

QUICK USE GUIDE



STORAGE

Store Accoya® and semi/finished components horizontally, protected from rain, in well ventilated conditions and raised off the ground. Cover the products with a 'vapour open' plastic.

When storing at the building site, lift the products 10cm above concrete flooring and 30cm above ground; protect from rain with plastic sheets that have sufficient ventilation underneath. Always adhere to coating manufacturer's guidelines.



COATINGS BEST PRACTICES

A fully factory applied joinery coating is recommended. In case of site finishing, at least a factory applied primer and mid coat should be applied.

The inclusion of a fungicide in the coating system to protect wood from moulds and stains is advised.

Important, for opaque coating systems use/apply an anti-tanning/stain in base or mid-coat. Treat cut boards and other end grains with a proprietary end grain sealer and round off corners to a radius of at least 3mm.

Always adhere to coating manufacturer's guidelines.



SUITABLE ACCESSORIES

Use only high quality stainless steel fixing straps and screws and check that all hardware is either stainless steel (304/316) or protected with a high performance coating.

Polyurethane, resorcinol or EPI glues work best.



TRANSPORT

In order to prevent damage, semi/ finished products made of Accoya® should be carefully transported. Protection of joints is especially important. Only load and off-load with fork lifts.



MOISTURE CONTENT

If coating is required, keep uncoated products dry. Only apply finish coats to Accoya® when dry.

Check that the moisture content is less than 8% before coating in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and the best practices mentioned below.



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