



# color<sup>tools</sup>™

## 240 VOC Wiping Stain Clear Base

Product Code: 307201

240 VOC ColorTools™ Wiping Stain is a clear tintable stain base that may be used as is to enhance natural wood color, or it may be tinted. To achieve very dark colors, use as a two-step system with ColorTools™ Water Base Spray Stain as a toner. Read Material Safety Data Sheet and label before using.

<b>CHARACTERISTICS:</b>	
Coverage:	400 - 600 sq. ft. per gallon depending on application method and absorbency of substrate.
Dry Time:	Times may vary due to environmental controls, humidity and application method. Drying time @ 65-70° F.
Dry to handle:	10 minutes
Dry to Seal:	minimum 60 minutes
Storage:	Keep container closed when not in use. Store in the original container. Do not store above 100°F (37.8°C).
Shelf Life:	12 months from date of manufacture.
VOC:	< 240 g/l (2.0 lb/gal)*
HAPs:	< 0.00 lb. VHAP/lb. Solids*
* VOC and HAP content will vary with strength.	

**TINTING:**  
Maximum color load is 16 fluid ounces per gallon. Tint with ColorTools™ Colorants and ColorTools™ Low VOC Dye Concentrates.

**SURFACE PREPARATION:**  
Sand wood surface with 150 grit sandpaper until you achieve a white powder. Remove sanding dust from surface. Surface should be free of dirt, grease, oils, wax and sanding dust.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**  
Stir well before using. Pigments will settle over time. This product must be slowly and constantly agitated during application to ensure proper mixing. Read material safety data sheet and all directions prior to use. Test suitability and performance on each substrate prior to use. Use proper bonding and grounding techniques for container, dispensing equipment and spray equipment prior to mixing for use. Apply Rudd 240 VOC ColorTools stain by spray application. (ColorTools may be wiped on, but may result in color variation.) Thoroughly wipe off excess material. Failure to wipe thoroughly may result in loss of adhesion on finish coats. Topcoat with Rudd sanding sealer or Rudd topcoats.

**Application Equipment:** Product can be applied with most spray application equipment: conventional air-spray, airless, air-assisted airless, or H.V.L.P. spray equipment. For specific recommendations, contact your sales representative.

**Thinning:** Thinning is not required. If necessary, thin with 240 VOC ColorTools™ Wiping Clear Base. Thinning will result in color variation.

**Clean-Up:** Clean equipment immediately with Premium Lacquer Thinner or acetone.

*(Avoid breathing vapors, use a NIOSH approved cartridge respirator. Use filters to avoid breathing spray particles or sanding dust.)*

- FEATURES:**
- Excellent clarity and depth of color
  - Beautiful grain definition
  - Good workability - long "open time"
  - Easy wipe
  - Seal in 1 hour
  - ColorTools Program includes 39 pre-formulated colors
  - No HAPs
  - Low VOC
  - Meets NESHAP for wood furniture and wood building material

- APPLICATION PRECAUTIONS**
- 240 VOC ColorTools Wiping Stains must be wiped off. Failure to wipe off excess material may result in loss of adhesion of clear sealers or topcoats.
  - Spraying heavily pigmented stain on maple or other very hard, non-porous woods, may result in loss of adhesion of clear sealers or topcoats. Always remove excess stain to maximize adhesion of finishes.
  - Use ColorTools Water Base Spray-Only Stain as a toner under 240 VOC ColorTools Wiping Stain to achieve very dark colors.
  - 240 VOC ColorTools Wiping Stains must be top coated
  - Maximum color load for 240 VOC ColorTools Wiping Stain Clear Base is 16 fluid ounces.

**NOTE:** The stain has been tested on a limited number of substrates and under a limited number of topcoats. The user is responsible for testing suitability and performance for their specific application.

**SHIPPING/STORAGE INFORMATION:**  
Flash Point\*: -4° F. Pinsky-Marten  
OSHA Flammability Class: Flammable Liquid - Class IB  
DOT Class: UN 1263, Paint, 3, PG II  
\* Variations depend on color.

DANGER - RAGS, STEEL WOOL OR WASTE SOAKED WITH STAIN MAY SPONTANEOUSLY CATCH FIRE IF IMPROPERLY DISCARDED. IMMEDIATELY AFTER USE, PLACE RAGS, STEEL WOOL OR WASTE IN SEALED WATER-FILLED METAL CONTAINER. DISPOSE OF ACCORDING TO FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL REGULATIONS.



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