



## TECHNICAL DATA

### INTERIOR PRE-STAIN WOOD CONDITIONER #8063

#### DESCRIPTION

*Recommended Uses:*

**Cabot Interior Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner** is ideal for use on porous, soft-grained woods in order to achieve uniform penetration of stain. Formulated to stabilize uneven wood grain, it ensures a more even stain color and consistent appearance.

*Composition:*

Alkyd resin

*Finish:*

This product does not produce a finish. Cabot Interior Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner penetrates in to the wood and should not be allowed to dry prior to applying the wood stain.

*Tinting/Intermixing:*

Cabot Interior Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner cannot be tinted or intermixed with any other Cabot product.

*Coverage/Thinning:*

One quart covers up to 100 sq. ft. (9.3 m<sup>2</sup>) depending upon surface porosity. Do not thin.

*Packaging/Containers:*

Available in quart containers.

*Restrictions:*

Cabot Interior Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner should be used only on new, unsealed wood. Do not thin this product. Do not condition more wood surface than can be stained within 2-5 minutes. The maximum length of open time is 15 minutes.

**For interior use only.**

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*Environmental Impact:*

These products are in compliance with V.O.C. (Volatile Organic Compounds) requirements for Specialty Architectural Coatings under current regulations. Call Cabot's Technical Services & Support for additional information pertaining to current V.O.C. rulings.

**WARNING! VAPOR HARMFUL. COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID & VAPOR.**

**DANGER: CONTAINS PETROLEUM DISTILLATES. COMBUSTIBLE:**

**DO NOT SMOKE.** Keep away from sparks, open flame, and lit cigarettes. Turn off stoves, heaters, electric motors, pilot lights and other sources of ignition during use and until all vapors are gone. Prevent build up of vapors by opening all windows and doors for cross ventilation.

**Emergency Medical Telephone:  
1-888-345-5732**

*Cleanup and Disposal:* Clean brushes and equipment with mineral spirits. Keep container closed when not in use. Do not transfer contents to other containers for storage or disposal. In case of spillage, absorb with inert material such as sand or kitty litter.

Dispose of empty cans or unused portion in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) are available upon request.

**DANGER: Rags, steel wool or waste soaked with this product may spontaneously catch fire if improperly discarded. Immediately after each use, place rags, steel wool or waste in a sealed, water-filled metal container and dispose of according to local regulations.**

*Physical and Chemical Data:*

*Drying Time:* 2-5 minutes, apply stain within 30 minutes.

*Weight:* 6.6+/-0.5 pounds per gallon.

*Flash Point:* 105°F (41°C)

*Film Thickness:* Nil

*Shelf Life:* A minimum of five (5) years in closed original containers.

*% Solids (weight):* 4.5

*% Solids (volume):* 3.3

*% Pigment (weight):* 0

*Viscosity:* 10-20 cps.

*Pigment Type:* N/A

*Vehicle Type:* Alkyd resin

*Solvent Type:* Aliphatic & Terpene Hydrocarbons

*V.O.C. Content:* GPL Maximum of 755 grams/liter (6.3 pounds/gallon)

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## APPLICATION

### Surface Preparation:

*General:* Clean and dry surface thoroughly, removing all dirt, dust, wax and wood marks.

*New Wood:* Lightly wipe surface of clean wood with a damp sponge to raise the grain. Allow to dry and then sand smooth. Repeat process if not smooth. Remove sanding dust before staining.

*Painted or Varnished Wood:* Remove all paint and varnish with sandpaper or paint and varnish remover following manufacturer's instructions and safety precautions. Then follow new wood instructions.

**WARNING! If you scrape, sand or remove old paint from any surface, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a wet mop or HEPA vacuum. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the USEPA/Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD (5323) or visit [www.epa.gov/lead](http://www.epa.gov/lead).**

Use only on bare, soft-grain wood surfaces. To determine if wood is "soft", depress fingernail on an inconspicuous area to test for marking. If a fingernail mark is left in the wood, use Cabot Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner. Wood surfaces must be clean, free of sanding dust, wax, grease, old finishes, mildew stains or other contaminants. Surfaces must be absolutely dry (moisture below 15%). Fill nail holes with high-quality wood putty. Sand surface to the desired smoothness using progressively finer grades of sandpaper to remove all scratches and nicks.

### Application:

**On large surfaces, work quickly in small sections.** Saturate wood with a uniform coat of Pre-Stain Conditioner using a clean, lint-free cloth, bristle or foam brush. Allow no more than 5 minutes for penetration. Then wipe off all excess. Immediately after removal of Conditioner, apply Cabot Wood Stain following label directions. Do not allow Conditioner to dry. **Surfaces which are allowed to dry will not accept stain!**

*Drying Time:* This product dries quickly. **DO NOT LET THE PRE-STAIN CONDITIONER BEGIN TO DRY** or stain will not penetrate wood surface. Apply only when surface and air temperatures are between 50-90°F (10-32°C).

*Number of Coats:* One application is recommended.

## AVAILABILITY

Cabot Wood Care Products are sold throughout the United States and Canada. For a list of Cabot dealer locations, please contact Cabot's Technical Services & Support at 1-800-US-STAIN.

## WARRANTY

If this product does not perform as stated on the label after you apply it according to label directions, Cabot will either replace this product or refund its purchase price, at its option. Cabot disclaims all other implied or expressed warranties. Cabot will not provide or pay for labor for removal or application of the product. This warranty excludes all incidental or consequential damages. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may have other rights which vary from state to state.

## MAINTENANCE

Cabot Pre-Stain Wood Conditioner does not require maintenance. It is applied to new or bare wood prior to staining.

## TECHNICAL SERVICES

For additional technical information see your specialized Cabot dealer or call Cabot's Technical Services & Support toll-free at 1-800-US-STAIN (877-8246).

## FILING SYSTEMS

For complete model specifications and technical data on all Cabot products, visit the Cabot Home Page at: [cabotstain.com](http://cabotstain.com).



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