



# Doors & Windows

## NatureColor® Base Coat & Recoater or NatureOne® - 100% Acrylic Exterior

### Preparation:

Excessive use of water is not recommended for cleaning of wood doors and window sashes. The best method to prepare the surface for coating is to sand the surface to remove any "mill glaze" and/or dirt from the surface of the wood.

Sharp edges should be relieved and rounded. Sand with 80 to 100 grit sandpaper keeping in mind that the goal is to remove dirt and mill glazing. Excessive sanding could further polish the surface, just the opposite effect that you are trying to achieve. Rounding the edges will allow finish to dry with an even protective layer thickness. Remove any sanding dust by vacuuming.

If a coating or finish needs to be removed with a chemical stripper, use an organic wax free stripping agent that does not contain water. Following manufacturers recommendations for use of this type of stripping agent.

### Windows:

We do not recommend coating NatureColor™ Base Coat and Recoater over a painted primed surface.

### Wood Garage Doors:

It is important to coat all edges of the garage door with one coat of Base Coat. A critical edge is the bottom edge of the door. If covered with a gasket, remove the gasket and coat the bottom edge and reinstall the gasket.

*TIP:* If installing a new wood door, coat the door prior to installing if possible.

### Standard Application:

#### NatureColor®

#### BASE COAT & RECOATER:

##### WINDOWS (Exteriors Only)

1. Prep Procedure (SANDING)
2. One Coat of Base Coat
3. Wait 24 hours
4. One Coat of Base Coat
5. Wait 24 hours
6. One Coat of Recoater

##### ENTRY DOORS (Exteriors Only)

1. Prep Procedure (Sanding)
2. One Coat of Base Coat
3. Wait 24 hours
4. One Coat of Base Coat
5. Wait 24 hours
6. One Coat of Recoater

#### WOOD GARAGE DOORS

1. Prep Procedure (Sanding)
2. One Coat of Base Coat
3. Wait 24 hours
4. One Coat of Base Coat
5. Wait 24 hours
6. One Coat of Recoater

#### NatureOne®

##### WINDOWS (Exteriors Only)

1. Prep Procedure (SANDING)
2. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
3. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
4. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
5. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
6. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior

##### ENTRY DOORS (Exteriors Only)

1. Prep Procedure (Sanding)

2. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
3. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
4. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
5. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
6. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior

#### WOOD GARAGE DOORS

1. Prep Procedure (Sanding)
2. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
3. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
4. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior
5. Wait minimum 2 hours\*
6. One Coat of Acrylic Exterior

\*Note: Low temperatures or high humidity may extend dry times.

### Color Check:

Always do a complete system color test on a sample of surface that will be used in the project from the NatureColor™ purchased for the project.

### Batch Check:

Batch numbers appear on the lids of Quart and Gallon containers and the sides of the Five-gallon pails. For color consistency always use the same batch number for the job. If different batch numbers exist, mix all batches together to assure color consistency.

## Tools:

NatureColor™ Base Coat & Recoater performs best when applied with a longhaired natural bristle brush.

### Clean Up:

#### BASE COAT OR RECOATER:

Clean up spills and spatters immediately with mineral spirits. Clean tools immediately after use with mineral spirits.

#### ACRYLIC EXTERIOR:

Wipe up spills and spatters immediately with damp rag. Equipment and tools should be cleaned with soap and water.

Dispose of empty cans or unused finish in accordance with state and federal regulations.

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## For Best Performance:

- ☞ Keep material from freezing
- ☞ Do not thin or add colorants
- ☞ Apply liberal coats
- ☞ Apply in direction of the grain
- ☞ Maintain a wet edge
- ☞ Saturate all end grains
- ☞ Apply when surface and air temperatures are between 50°F and 90°F
- ☞ Avoid application of product when temperatures are expected to drop below 50°F within 4 hours
- ☞ Avoid application when dew or moisture is present
- ☞ Avoid applying finish in direct sunlight or when surface is hot to the touch.



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