongly recommends representative jobsite samples. Different sections must be tested to determine suitability, adequate coverage, and final appearance.
- Protect any walls and adjacent areas where staining is not desired.
- Recommended mix is 1 part treatment to 4 parts water. Add more or less water depending on desired opacity.
- Apply with a sprayer, or brush. Use on a test area before applying to wide areas.
- Maintain a wet edge. NewDeck is a semi-transparent stain; if multiple coats are applied unevenly, overlap lines may appear.
- When spraying, be careful to not leave a blotchy finish. Drips, runs and overspray should be brushed out immediately to prevent permanent drip lines or blotchiness.
- Application on hot surfaces should be avoided to prevent flash drying. Staining in direct sun or excessive heat may result in “shadowing” or the flash drying of the stain in sunny areas and the slower drying in the shaded areas. This occurrence may result in a distinct line that is visible when dry.
- Freshly sanded decks are very porous. As such, two coats may be needed since the first coat will mostly absorb into the surface. The first coat will appear blotchy as the stain is absorbed into the wood.
- Darker wood may require less dilution to achieve desired look.
- Re-application may be necessary on decks every two years, more or less, depending upon traffic and environmental exposure. Re-application of fencing is usually needed every 4-5+ years. These representations are not claims or warrants as to performance, but meant to provide a general guideline based on experience. Frequency of maintenance applications are at the sole discretion of the property owner.

PRECAUTIONS

Wear protective clothing, gloves and safety glasses. Harmful or fatal if swallowed. KEEP OUT OF THE REACH OF CHILDREN.

ANTIDOTES

INGESTION: Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician
EYES: Flush with large amounts of water for 15 minutes, holding eyelids open. If irritation persists see a physician.
INHALATION: Remove to fresh air and rest.
SKIN: Wash thoroughly with mild soap and water.

TECHNICAL DATA

Coverage (varies depending on surface texture and dilution): 250 - 500 sq ft /quart

Color Range: Golden Cedar, Redwood, Mahogany, Golden Redwood, Rustic Brown

Clean up (while wet): Soap and Water

Shelf-Life: 5 years as concentrate. Once diluted and mixed, pot life is 48 hrs.

Packaging: 1 Gal. Cans - 5 Gal Pails - 55 Gal Drums

LIMITATIONS

- ◆ NewDeck is a semi-transparent stain. Hence, if more than one coat is applied unevenly, overlap lines may appear.
- ◆ Do not dilute more than 8:1 water to stain ratio. Increased dilution will reduce the effectiveness of the protective properties.
- ◆ Dilution greater than 5:1 will require multiple coats to improve protective qualities.
- ◆ Keep container from freezing.

WARRANTY

The following warranty is made in lieu of all other warranties, either expressed or implied. This product is manufactured of selected raw materials by skilled technicians. Neither seller nor manufacturer has any knowledge or control concerning the purchaser's use. The only obligation of either seller or manufacturer shall be to replace any quantity of this product, which is proved to be defective. Any claim of defective product must be received in writing within one year from date of shipment. Neither seller nor manufacturer assumes any liability for injury, loss, or damage resulting from use of this product.

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