



LOG-GEVITY™ NEW LOG PREP PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

PRODUCT NAME

LOG-GEVITY™ NEW LOG PREP

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep was developed to provide a solution for log discoloration which usually occurs during log home construction. The natural log color is lost during this phase when logs are stained by sap, insects, organic vegetation, construction dirt, airborne contaminants and general grey weathering. **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** restores the wood to its original rich warm color and texture because it opens up the grain, enabling it to accept the initial finish coat.

Note: In some cases bleach (sodium hypochlorite) or some other harsh, high pH chemical is used to remove the grey weathering that takes place during construction. Evidence of using an incorrect procedure to rectify this problem will be a shiny, silver-like, membrane that when scratched, exhibits the natural log surface beneath it. In

most cases, **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** is the appropriate choice to remedy this while preparing the log for its initial finish coat.

A test area should be cleaned to determine the precise procedures necessary for most effective cleaning. User shall determine the suitability of the product for its intended use and assumes all risk and liability whatsoever in connection therewith. ***Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep is not recommended for spot cleaning. Entire elevation should be cleaned.**

Precautions: Read the entire material safety data sheet and product label for a more thorough evaluation of hazards.

Limitations: **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** will not remove any paint, stain or clear finish that is in sound condition. **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** may dull painted and metal surfaces if it is not rinsed off quickly. **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** will not bring back a natural wood color to pressure treated green lumber since its color was previously lost in the original treatment of the wood. Failure to treat wood after cleaning will result in the weathering process to return more rapidly than it originally took to occur at first.

TECHNICAL DATA

Color/Form: Clear liquid.

Coverage: 150 to 250 sq. ft. per gallon when diluted according to instructions. **Note:** Coverage will also vary depending on the porosity of wood. Rough sawn wood will require more **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** than smooth wood.

Packaging: One and five gallon containers.

GENERAL DIRECTIONS

For economical purposes **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** may be diluted by using 1 part **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** to one part **HOT** water. For easy to clean surfaces, more water may be added. For stubborn, embedded stains use full strength. Mix entire gallon, do not use in part.

1. Mix well before using. Crystals forming in the bottom of the container will dissolve in hot water. This will not effect the product performance.
2. Thoroughly sweep the surface to be cleaned.
3. Apply **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** with a brush, roller or **Poly Tank Hand Pump Sprayer**. During dwell time, scrub moderately with a stiff fiber scrub brush.
4. Allow **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** to set on surface for approximately 5 to 15 minutes or as determined by the test procedure.
5. Using a garden hose with maximum pressure, rinse away dirt and discoloration. Deeper stains may

require additional scrubbing with a stiff fiber scrub brush using **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep** at full strength. For best results use a pressure washer at 500 to 1,000 PSI (adjust pressure to prevent damage to log/wood fiber). This is more effective in removing dead wood fiber and thick moss from log and wood surfaces than hand scrubbing and rinsing with a garden hose, especially on cedar surfaces.

6. To protect newly restored logs from ultraviolet damage, moisture and fungus growth, follow up with **Log-Gevity's** complete wood restoration process with a coating of **Log-Gevity™ Log Stain & Stabilizer** - see specification sheet for directions.

Note: On smooth, new logs/lumber, whether the surface is vertical or horizontal, remove mill glaze* by using **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep**. Rinse with a pressure washer or agitate with a stiff fiber scrub brush, then rinse thoroughly with a garden hose.

*MILL GLAZE is a smooth glossy surface (waxy film) found on smooth, newly sawn lumber making the surface impervious to coatings.

CAUTION: Do not allow Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep to splash or dry onto adjacent surfaces. Immediately rinse with water any residue which comes in contact with adjacent surfaces. The use of breathable drop cloths to protect delicate and/or adjacent vegetation is recommended. **Log-Gevity™ New Log Prep is slippery when applied to log/wood surfaces!** Use extreme caution when washing surfaces, especially roofs. Use OSHA approved safety belts and non-slip steel pegged roof shoes when necessary.

STORAGE: Keep container closed when not in use. Store in cool place. **This product should be kept out of reach of children and stored away from food.**

DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty can. Wrap can and place in trash. Leaking or damaged containers should be placed in a plastic bag and discarded. Contact

local, state, or federal agencies to ensure compliance of proper disposal methods and respective regulations.

DRY TIME: Allow the treated log/wood surface to dry for at least 24 hours. Log surfaces may require different drying time due to the level of log/wood porosity.

CLEAN UP: Water flush shrubbery, sidewalks, blacktop, asphalt, equipment and all adjacent surfaces **immediately** upon contact.

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REFERENCING

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