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## CLEAR GLOSS VARNISH

**Product Line:** 46

**Product Code:** 4605; 4601; 4602; 4604; 4610; 4620.

### Description

Clear Gloss Varnish is a one pack clear polyurethane coating with a high gloss finish.

### Special features include:

- Oil-based - INTERIOR USE ONLY
- Highlights timber grain giving a gloss finish.
- Convenient single pack application.

### Application areas:

Suitable for interior woodwork such as timber panelling, doors, skirting boards, ceiling beams and architraves. (Not suitable for floors).

### Surface Preparation

All surfaces must be well prepared and free from dirt, oil, grease and other contaminants.

### Interior Surfaces – New Unpainted Timber

Sand timber and remove any dust. Fill any surface imperfections and cracks with suitable filler. Apply 1 coat of Clear Gloss Varnish thinned approx. 25% with mineral turpentine, and allow 24 hours to dry. Lightly sand the timber to remove the raised wood grain. Remove dust. Apply a further two coats of Clear Gloss Varnish directly from the can. Allow 8 hours minimum to dry, lightly sanding between coats. Thoroughly remove dust after each sanding.

### Previously clear painted surfaces

Wash down surface with Mineral Turpentine. Strip back and remove any loose or flaking existing varnish. Sand existing coatings and remove dust. Fill surface imperfections with an appropriate patching material. Apply 3 coats of Clear Gloss Varnish directly from can and allow a minimum of 8 hours to dry, lightly sanding between coats. Thoroughly remove dust after each sanding.

### Application Method

Stir contents of can thoroughly with a wide flat stirrer ensuring the bottom of the can is reached. Apply 1 full coat of Clear Gloss Varnish by brush, roller or spray.

### Brush/Roller

Pre-wet brushes and rollers. Use a quality bristle brush or a 5mm short nap roller cover. Apply straight from can. Flow paint generously and spread evenly - do not overspread. Avoid aeration and excessive brushing or rolling. For best results, lightly sand between coats (after 16 hours).

### Spray

Suitable for application by all standard spray equipment when appropriately thinned. On bare timber, it is recommended to back brush the first coat after application. This will ensure adequate adhesion of the coating system.

### Thinning

Not usually required, however it may be thinned sparingly with mineral turpentine.



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### **Cleanup**

Clean all equipment promptly with mineral turpentine.

### **Approximate Coverage**

Covers approximately 14 -16 square metres per litre depending on the surface porosity.

Available in 1ltr; 2ltr; 4ltr; 10ltr and 20ltr

### **Drying Times**

Approximate drying times at 25°C and 50% Relative Humidity.

|            |               |
|------------|---------------|
| Touch Dry: | 2 - 4 hours   |
| Recoat:    | 16 -24 hours. |

Drying Times may be extended by adverse drying conditions or at high film build.

### **Properties**

|                   |                                 |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|
| Solids by Volume: | 40%                             |
| Weight per litre: | 0.98kg                          |
| Gloss level:      | > 85%                           |
| VOC:              | Approximately 472 grams/ litre. |

### **Resistance Properties**

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| ABRASION:    | Good   |
| HEAT:        | Yellowing and embrittlement may occur if film is subject to continuous heat. |
| SOLVENT:     | Fair   |
| WATER/STEAM: | Good resistance to water splash.   |
| WEATHER:     | For interior use only.   |

### **Additional Information**

Do not apply Clear Gloss Varnish below 12°C (or is likely to fall below 12°C) before the paint can dry thoroughly.

Allow 7 days for the paint film to cure before scrubbing the surface.

Note!! Do not apply Clear Gloss Varnish in the vicinity of freshly applied water-based paints or vice-versa. The amines in the water based paints will cause noticeable yellowing of the Gloss Varnish.