

# DRYWOOD OPTI-JOINT XP

## Joint sealer

DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP is specifically developed to keep wooden joints in joinery moisture tight and dry. DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP is suited as a glue for wooden window frames and specific parts in windows and doors to keep finished wooden joinery in perfect condition by sealing end grains and prevention of capillaries.



DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP is suitable for common hard- and softwoods and chemically or thermally modified wood. Good adhesion to various other materials that might be primed. The product fills capillaries without foaming. No long pressing times or high pressing pressures required for a good gluing. Overcoatable with common water borne woodcoatings. Stays flexible to absorb movements in the joint due to swelling and shrinkage of post and sill during service life. DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP hardens due to moisture in the air.



### **TECHNICAL DATA**

Certificates, approvals and	KOMO Certificate BRL 0819 (20935)
classification	
Fields of application	Exterior doors, Windows
Recommended substrate	Hardwood, Modified wood, Softwood
Solids	Approx. 95% by volume
Volatile organic compound (VOC)	See safety data sheet.
Colours	Translucent grey.
Density	1.20-1.25 kg/l
Storage	Shelf-life is at least 24 months in unopened and closed packaging. Must not
	freeze. Keep containers tightly closed after use.
Packaging	290 ml cartrigdes (box with 25 pcs.) and 600 ml sausages (box with 20 pcs.).

## **DIRECTION FOR USE**

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#### **Application conditions**

Relative air humidity: Max. 75%

Temperature: Min. 15°C and max. 35°C

Check fitting of parts to be connected. If fitting is below 0.2 mm apply minimum amount of material on one side. With a fitting up to 1 mm apply a large amount of DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP on one side. With fittings between 1 and 2 mm apply a large amount on both sides to be connected. DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP should be applied and spread carefully over the entire surface, including the end grains.

Apply 400 to 1200 ml/m² of DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP depending on the surface roughness and width of the fitting. Prevent application of excess amount of material in order to avoid splitting of the wood. This is especially important on areas where it cannot flow out like dowel holes. Recommended to use PVAc glue for dowels. Prevent contact of both glues.

Maximum time between application and assembly is 15 min. due to skin formation of DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP after this time. Parts of window frame should be connected at low pressure preferably around 30 bar, not exceeding 50 bar.

Lock corner joint and the like should be secured with a stainless steel nail or screw to prevent movement of the joint before solidification of the DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP. Dowel based joints in principal do not require this unless the size or weight of the joint is very high or if the fitting is very loose.

Ask for detailed work instructions for DRYWOOD Opti-Joint XP.

Thinning	The product is delivered ready for use.
Drying time	
-touch dry	Approx. 1 h
-overcoatable	DRYWOOD Opti-joint XP can be overcoated with water-borne industrial
	woodcoatings from Teknos directly 15 min. to 1 h (DRYWOOD Optiprimer) or
	40 h (DRYWOOD End Grain Sealer, DRYWOOD Optifinish) after application -
	consult Teknos.
Coating system	Joint sealer applied parts must always be protected with a topcoat treatment
	before they are exposed to the influence of the weather.
Cleaning	Clean equipment after use with dry cloth or suitable detergent.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

**Safety and precaution measures** See safety data sheet.



## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Waste management

Material and all related packaging must be disposed in a safe way in accordance with full requirements of local authorities.

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