

# Columbia

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## RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE

For sale to and use only by certified applicators or by persons under their direct supervision and only for those uses covered by the certified applicators' certification.

**ACCEPTED**  
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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

### EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

If on skin: Wipe with vegetable oil or margarine, then wash with soap and water.

If in eyes: Wash with water & get medical attention.

If inhaled: Remove patient to fresh air, apply artificial respiration if necessary, call physician.

If ingested: Do not induce vomiting; call physician.

## AWPA No. 1 CREOSOTE OIL DARK AMBER

ACTIVE INGREDIENT	
Coal Tar Creosote (P1) .....	98.5%
INERT INGREDIENT	
Water .....	1.5%
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contains 8.95 lbs. of creosote per gallon

EPA EST. 11554-WV-01  
EPA REG. NO. 11554-2

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

### DANGER COMBUSTIBLE

See back panels for additional cautions

COLUMBIA PAINT CORP.

Five Gallons

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.

# DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling

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## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Columbia's AMPA-Cresosote Oil has been formulated to protect unpainted wood against attack by such insects as termites, carpenter ants and powder post beetles. It will also protect unpainted wood surfaces against mold, mildew, fungi and wood-destroying fungi. In addition, it repels a variety of dark staining insects on the treated surface.

Apply by brush, roll, conventional or airless spray. Coating thickness will vary with wood porosity and the degree of protection desired. A single application is required for satisfactory protection of wood enclosed or in woods with multiple applications recommended for open grain woods. Thinning is not generally required but should be necessary, see only a small amount of mineral spirits. AMPA-Cresosote Oil will protect up to 500 square feet per gallon.

AMPA-Cresosote Oil is intended for application to unpainted wood for above and below ground protection. Areas of heavy absorption, such as ends of cut ends, should receive additional coats or sealers for protection of fence posts. Seal the bottom portion overnight, remove and allow to dry. Apply again to exterior siding of barns and structures. Do not apply to surfaces where insects are likely to nest. Do not apply to feed storage containers.

### CAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS

HAZARD: May be fatal if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. Causes skin and eye irritation. May cause severe burns. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Use with adequate ventilation. Do not use internally. Wash thoroughly after skin contact. Before eating, drinking, use of tobacco products or using restroom.

### SAFETY HAZARDS

Applicators must wear gloves impervious to the wood treatment formulation in all situations where personal contact is expected (for example, during the actual application process and when handling freshly treated wood).

Spray applicators must wear protective clothing including overalls, jackets, gloves, boots and head covering impervious to the wood treatment formulation, and a respirator and goggles when spraying.

Applicators who apply this product by other application processes (e.g., brush-on) must wear long-sleeved shirts, long pants and an impermeable apron. Underwear clothing separately from other household laundry.

Applicators must not eat, drink or use tobacco products during those parts of the application process that may expose them to the wood treatment formulation.

Protective clothing must be changed when it shows signs of contamination. Dispose of worn out protective clothing and workwear or boots in a general landfill in the trash or in any other manner approved for pesticide disposal.

Avoid inhaling vapors. If inhalation of vapors cannot be avoided, applicators must wear a properly fitting, well-maintained half-mask canister or cartridge respirator which is NIOSH/MSHA approved for polynuclear aromatics and organic vapors.

Do not apply where there may be direct contact with domestic animals or livestock, and where there may be contamination of food, feed or drinking and irrigation water.

Do not apply in interiors. Do not apply to wood intended for use in interiors except for those support structures which are in contact with the soil in barns, stables and similar sites and which are subject to decay or insect infestation. Interior surfaces of the treated wood should be sealed with two coats of an appropriate sealer. Sealers may be applied at the installation site.

Do not apply to wood intended for farrowing or breeding facilities. Do not apply to wood intended to be used in the interiors of farm buildings where there may be direct contact with domestic animals or livestock which may crib (chew) or lick the wood. This product may be used to treat wood intended to be used in interiors of farm buildings where doves or pigeons or livestock are unlikely to crib or lick the wood. If two coats of an appropriate sealer will be applied, sealers may be applied at the installation site.

Do not apply to wood intended to be used in a manner in which 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 this product to treat wood intended to be used for cutting boards or counter tops.

Do not use this product to treat wood intended for construction of those portions of beehives which may come into contact with honey.

Wood to be treated with this product should be cut to size before treatment. If it is necessary to saw or machine wood after treatment, wear goggles to protect the eyes from flying particles and a dust mask to avoid inhaling dust from the treated wood. If oily preservatives or sawdust accumulate on clothes, launder before re-use. Wash work clothes separately from other household laundry.

Contact with treated surfaces should be avoided even after the preservative has dried. When handling treated wood wear long-sleeved shirts, long pants and impervious gloves (e.g., vinyl coated).

Wash exposed skin thoroughly after contact with treated wood and before eating, drinking, using tobacco products or using the restroom.

This product should not be used on treated wood which will be in frequent or prolonged contact with skin, unless the wood will be treated with an effective sealer.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless this product is specifically identified and addressed in an NPDES permit. Do not discharge effluent to sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Do not use this product to treat wood intended for use where it may come into direct or indirect contact with public drinking water or drinking water for domestic animals and livestock, except for uses involving incidental contact such as docks and bridges.

## PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Flash Point 105 F (35 C). Cresosote is photoreactive. Exposure to cresosote liquid or vapor in direct sunlight can produce skin burns. Apply or organic vapor barrier cream to exposed skin prior to use.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Store away from heat, sparks or open flames.

Wood which has been treated with this product should be disposed of by burial or ordinary trash collection. Do not burn treated wood in an outdoor fire or in stoves or fireplaces because toxic chemicals may be produced as part of the smoke and ash.

Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

Wear to User: As used on this label, the term "respirator" means properly fitting, well-maintained half-mask canister or cartridge respirators which are NIOSH/MSHA approved for polynuclear aromatics and organic vapors. Examples of acceptable materials for protective clothing (e.g., gloves, overalls, head covering, jackets and boots) require during application and handling of cresosote are polyvinyl acetate (PVA), polyvinyl chloride (PVC), neoprene, MB (Buna-N), Urethane, epoxy and shellac are acceptable sealers for all cresosote-treated wood.

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