

Project:	Weathertex National based projects
Substrate:	Weathertex Natural (unprimed) Panels – (Natural Hardwood timber product)
Interior/Exterior:	Exterior
Finish / System:	Wattyl Solagard® & Weathergard® Paint & Stain System

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Product Features

The Weathertex, Solagard & Weathergard Paint & Stain System is a premium quality system consisting of a coloured waterbased Basecoat (Solagard) and a waterbased stain Topcoat (Weathergard). Ideal system for enhancing the raw woodgrain appearance found in the Weathertex Natural (unprimed) Panels. Designed to be applied by professional painters for the Commercial and Builders market.

Surface Preparation

Ensure all panels are installed according to the Weathertex installation requirements. The surface must be dry and clean, free from dirt, grease, oil, mould, and other contaminants that may interfere with adhesion before painting. Remove all nibs and loose surface material as required.

Raw undressed timber panels to be treated as for new work. Ref to Technical Data Sheet (TDS) D4.14

Coatings System

	BASECOAT		TOPCOAT	
	1 st Coat	2 nd Coat	3 rd Coat	4 th Coat
	Wattyl Line 11345 SOLAGARD® Low Sheen	Wattyl Line 11345 SOLAGARD® Low Sheen	Wattyl Line 1120 WEATHERGARD® Decking Stain *	Wattyl Line 1120 WEATHERGARD® Decking Stain *
Technical Data Sheet	D4.14	D4.14	D5.48	D5.48
A.P.A.S. Specification	APAS 0280/3&5	APAS 0280/3&5	-	-
Australian Standard	AS3730.8	AS3730.8	-	-
Application Method	Brush, roller, spray	Brush, roller, spray	Randomly Brush only	Randomly Brush only
Thinners/Clean-up	Water	Water	Water	Water
Spreading Rate	16 m ² /litre	16 m ² /litre	6-12 m ² /litre	6-12 m ² /litre
Dry Film Thickness	24 microns	24 microns	-	-
Surface Dry	30 minutes	30 minutes	15-30 minutes	15-30 minutes
Recoat	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours	2 hours

Additional Notes

- Colour Choice, as per the Weathertex recommended colour combinations.
- Ref to table 1 & 2 below for the basecoat / topcoat colour and stain combined system.
- * **Pine imitation coated panels** are prepared with 2 basecoats of Solagard low sheen Amaretti A14w, then topcoated with ONLY one coat of Weathergard Decking Stain Driftwood. Stain in this case is applied by brush randomly and then any excess stain wipe off.

Weathertex: Solagard® & Weathergard® System Colour Combination	
BASECOAT	TOPCOAT
Solagard Low Sheen tinted to colours referred in the following table	Weathergard Decking Stain tinted to colours referred in the following table

TABLE 1

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**Recommended
Colour Combinations**

Weathertex Natural System Colour Combinations	Solagard Low Sheen C/B Terrace	Solagard Low Sheen Iron Ore Sand	Solagard Low Sheen Safe Hands	Solagard Low Sheen Amaretti A14w
Weathergard Decking Stain- White Oak	✓	✓	✗	✗
Weathergard Decking Stain- Red Cedar	✗	✓	✗	✗
Weathergard Decking Stain- Gum Leaf	✓	✗	✓	✗
Weathergard Decking Stain- Weathered Cedar	✓	✗	✗	✗
Weathergard Decking Stain- Espresso Syrup	✗	✓	✗	✗
Weathergard Decking Stain- Driftwood (<i>Pine imitation</i>)	✗	✗	✗	✓

TABLE 2

Recommended Uses

For exterior use only.
For use on properly installed Weathertex Natural Panels only.

Cautionary Notes

Caution: Provide adequate ventilation during use.
Application should not be carried out if the air temperature or the substrate temperature is below 10°C or above 35°C. The temperature must not fall below 10°C during the drying process.

REFER TO PRODUCT TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS AND SAFETY DATA SHEETS FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE PRODUCTS MENTIONED IN THIS SPECIFICATION SHEET

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