Carpentry & Building Construction

Chapter 33 Exterior & Interior Paint

Section 33.1 Assessment Answers

- 1. Pigments protect wood from ultraviolet rays.
- 2. A binder is a resin that holds particles of pigment together. The particles form a film after the liquid evaporates.
- 3. Paints that have oil-base binders suspended in a mineral spirit, while Latex paints have latex-base binders suspended in water.
- 4. Because a primer does not block UV radiation, it must be covered with two coats of standard paint.
- 5. 6 gallons; \$133.62.

Section 33.2 Assessment Answers

- 1. The cost of the paint is a fairly small portion of the total cost of painting a home, and problems can be expensive to correct.
- 2. "Boxing" the paint means pouring it from one can into a larger can and stirring it again. This evens out any slight variations in color between cans.
- 3. narrow sash brush
- 4. A well-ventilated area away from pilot lights and other flames.
- 5. Answers will vary.

Section 33.3 Assessment Answers

- 1. Low-sheen paints are used in living rooms and bedrooms.
- 2. Edging is using a brush to paint along the corners between large flat surfaces, where a roller cannot reach.
- 3. Use a paint guard to protect the floor and to keep the brush from picking up dirt. A cardboard, metal, or plastic guard held flush against the bottom edge of the baseboard will also prevent the brush from picking up dirt.
- 4. The molding should be painted first. The panel should be painted second.
- 5. $T = 1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ hr.} + (A/100) \text{ hr.}$