

**SPECIFICATION SHEET # 7203, PAINTED BARNWOOD LUMBER
October 12th, 2006**

1. Species

Mixed Species. May include Pine, Fir, Spruce, Douglas Fir, Larch, Oak, Elm, Hickory, Ash, Maple, Beech, Poplar, Cedar, others. Typically heavy to softwoods.

2. Source

Barns, corncribs, stables, mills, homes and other buildings and agricultural structures from different locations in North America.

3. Moisture Content/Stability

Air-Dried. Barnwood is generally more stable and less prone to shrinkage than is green lumber.

4. Knots

Unlimited knots; some tight, some fallen out.

5. Metal/Holes

Nails and fasteners are removed or occasionally cut flush or broken off. Barnwood will generally have some nail holes, but few, if any bolt holes. Staining around holes is common.

6. Checking/Cracks

Unlimited as long as board is sound.

7. Grain

Mixed grain

8. Surfacing/Texture

Painted and Weathered; Painted Barnwood may include material which was originally roughsawn and material which was originally planed smooth. One of the unique features of Barnwood is the range of textures found therein. The surfacing and texture of different barnwood sources may vary widely.

9. Coloring

Weathered (degree of weathering varies); Trestlewood's Painted Barnwood is sorted into solid red, flaky red, solid white and flaky white sorts. One of the unique features of barnwood is the variety of colors found therein. Most boards will have two or more shades of colors where the barnwood weathered at different rates. As a result, Trestlewood generally does not offer a color sort which does not allow for some latitude in color provided.

10. Standard Dimensions

a) Thickness: 1" (actual: 5/8" to 4/4") and 2" (actual: 1 1/2" to 8/4"); b) Width: random, 4" to 12"; c) Lengths: 1' increments from 4' to 16'.

11. Appearance Variation

Barnwood generally comes from a variety of sources. As a result, characteristics can be expected to vary from piece to piece. Trestlewood believes that appearance variations (no two pieces of barnwood exactly alike) are one of the selling points of this product line.

12. Weight

Depending on species mix. Typically, approximately 2.5 pounds per board foot

13. Other

Barnwood can be very brittle and may split easily. Special care, such as pre-drilling holes for nails, is advisable.