

**Architectural Coatings****REZ® Exterior Stain Semi-Transparent Oil****Generic Type**

Alkyd/Oil Resin

**Tinting and Base Information**

Use PITTSBURGH® Paints custom colorants and refer to THE VOICE OF COLOR® electronic CD or formula book for tinting instructions.

77-860	Mixing Base (must be tinted before use)
77-911	Redwood
77-916	Cedar

**General Description**

Our premium semi-transparent oil stain is formulated to meet the performance requirements of the residential and commercial markets. REZ® Exterior Semi-Transparent Oil Stain is an alkyd-based, penetrating stain that produces a rich color while letting the wood's natural grain to show through. Recommended for exterior pressure-treated wood, decks, porches, sawn siding, beams, shakes, fences, shingles, wood trim and previously stain wood trim and previously stained wood surfaces.

**Recommended Uses**

Decks  
Fences  
Siding  
Wood Trim

**Product Data**

<b>Gloss:</b>	Not Applicable for this Product Code
<b>VOC*:</b>	4.52 lbs/gal (542.00 g/L)
<b>DFT:</b>	0.80 minimum to 1.60 maximum mils
<b>Coverage:</b> (Smooth)	250 to 350 sq. ft./gal. (28 to 56 sq. m/3.78L)
	(Rough) 100 to 250 sq. ft./gal.

Note: Does not include loss due to varying application method, surface porosity, or mixing.

**Volume Solids\*** 30.1% +/- 2.0%

**Weight Solids\*:** 39.1% +/- 2.0%

**Viscosity:** 14 to 18 sec #4 Ford Cup

**Weight/Gallon:** 7.4 lbs. (3.4 kg) +/- 0.2 lbs. (91 g)

**Cleanup\*:** Leptyne Paint Thinner 21-263

\*Product data calculated on product 77-860.

**Features / Benefits**

Excellent Adhesion  
Highlights Wood's Natural Grain & Texture  
Water Repellent  
Penetrates and Protects  
Mildew Resistant on the Stain Film  
Tintable to Hundreds of Semi-Transparent Stain Colors

**Drying Time:**

To Touch:	4 - 8 hours
To Handle:	24 hours
To Recoat:	24 hours
To Full Cure:	24 - 48 hours

Dry Time @77°F (25°C); 50% relative humidity

**Flash Point:** 110°F, (43.3°C)

**Limitations of Use**

Apply when air, surface and product temperatures are above 50°F (10°C) and surface temperature is at least 5°F (3°C) above the dew point. Avoid staining late in the day when dew and condensation are likely to form or if rain is threatening. Do not use below ground, on previously painted wood surfaces or on abraded plywood. For exterior use only. Not recommended for immersion service. Do not use on metallic or masonry surfaces. Stain effects may vary slightly in color on different species of wood. Test in a remote area before proceeding.

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## General Surface Preparation

Surface must be dry and free from dirt, sawdust, loose fibers, mildew, flaking or peeling stain, grease, and other surface contamination. Countersink and spot prime all ferrous nails and fill voids with putty. Sand surface smooth, always with the grain. For woods prone to bleeding, such as redwood or red cedar, white or light colored stains are not recommended. Remove and inhibit regrowth of mildew on exterior surfaces by using MILDEW CHECK® Multi-Purpose Wash, 18-1, by PITTSBURGH® Paints. Before use, be sure to read and follow the instructions and warnings on the label. To avoid lap marks maintain a continuous wet edge. On vertical siding, begin at the top, covering a width of several boards -- then apply continuously to the bottom. On horizontal siding, start at a corner, covering several boards, then apply continuously to a break at a door, window or corner. Different species of wood may affect the color of this product slightly due to the inherent differences in hold-out and absorption qualities of the woods. Applying the stain to a test patch on a remote area of the substrate is suggested before proceeding if different species of wood are to be stained.

## Recommended Primers

none

Refer to Surface Preparation Recommendations.

## Directions for Use

Thoroughly mix by stirring with a circular uplifting motion. If spray applied, backbrushing is required. Read all label and Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) information prior to use. MSDS are available through our website or by calling 1-800-441-9695.

## Permissible temperatures during application:

Material:	50 to 90°F	10 to 32°C
Ambient:	50 to 100°F	10 to 38°C
Substrate:	50 to 100°F	10 to 38°C

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## Application Information

## Recommended Spread Rates:

Wet Mills :	2.7 minimum to	5.3 maximum
Wet Microns:	68.6 minimum to	134.6 maximum
Dry Mills :	0.8 minimum to	1.6 maximum
Dry Microns:	20.3 minimum to	40.6 maximum

**Application Equipment:** Apply with a high quality brush or spray equipment.

**Airless Spray:** Pressure 900 psi, tip 0.016" - 0.025"

**Brush:** High Quality Natural Bristle Brush

**Roller:** Not Recommended.

**Thinning:**

DO NOT THIN.

**Packaging:** 1-Gallon (3.78L)  
5-Gallon (18.9L)

Not all products are available in all sizes.



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