

Summit Series Finish 30-Year Limited Warranty



Cedar Creek, a BlueLinx Company, ("Cedar Creek") is pleased to provide this limited warranty to the original purchaser ("Purchaser" or "you") of its Summit Prefinished Siding.

- 1. What The Warranty Covers.** Subject to the terms described below, Cedar Creek warrants that, with normal care, when subjected to usual weather conditions, the factory-applied Summit finish will not
 - (i) discolor due to chalking,
 - (ii) discolor due to yellowing,
 - (iii) fade beyond normal weathering by a change in color greater than three (3) delta E's,
 - (iv) peel or blister, or
 - (v) erode and expose the substrate.

- 2. Time Periods Covered By The Warranty.** This Warranty covers materials for a period of thirty (30) years from the date of purchase and application (labor) costs for a period of fifteen (15) years (subject to proration) from the date of purchase.

- 3. What Cedar Creek Will Pay.** In the event the finish of the Summit Prefinished Siding is found to be defective as described in paragraph one (1), Cedar Creek will pay:
 - 3a. \$0.25 per square foot for coating materials to recoat the areas validated as defective of the specified conditions listed above.
 - 3b. During the first seven (7) years following the date of purchase, the reasonable cost of application of the coating material (labor) up to a total cost of not more than \$1.25 per square foot for areas validated as defective of the specified conditions listed above.
 - 3c. From year eight (8) through year fifteen (15), application costs will be prorated; each year the amount paid per square foot will be reduced per the schedule below.

Year 8 – 85% or \$1.07 per square foot
Year 9 – 75% or \$0.94 per square foot
Year 10 – 65% or \$0.82 per square foot
Year 11 – 55% or \$0.69 per square foot
Year 12 – 45% or \$0.57 per square foot
Year 13 – 35% or \$0.44 per square foot
Year 14 – 25% or \$0.32 per square foot
Year 15 – 15% or \$0.19 per square foot
Year 16-30 – No application cost coverage, material only at \$0.25 per square foot

- 4. What The Warranty Does Not Cover.**
 - 4a. This warranty does not apply to damage of any kind caused by air pollution, mildew, exposure to harmful chemicals, or normal weathering resulting from exposure to the elements.
 - 4b. This warranty does not apply to Summit Prefinished Siding that has not been properly stored, installed, and handled according to label directions and under normal conditions and exposure.

- 4c. This warranty does not cover damage caused by flood, fire, natural disaster, other casualty, or act of God; foreign objects; any abuse or misuse; improper handling during storage and transportation; or improper installation or damage caused by being installed.
- 4d. This warranty does not cover cracking, peeling, or blistering resulting from: the product becoming wet prior to installation, moisture exposure to the uncoated surfaces of the product after installation, improper ventilation, expansion and contraction, breakdown of the underlying substrate, surface deterioration due to pollution, abrasion, salt exposure, misuse, vandalism, mildew accumulation, or any introduction of moisture into the product prior to and during the installation of the product.
- 4e. This warranty does not cover or apply to any defect in the materials to which the Summit finish is applied. Cedar Creek is not the manufacturer of such materials and makes no warranty with respect to such materials. This warranty applies only to the Summit finish coating. Purchaser's sole remedy with respect to any defect in the materials to which the Summit finish is applied shall be with the manufacturer of such materials.

5. Number Of Claims and Time For Recoating. This warranty covers one recoating of purchased material and does not apply to material that has already been recoated. The surface recoating must occur within the Warranty period based on the date of purchase.

6. Disclaimer Of All Other Warranties And Remedies. THIS LIMITED WARRANTY IS THE SOLE LIABILITY OF CEDAR CREEK AND IS ISSUED AND ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF ANY AND ALL OTHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES. CEDAR CREEK EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY. CEDAR CREEK SHALL HAVE NO LIABILITY FOR ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING ANY THIRD PARTY CLAIMS. CEDAR CREEK LIABILITY IS LIMITED TO THE AMOUNT OF PAINT REQUIRED TO RECOAT THE PRODUCT AND THE COST OF APPLICATION FOR THE AMOUNTS AND TIME PERIODS SPECIFIED HEREIN.

Some states and provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

7. State Law Rights. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights, which vary from state to state and province to province.

8. Transfer of Warranty. This warranty is not transferrable.

9. Claims. A claim under this warranty shall only be effective if forwarded by certified mail, return-receipt requested to:

Cedar Creek (AR, IA, IL, IN, LA, MI, MO, MS, NE, OK, TN, TX)
204 East Chain of Rocks Road
Granite City, IL 62040
Attention: Summit Warranty Dept.
1-855-334-1001

OR

Cedar Creek (MN, WI, SD, ND)
1015 Pacific Street NW, Bldg #14
Aitkin, MN 56431
Attention: Summit Warranty Dept.
1-800-432-3727

10. Effective Date. This warranty is effective for purchases in which materials are prefinished out of the Granite City paint plant after September 1, 2015 and out of the Aitkin paint plant after March 5, 2018.

