



Handling & Care



UPON RECEIVING YOUR DOOR UNIT

- Inspect your door unit immediately and report any damages or defects to the store in which you made your purchase.
- Do not install any door unit that is defective and or damaged as installing such door will void the warranty.
- Any labor costs will not be covered by the warranty after a defective or damaged door unit has been installed.
- Concealed damages will not be covered after 48 hours of receiving door or once the door unit has been installed.

STORAGE AND HANDLING

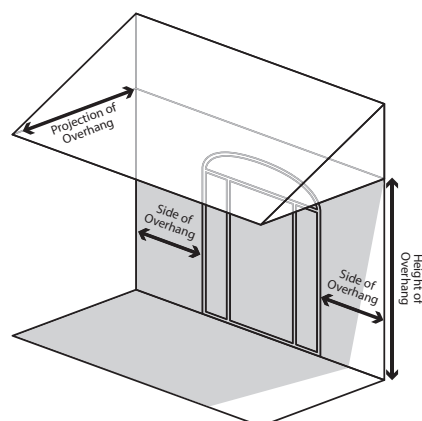
- Unfinished product must be finished immediately prior to storage
- Store in a well ventilated area.
- Deliver door unit to the job site only after plaster, texture and/or cement is dry.
- Door units stored in excess of 60-days prior to installation will void the warranty.

MAINTENANCE FOR UNFINISHED WOOD ENTRY DOORS

- Door slabs must be finished or primed and painted on all six sides immediately.
- Pre-hung door units must be completely finished or primed and painted immediately.
- Use good quality oil base or acrylic latex paints.
- Do not use a water base primer.
- If painting – Higher gloss paints will offer better protection than “flat/low gloss” paints.
- If staining – Follow the stain manufacturer’s instructions and the maintenance instructions listed.

MAINTENANCE FOR PRE-FINISHED WOOD ENTRY DOORS

- Your new door unit is a fine piece of furniture and must be maintained as such. Exposure to the elements (sun, rain, snow, sleet and air pollutants) will cause a well finished door unit to be affected. The following requirements will help you understand the maintenance needed to protect your investment.
- Direct sunlight will cause the finish on any door unit to deteriorate faster.
- The entryway must provide adequate protection against the elements. See Figure 1.
- Inspect your door unit periodically. If the topcoat has been damaged or is showing signs of deterioration an additional application of top coat will need to be applied. When choosing a top coat, we recommend a polyurethane satin finish. Apply clear coat per manufacturer instructions.
- Depending on the environment, the door unit will need to be refinished periodically.



- INSTALLATION OF A STORM DOOR WILL VOID WARRANTY!
 - INSTALLING A WOOD DOOR IN ANY DIRECT SUNLIGHT WILL VOID THE WARRANTY!
 - LACK OF PROPER OVERHANG WILL VOID THE WARRANTY!
- The "Projection of Overhang" must measure a minimum of 1/2 the height of the entryway. The "Side of Overhang" must measure a minimum of three feet from the outside edge of the door unit. The overhang must provide protection of the door unit from direct exposure to the elements.