WHEN CHOOSING PAINT FOR OUR PAINTABLE (030) SHUTTERS, USE THE GUIDELINES LISTED BELOW:

PAINTING INSTRUCTIONS:

Paint varies from brand to brand. For best results, we recommend a high quality 100% acrylic paint. The paint must not contain vinyl acetates or vinyl chloride. * The VOC content should be 1.75+.25 lb. (e.g., glycol ether or equiv.) If painting with satin or gloss, a quality primer is recommended. Follow all paint label instructions for cleaning, preparation, and application (e.g., TSP - Trisodium Phosphate for detergent.)

*Generally, lesser cost/quality paints contain these ingredients.

As noted above the VOC content must be 1.75+.25 lb./gallon for good Adhesion. The VOC’s provide, among other things, for good adhesion to the substrate. All satin and gloss paints have lower adhesion characteristic because of the inherent sheen in the look. That is why we recommend a primer be used on all satin and gloss paints. The primers that passed our test include Sherwin Williams Wall and Wood Oil-Base primer, XIM Primer (solvent based.)
Taken from a box of a pair of Polypropylene (colored) shutters:

No paint to ever chip or flake!

NOTE: Because of our exclusive color molded-in process these shutters cannot be painted. However special paintable units are available for your custom colors.

See your distributor for details.