

What is Mad Dog Deck Fix™ primer?

Mad Dog Deck Fix Primer (MDDF) is a water-based, low VOC, non-toxic, stabilizing primer. MDDF penetrates in and around old coatings and stabilizes peeling deck surfaces. MDDF is also the best solution for new or older weathered decks and railings. Mad Dog Deck Fix Primer grabs on like glue, remains flexible and locks down solid latex decking stain for years and years. *Mad Dog is the World's Best Stabilizing Primer.*

Why is Deck Fix™ so good?

- Deck Fix uses patent pending *Weather Smart™* technology to solve painting problems. *Weather Smart™* technology grips on to the problem areas like glue and remains flexible.
- *Weather Smart™* adjusts to the weather conditions in your area. *Weather Smart™* resins grip on at an amazing 300 PSI and can flex up to 300%.
- Deck Fix contracts when it is cold, expands when it is hot, and even breathes better than most latex coatings.
- **An earth-friendly primer.** Long on project life, short on VOCs.

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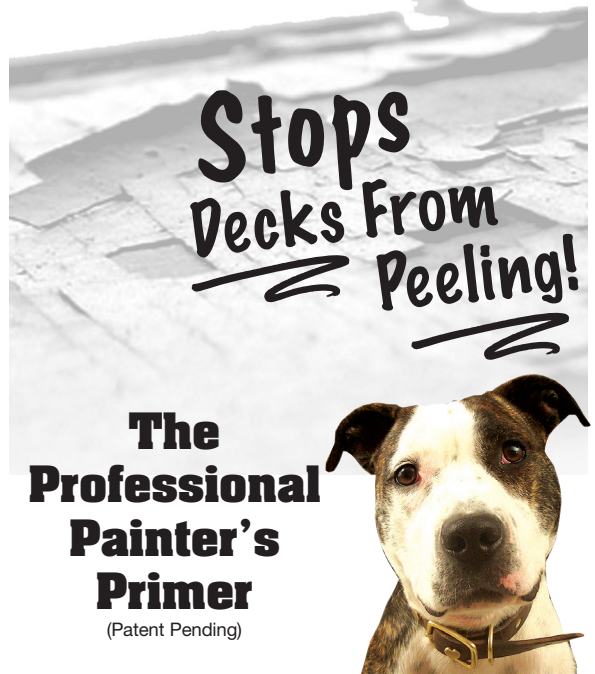
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your questions.

Call today!



Great for problem-areas!

Deck Fix is a water-based, low VOC, flexible primer that safely seals and stabilizes decking surfaces with *Weather Smart™ Technology*

• **Earth-Friendly Primer** •

Frequently Asked Questions

How much preparation is needed? Prepare as you normally would, following normal painting practices. Follow all safety guidelines.

- Wash and clean areas.
- Be sure to remove all mold and mildew.
- Knock down rust from nail heads.
- Scrape and sand to your desired smoothness.
- Sand glossy areas and finishes.
- Let all areas dry to below 15% moisture content.

How is Deck Fix applied? *Deck Fix* can be applied by brush, roller or spray application. Work MDDF into the substrate so it can penetrate and adhere better.

How many coats of Deck Fix do I need to apply? Generally one coat is enough to stabilize the deck surface. Apply a second coat to badly worn, cracking, or peeling areas.

How many coats of solid latex decking stain do I need? We recommend 2 coats of decking stain on top of *Deck Fix* to get the best results.

How much Deck Fix will I need? *Deck Fix* has a coverage of 300-350 SF per gallon.

Do I need to apply Deck Fix to all surfaces? Yes. Apply *Deck Fix* to the entire deck surface.

How thick should it be applied? Apply a thin coat of *Deck Fix* to the entire deck surface. If another coat is needed for tough areas, apply an additional thin coat.

APPLICATION TIPS:

Sock Advisory: *Deck Fix* will remain tacky until top coated. *We recommend you wear only socks when applying the 1st finish coat of solid latex decking stain.* Your socks are more forgiving to the tacky primer and will not tear up the *Deck Fix* from the deck surface.

For Best Results: Pressure wash and/or strip deck surfaces and remove all coatings and dead wood fibers down to fresh pink wood. Apply 1 coat of MDDF in the morning and apply the 1st coat of solid latex decking stain a few hours later. Let dry overnight. The next day, apply the 2nd coat of stain. *Be sure to work MDDF into the substrate and cracks of deck so it can penetrate and adhere better.*

How long does it take to dry? *Deck Fix* goes on a milky brown and dries clear in about 1 hour.

Should Deck Fix be tacky after it dries? Yes, MDP might be clear and dry, but continues to be tacky. Top coat within a few hours to avoid debris sticking to the deck top.

Can I tint MDP? Tint up to 3 ounces per gallon. **Tinting advice:** Ask your store to use a pint formula per gallon. Back fill with white tint as needed.

What products can I apply over Deck Fix? *Apply a superior grade 100% latex solid latex decking stain.* We do not recommend using alkyd modified latex based, oil based, solvent based or two part "hot" products. These products do not have enough flexibility and will crack.

Check all coatings for compatibility with *Deck Fix* before proceeding with entire project.

MDP is more expensive than other products! What makes it so different? Most primers get hard and brittle after just months. Hard and inflexible primers don't last long on top of a deck. *Deck Fix is made of special high tech resins. Our resins grip the substrate and remain flexible. This is a deadly combo. 300 PSI of adhesion and up to 300% flexibility. Peeling deck stains don't stand a chance.*

Will Deck Fix stop rust on nail heads? *Deck Fix* will stop rust when 2 coats are applied. **Hint:** touch up the nail heads first and then apply one thin coat of *Deck Fix* to the entire deck top. This way you'll get two coats on the nail heads and only one coat on the deck.

(Patent Pending)

SOLVE EVERYDAY PROBLEMS:

- Peeling deck surfaces
- Peeling deck railings
- Rusty nail head bleeding

BENEFITS:

- Glue-like adhesion up to 300 PSI
- Flexes up to 300%
- 1 coat application in most cases
- Lets moisture breathe through coatings
- Dries clear in 1 hour, Recoat in 3 hours.
- Non-toxic, solvent free, non-mercuric
- Low VOCs (below .30 lbs per gal.)
- Soap & water clean-up