

#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

Bark Binder™ creates a durable, yet pliable structure for your landscape and is highly resistant to wind, washouts and erosion.

Bark Binder™ is EPA-compliant and works naturally to bind with mulch and wood fibers.

Bark Binder™ is an easy-to-apply and long-lasting liquid which is applied with standard spraying equipment.



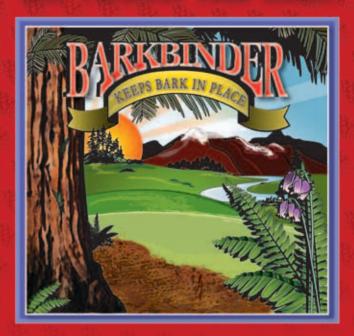
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#### **HELP PRESERVE YOUR MULCH!**



# AVOID YOUR LANDSCAPE MOVING FROM WIND, RAIN & LEAF BLOWERS!

- REDUCES EROSION & LOWERS MAINTENANCE
- INHIBITS WEED GROWTH
- SEALS & PROTECTS YOUR MULCH
- CREATES A STRONG STABILIZED MAT
- RESISTS WATER & WIND DEGRADATION
- WILL NOT HARM OR DISCOLOR PLANTS
- EASY TO APPLY & LONG LASTING
- REDUCES GROUND COVER FROM FADING
- ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE

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### **APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **STEP 1: DETERMINE THE PROPER MULCH/BARK**

**Redwood Ground Cover** 



Shredded Ground Cover

1/4" Mulch Ground Cover





Bark Binder™ works best with medium to small substrates such as mulch, shredded wood fiber and pine needles. Chunk bark chips & large fiber are not recommended.

#### THE FOLLOWING WILL NOT WORK WITH BARK BINDER™

**Any Chunk Bark** 

**Playground Fiber** 





Bark Binder<sup>TM</sup> will not work on large chips because some ground covers lack material such as smaller substrates that don't allow proper binding. Thus, larger materials, as shown above, will not be stabilized.

#### TEP 2: 🧪 EQUIPMENT & DILUTION MIXING



Mix 4 parts water for every 1 part Bark Binder™ in a pressurized sprayer. For example: 1 gallon of Bark Binder™ will yield 5 usable gallons and will cover a total of 125 sq. ft.

#### **STEP 3: PLACEMENT**



Make sure the proper bark/mulch is dry. Spray the diluted mixture of Bark Binder™ over the proper bark/mulch. Spray approximately 25 sq. ft. per gallon. One application-coat is recommended, an additional coat may be applied for increase durability.

Allow Bark Binder™ to cure for a minimum of 24 hours. Bark Binder™ will fully cure within 3-4 days in optimal dry weather.

#### **MAINTENANCE & RECOMMENDATIONS**

For maintanence, apply 50 sq.ft. per gallon every 12 - 24 months after initial application.

Do not install Bark Binder™ less than 24 hours after or 48 hours before rainfall.

Use Bark Binder™ to create an enhanced and clean look to wood fibers.

Bark Binder™ is used to keep wood fiber in place, greatly reducing maintenance and cleanup.

#### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- 1. What type of bark to use on?
  - Most any tree, leaf, needles or straw. Shredded bark and smaller substrates works better than larger bark chips.
- 2. What size of bark can I use?

Please see step 1 of this brochure, contact your Bark Binder™ dealer or call us @ 877.356.2250 x 2.

- What other factors should I consider for best results?
   Factors such as ground cover thickness, slopes, weather conditions and foot traffic should be addressed before application to assure optimal results.
- 4. Do I compact it down after it dries?
  No, compaction is not required.
- Do I compact down the bark before application?
   Lightly tamp and grade to how you want it before applying. Compaction not required.
- 6. Is it permeable?

Yes, areas stabilized w/ Bark Binder™ will allow water, air and nutrient transfer to the soil.

- Will it change/enhance color of bark?
   Bark Binder™ seals and protects and will lightly enhance the mulch's color.
- 8. How far does it penetrate?
  1-2" depending on amount and type of mulch/bark.
- Can I walk on it after it has dried?
   Yes, foot traffic for maintenance is suitable. For areas that might have higher use it is recommended to use thinner
- Will it help prevent my bark from fading in color?
   Yes, Bark Binder will seal and protect the mulch, reducing the effects of fading caused by moisture and UV.

substrates and apply a 2nd coat for optimal durability.

11. What if I oversprayed onto plants/hardscapes?

Bark Binder™ will not harm plants or other vegatation. It is EPA compliant & VOC free.

#### **MORE QUESTIONS?**

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