

EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior

A WEATHERPROOF WOOD GLUE FOR EXTERIOR USE

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YOUR SMART ADVANTAGES	
– Conforms to BS EN 204 D3 Standard	
– Guaranteed bond strength	
– Goes on white, dries clear	
- Interior and Exterior	

USES

EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior is a one-part synthetic resin emulsion adhesive for general bonding of wood assemblies for non-structural applications. It has suitable properties for both internal and protected external use. EVO-STIK Wood Glue Interior is fast setting and dries to form a bond stronger than the wood itself. It can be sanded, painted or stained, Making EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior is ideal for general joinery, woodworking and repair jobs. EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior is non-flammable and dries translucent.

EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior is suitable for the assembly of frames for doors, windows and drawers It is suitable for making mortice and tendon, dowelled, and other close fitting standard woodworking joints. It is also suitable for bonding wood veneers and laminated plastics to wood or chipboard cores. EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior may also be used for bonding other materials such as rigid PVC or aluminium edge trim sections to recessed wood.

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS	
Colour	White , dries to a translucent film
Form	Viscous liquid
Specific Gravity	1.03 approx.

Composition	Modified polyvinyl acetate emulsion (PVAc)	
	Old Code New Code Size	
Product Code	30602826 30615821 125ml x 24	
	30602828 30615822 250ml x 12	
	30602827 30615823 500ml x 12	
	30813223 30615824 1 Litre x 12	
	30813224 30615825 2.5 Litres x 1	
	30813225 30615826 5 Litres x 1	
Storage/Shelf Life	Store for up to 24 months from date of manufacture when stored in original, unopened packaging under dry conditions within the temperature range of +5°C to +25°C. Protect from frost.	
Odour	Sweet	
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA (Approx.)		
Application Temperature	+5°C to +25°C	
Temperature Resistance	-20°C to +60°C, although the maximum safe temperature is dependent upon the stress applied to the bond line	
Drying Times	24 hours at 20°C	
Open Time	10 to 15 minutes	

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IMPORTANT: Before using EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior, refer to the relevant Health & Safety Data Sheet, available at www.evo-stik.co.uk.

PREPARATION

- Surfaces to be bonded must be smooth and finished to
 fit closely together; for dowelled or mortice and
 tendon joints the clearance must be less than 0.25mm.
 Surfaces must also be clean, dry and free from dust or
 loose material. Light abrasion with a medium grade
 abrasive paper, particularly where sawing or planning
 has damaged the surface grain, normally gives an
 acceptable finish.
- 2. EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior should be used at temperatures between 5°C to 25°C. Apply an even film of adhesive to one of the surfaces to be bonded. In some circumstances, where greater bond strength is required, coat all surfaces. When bonding dowels or tendons it is preferable to apply the adhesive to the hole or mortice so that the wet adhesive is carried into the socket when assembly takes place. Wood which has been stored in a cold or humid environment must be allowed to condition in the workshop atmosphere before bonding.

APPLICATION

- 3. Assemble the parts whilst the adhesive film is still wet. The maximum open assembly time depends on the substrate porosity and ambient temperature, but generally falls within the range of 5 to 10 minutes.
- When the parts have been assembled, maintain light pressure on the bond line during the initial setting period, using equipment such as vices, jigs, clamps or dead loads.
- 5. The rate of development of joint strength depends upon such variables as ambient temperature, humidity and bonding pressure. In addition to substrate type, porosity, temperature and water content. As a guide, beech substrates at 7°C must be maintained under pressure for at least 12 hours, whereas at 20°C and 55% relative humidity, the time under load may be reduced to little more than 1 hour.

CLEANING

6. A moist cloth will remove the 'wet' adhesive but be careful not to spread a thin film onto nearby wood, which might later be varnished or painted. It is sometimes safer to allow the adhesive to just dry then pare off the excess.

PRECAUTIONS IN USE

EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior is unsuitable for use in applications such as in columns or roof trusses where there is a continuous static building load.

 ${\sf EVO-STIK}\ Wood\ Glue\ {\sf Exterior}\ is\ not\ suitable\ for\ use\ on\ joints\ subject\ to\ continuous\ water\ immersion.$

When using EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior in external applications, bond lines can appear white when being exposed to water. It is recommended to protect against this

by either varnishing or painting where necessary.

Do not use EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior below the temperature of 5°C, as the adhesive will dry white and produce a weak bond.

For any application not covered please contact Technical Services on +44 (0)1785 272625 or visit www.evo-stik.co.uk for advice.

Recommendations and suggestions are for guidance only, since conditions of use are completely beyond our control.

For health and safety instruction, first aid measures and spillage and disposal instructions, see separate Health and Safety Data Sheet for EVO-STIK Wood Glue Exterior, available at www.evo-stik.co.uk.

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