



## Painting Weatherboard Exteriors

### General preparation

Surface must be free from dirt, dust, grease, mould, release agents and any other contaminants that may affect adhesion.

Check that the existing paint is fully adhered to the surface. Paint blisters indicate marginal adhesion of

existing coatings and effected areas should be fully stripped of existing coatings.

All existing alkyd (oil based) coatings must be thoroughly sanded before the application of fresh coating.

Surface	Prep and repair	Prime/seal	General areas cleanable finish
Timber windows and doors	Sand thoroughly to completely remove gloss and clean with a lint free cloth. Spot prime repairs and bare areas.	Apply 1 coat of Quick Prep	Apply 2 coats of ArmourGuard Semi Gloss or Gloss
Weatherboards – non bleeding timbers	Water blast to remove accumulated grime and allow to dry. If mould infected; treat with a dilute solution of Sodium Hypochlorite and water blast clean and allow to dry. Sand imperfections to an even surface finish, fill defects and spot prime with Quick Prep. Apply sap control to knots.	Not required	Apply 2 coats of HiGuard Satin, Semi Gloss or Gloss
PVC downpipes	Water blast to remove accumulated grime and allow to dry.	Not required	Apply 2 coats of HiGuard Satin, Semi Gloss or Gloss
Cedar and tannin rich timbers	Water blast to remove accumulated grime and allow to dry. If mould infected; treat with a dilute solution of Sodium Hypochlorite and water blast clean and allow to dry. Sand imperfections to an even surface finish and fill defects and nail holes. Seal bare, and unpainted areas with tannin blocker.	Apply 1 coat of Ultra Prime	Apply 2 coats of HiGuard Satin, Semi Gloss or Gloss
Cementitious cladding Fibre cement cladding	Water blast to remove accumulated grime and allow to dry. Do not water blast cladding that contains asbestos fibre. If mould infected; treat with a dilute solution of Sodium Hypochlorite and water blast clean and allow to dry. Repair hairline cracks and fissures. Seal bare and unpainted areas.	Apply 1 coat of Masonry Sealer	Apply 2 coats of HiGuard Satin, Semi Gloss or Gloss

### Tools and spread rates

Product	Sheen	Spread rate SqM/l per coat	Recommended roller sleeve	Recommended airless tip size
Quick Prep General Purpose Undercoat	N/A	10–12	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 17–19 thou
Ultra Prime Waterborne Stain and Tannin Blocker	N/A	12–16	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 17–19 thou
Masonry Sealer Acrylic Cementitious Sealer	N/A	12–16	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 17–19 thou
ArmourGuard Semi-Gloss Water based Enamel	30%	12–14	Wooster ProDooz 10mm Wooster Microplush 7mm	Airless Tip Size 11–13 thou
ArmourGuard Gloss Water based Enamel	80–85%	12–14	Wooster ProDooz 10mm Wooster Microplush 7mm	Airless Tip Size 11–13 thou
HiGuard Satin Exterior Acrylic	10–15%	8–12	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 15–19 thou
HiGuard Semi-Gloss Exterior Acrylic	20–25%	8–12	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 15–19 thou
HiGuard Gloss Exterior Acrylic	70%	8–12	Wooster Pro-Dooz 14–16mm	Airless Tip Size 15–19 thou
Brush choice	A Wooster Silver Tip brush is recommended for ArmourGuard and Wooster Ultra Pro brush for other products			