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Bacca is a two-component sealer designed for use with Glitsa Gold Seal and Gold Seal Lite Scent. Bacca is supplied with a hardener. Application over stains: For best results, use Bacca over Gold Seal stains. Follow direction on stain label. Previous finishes other than Gold Seal finishes, must be completely removed before application of Bacca.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Product Classification Conversion Varnish
Cast Slightly Amber
Scent Strong Alcohol
Clarity Semi-Transparent

Solids % by Weight 40%
Viscosity (#2 Zahn) 23 sec.
Boiling Point 108° - 277°
Flash Point 51°
Pounds/Gallon 7.87
Leveling Excellent

Drying Time 4 - 5 hours to touch Maximum Cure 60 - 90 days Coverage/Gallon 300 - 350

VOC 549 grams/liter (after adding hardener)

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

For best results, product and room temperature should be between 60° - 70°F during application. Wear a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator with filters that protect from organic vapors and formaldehyde when applying Bacca. Mix only the amount of Bacca and hardener needed for use within 24 hr. Mix Bacca and hardener in a plastic dishpan and stir well. **IMPORTANT: Add only the amount of hardener that is recommended.** (14 ounces of hardener to one gallon of Bacca.)

Prior to application, turn off all pilot lights, heaters, air conditioners and all other ignition sources. Since vapors may travel, prevent build up by ventilating areas of the job not being treated.

During winter months, warm temperature must be achieved, then shut off heat to prevent air movement. During application, it is important to prevent direct air movement (windows, doors and refrigerator exhausts) across Bacca, as this will cause Bacca to dry too quickly causing brush marks and lack of flow. Provide indirect ventilation during application.

Avoid direct sunlight on the area being coated by covering windows where necessary. Hot sun will heat the wood and make the Bacca dry too fast to allow full flow, or could cause bubbles in the product.

Bacca should be applied freely with a Glitsa brush or lambswool applicator (new lambswool applicators may leave lint in finish). Bacca should be applied at 300 - 350 sq. ft. per gallon. Follow the grain of the wood from wall to wall, being sure not to over work or apply too thinly, which could cause Bacca to set up too quickly and not allow full flow. In hot, dry climates, Glitsa Retarder may be added to Bacca to lengthen open time and aid flow. Follow instructions on Retarder label. Note: Excess retarder will reduce the solid content of Bacca and lengthen dry time.

Once Bacca is dry to the touch (approximately four hours, depending on weather conditions) immediately open doors and windows to ventilate area, which will also aid the curing of the product.

Allow Bacca to dry at least overnight, or until thoroughly dry. Cold temperatures and/or excessive humidity will extend dry times. Wrinkling of the final top coat may result if any previous applications are not thoroughly dry or if the Bacca is screened too deeply.

When dry, lightly sand with a **well used** screen, 100 grit or finer. Note: Using new screens between coats will result in scratches showing through the final finish. Vacuum thoroughly. If tacking is required, use alcohol, lacquer thinner or water only, on a Glitsa Tack Mop. Have adequate ventilation. (Do not use paint thinner or commercially prepared tack rags.) Allow to dry **completely** before applying top coat. Apply one coat of Glitsa Gold Seal or Gold Seal Lite Scent as a top coat.

Clean brushes **immediately** after applying product. Wash brushes twice in a high grade of lacquer thinner only. Soak brush in clean, fresh lacquer thinner overnight, then dry thoroughly before using.

After the hardener is added, the pot life of Bacca is 24 hours. Increased temperatures will reduce pot life.

Shelf Life: One year in unopened container. **Disposal:** Unused contents should be disposed of in accordance with local, state, and Federal regulations.

MAINTENANCE

See Glitsa's "Wood Floor Maintenance" Brochure.

Before adding hardener, **READ CAUTION STATEMENTS** on hardener label. Any mixture containing hardener will have hazards of both components. **OBSERVE ALL APPLICABLE PRECAUTIONS.**

For Professional Use Only.

Read Material Safety Data Sheet and Label Precautions before using this product.

