



Barefoot Brown colour is part of the pressure-treating process

A Finished Project From The Start

- Barefoot Brown is pressure impregnated with ACQ preservative and DesignWood colourant in one step.
- Eliminates the need for initial staining, saving time and money.
- Ideal for decks, fencing railings, steps, gazebos, playground equipment, trellis, lattice, structural framing, and every outdoor living space.

Proven ACQ Product Performance

- Proven protection for wood products in Canada since 2002.
- ACQ pressure treated wood products are produced to the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) standards as specified in the National Building Code of Canada for residential and commercial applications.
- Utilizes the world's most widely used form of copper preservative.

Barefoot Brown colour shown in photo may differ from actual product. * DesignWood colourant may vary slightly depending on location, species of wood, age, grain pattern and heartwood content.

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BAREFOOT

BROWN DECKING

Pre-Coloured ACQ Treated Lumber Residential Use & Homeowner Projects

- ▶ Decks, Porches, Arbors, Gazebos, Fences, & Walkways Retaining Walls, Planter Boxes, Outdoor Furniture, & Play Sets

Commercial Project Use

- ▶ Sill Plates, Furring Strips, Shakes & Shingles
- ▶ Pilings, Piers, Boardwalks and Bridges
- ▶ Structural Columns, Posts & Building Poles

Agricultural Use

- ▶ Tomato & Grapevine stakes and Livestock Fencing
- ▶ Post Frame Structures, Pole Barns, Stables & Corrals

Canadian Standards Association (CSA)
Use Category as specified in the
National Building Code of Canada.

Service Conditions Use Environment	CSA Use Category	Typical Products
INTERIOR, ABOVE GROUND, DRY Protected from weather	UC1	Interior framing
INTERIOR, ABOVE GROUND, DAMP Protected but can be exposed to moisture	UC2	Sill plates
EXTERIOR, ABOVE GROUND, COATED Protected by coating. Free draining	UC3.1	Coated millwork, siding, trim
EXTERIOR, ABOVE GROUND, UNCOATED Exposed to all weather cycles	UC3.2	Decking, railings, picket fencing, footbridge boards & bridge railing
EXTERIOR, GROUND CONTACT Exposed to all weather cycles	UC4.1	Ground Contact and Freshwater Contact*. Timbers, deck and fence posts, structural lumber, guardrails, and Bridge decks

Installation and Maintenance

All cuts and holes must be liberally brush coated with an end cut preservative before wood is installed

Nails, Fasteners and Connectors

For the best results, the use of building-code approved, corrosion-resistant fasteners and connectors is always recommended for all exterior wood projects. Direct contact of Preserve treated wood with aluminum products is not recommended.

Hot-dipped galvanized fasteners (meeting ASTM A 153) and connectors (meeting ASTM A 653 Class G185 sheet), or better, are recommended.

For corrosive environments, stainless steel fasteners are recommended.

Specifications and Approvals

Preserve ACQ Pressure-Treated Lumber and Plywood

Accepted and Standardized Preservative of The Canadian Standards Association (CSA) as specified in the National Building Code of Canada

- ▶ **CSA Use Categories**
Ground Contact Use: UC4.1*
**Above Ground Use: UC1,
UC2, UC3.1, UC3.2**

Viance provides 3-part model specifications at www.TreatedWood.com

Preserve ACQ treated wood products are produced by members of Wood Preservation Canada (WPC) in Canadian Wood Preservation Certification Authority (CWPCA) certified wood treating facilities.

The CWPCA ensures that certified plants respect and fulfill the demands and requirements outlined by Environment Canada's Technical Recommendations Document for the Design and Operation of Wood Preservation Facilities (TRD).

Follow the safe practices listed below when working with pressure-treated wood. Specific work practices may vary depending on the environment and safety requirements of individual jobs.

Use

Wood pressure-treated with ACQ preservatives may be used inside residences as long as all sawdust and construction debris are cleaned up and disposed of after construction.

- ▶ Do not use treated wood under circumstances where the preservative may become a component of food or animal feed. Examples of such sites would be structures or containers for storing silage or food.
- ▶ Do not use treated wood for cutting boards or countertops.
- ▶ Only use treated wood that's visibly clean and free from surface residue for patios, decks and walkways.
- ▶ Do not use treated wood for construction of those portions of beehives that may come in contact with honey.
- ▶ Do not use treated wood where it may come in direct or indirect contact with public drinking water, except for uses involving incidental contact such as docks and bridges.
- ▶ Do not use treated wood for mulch.
- ▶ Never burn preservative treated wood.

Handling

Wear gloves to protect against splinters. Wear a dust mask when machining any wood to reduce the inhalation of wood dusts. Avoid frequent or prolonged inhalation of sawdust from treated wood. Machining operations should be performed outdoors whenever possible to avoid indoor accumulations of airborne sawdust.

- ▶ Wear appropriate eye protection to reduce the potential for eye injury from wood particles and flying debris during machining.
- ▶ Wash exposed areas thoroughly with mild soap and water after working with treated wood. If preservative or sawdust accumulates on clothes, launder before reuse. Wash work clothes separately from other household clothing.



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Preserve ACQ is a NAHB Home Innovation Research Labs Green Certified Product for Resource Efficiency and is eligible to contribute points toward a building certification under the National Green Building Standard™. See NGBS Green Certified Product at www.homeinnovation.com/greenproducts.

Preserve® treated wood products are produced by independently owned and operated pressure treating wood facilities* See Preserve ACQ Lifetime Limited Warranty at www.treatedwood.com

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