

**Product Specification** 

## PORTER'S PALM BEACH BLACK

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Porter's Palm Beach Black is a water-based, colourfast black stain suitable for most timber types. Palm Beach Black will produce a transparent effect to enhance the grain of timber. This stain is made with the highest quality UV resistant exterior grade pigments that will enhance water resistance and UV protection.

## LOCATION:

Interior and exterior.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION:**

Palm Beach Black contains: 47.6g/L VOC's (Volatile Organic Compounds contribute to atmospheric pollution). Palm Beach White contains 23.75g/L VOCs.

The following descriptors have been adopted by APAS (Australian Paint Approval Scheme):

Very High >250 g/L

High  $100 - 249 \, g/L$ 

Moderate 50 – 99 g/L

Low  $5 - 49 \, g/L$ 

Very Low <5 g/L

This product is classified as Low VOC by the Australian Paint Approval Scheme.

Porter's Paints use only premium grade raw materials and wherever possible we buy from

Australian suppliers. Our manufacturing processes are designed for maximum performance with

minimum impact on the environment and user health.

SUGGESTED APPLICATIONS:

Excellent for use on garden furniture, exterior plywood, weatherboard, shingle or interior

furniture and floorboards.

**COLOUR:** 

Translucent black.

LIMITATIONS:

Do not apply in high humidity, below 10°c or above 30°c. Do not apply in direct sunlight.

Not suitable for decking and not suitable for treated timber.

PREPARATION:

The substrate should be sanded to expose clean bare timber free from paint, grease, oil, mould

and previous coatings. Timber should be dry and free of contaminants. On previously painted

surfaces all paint must be removed, and surface stripped bare and thoroughly sanded before

application.

When using Palm Beach Black over exterior timbers that are oily in nature, such as brush box,

blackbutt, jarrah, spotted gum and other hardwoods that have a natural oiliness or waxiness, we

recommend allowing the timber to weather for at least 3 months. This is to allow the surface

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grain to open and the surface oils to dry out. Palm Beach Black, being water based, requires an

absorbent non-oily substrate.

Prior to application on all exterior timber, clean the surface with a high strength timber cleaner,

such as Intergrain® Reviva®, to remove contaminants or residual oils. Follow manufacturer's

application instructions and dry times.

If in doubt as to whether to proceed, apply a water bead test. If water beads on the timber

surface the substrate may require further weathering or cleaning. If moisture is absorbed into the

surface, then proceed with product application.

**APPLICATION:** 

Stir thoroughly prior to use. We recommend that application is carried out Palm Beach Black in

the shade, or at least out direct strong sunlight.

Apply 1 coat by brush, roller or spray, following the grain and ensuring even coverage. If required

apply a second coat to deepen the colour, using the same method. Touch dry 30 minutes (using

this method). Allow 4 hours dry time before applying second coat. Allow to dry 24 hours.

Do not try to achieve greater opacity or depth of colour by the addition of further coats, as a

buildup of product can cause cracking and flaking of the finish.

For a more translucent effect: After application wipe off excess paint with a soft, absorbent

cloth. This can be done up to approximately 3 minutes after application, depending upon your

preferred finish and the absorbency of the substrate.

**COVERAGE RATES:** 

Covers up to 20m² per litre, depending upon porosity, surface texture and wastage rates. Please

note that on weathered or aged timber with an open grain or more absorbent surface, coverage

may be decreased.

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WASH UP:

Water.

**COMPLEMENTARY PRODUCTS:** 

On appropriate interior surfaces, Porter's Palm Beach Black can be sealed and protected with

Porter's Clearcote (coverage 15m<sup>2</sup> per litre). Allow Palm Beach Black to dry for 72 hours before

applying Clearcote. Test before use as a slight colour variation may occur.

PACKAGING:

Porter's Palm Beach Black is available in 1 litre. 4 litre and 10 litre sizes.

STORAGE:

Store in a cool dry area, protected from frost.

PRECAUTIONS:

Keep out of reach of children. Avoid swallowing. Avoid eye contact. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Provide adequate ventilation. If accidental contact occurs, rinse immediately with

water. Check colour before use.

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