

TruExterior®

PREFINISHING INSTRUCTIONS

Siding & Trim

TruExterior® Siding & Trim is made with an innovative poly-ash material. For additional information, visit the resources page on [TruExterior.com](https://www.TruExterior.com).

Storage & Handling

- Product must be stored flat on a level surface in a clean, dry location (**Fig. 1**).
- Keep product wrapped and protected from the elements until ready for processing (**Fig. 1**).
- Cardboard corners should be used under all bands (**Fig. 1**).
- Painting product wet or saturated may result in poor paint adhesion and defective surface condition after application.
- If product becomes wet, allow to air dry at room temperature. Mechanical drying of any type is not recommended (i.e. heated forced air, curing ovens, tunnel drying, etc.).

Finishing TruExterior Products

- TruExterior products are dimensionally stable which promotes long-lasting paint adhesion, even with dark colors.
- Minor dents and dings may be repaired with a high-grade exterior caulk or exterior wood filler.
- Use a high-grade exterior acrylic paint and follow the paint manufacturer's application instructions.
- Ensure all surfaces are free of dirt or other contaminants and completely dry before painting.
- Ensure that surfaces are adequately covered with paint per the paint manufacturer's guidelines.
- When using a sprayer to apply paint, it is best to back roll or back brush to avoid paint runs, drips or bubbles on the siding surface.

For a list of paints recommended for use with TruExterior, visit the resources page on [TruExterior.com](https://www.TruExterior.com).

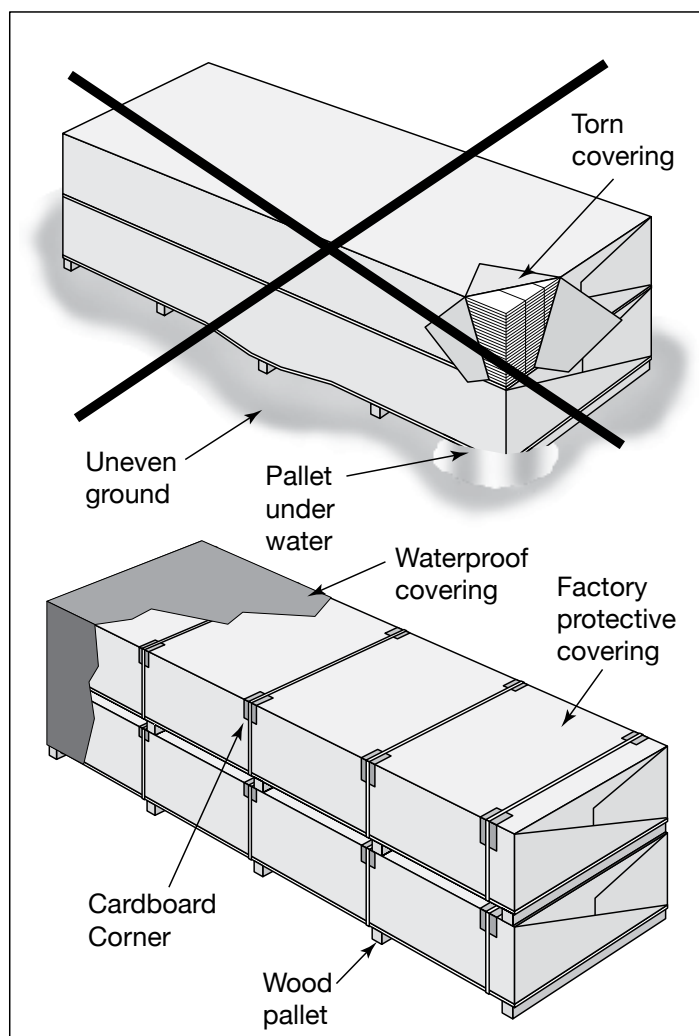


Fig. 1

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