

Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain adds colour to timber, but allows the grain to show through. It's oil rich formula penetrates the timber to protect and enhance the colour. It is available in a wide range of popular timber colours. Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain dries completely to give a surface that won't mark clothing or skin.

INTENDED USES – EXTERIOR ONLY

- Ideal for all rough sawn and smooth timber or over similar oil stains
- Beams, pergolas, gates
- Weatherboards
- Window Frames

TECHNICAL DATA

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| • Vehicle Type | Modified oil |
| • Pigmentation | Oxide pigments |
| • Solvent | Mineral Turpentine |
| • Pot Life | Not applicable |
| • Finish | Matt oiled look |
| • Colour | Available in an extensive range of tinted and standard colours |
| • Touch Dry Time | Being oil based may take several days to fully harden |
| • Recoat | 24 hours (minimum) |
| • Preparatory Coat | Not required |
| • Theoretical Coverage | 4-12 m ² /L depending on porosity and texture of the surface |
| • Dry Film Thickness | Not applicable |
| • Usual no. of Coats | 1-2 |
| • Toxicity of dry film | Non toxic |
| • Durability | Good |
| • Thinning and Clean up | Mineral Turpentine |
| • V.O.C | Greater than 300 grams per litre as per EC-07-01 |
| • Pack Size | 10L,5L,1L |

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PERFORMANCE PARAMETERS

Features

- It adds colour to the timber but allows the grain to show through
- Protects timber from UV degradation
- Available in a wide range of colours

Constraints

- Do not use on surfaces that have been previously painted. Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain Rustic Oak or Kowhai is recommended as a rejuvenating colour on previously stained timber.
- Stain colours appear to darken gradually as the timber beneath changes, this should be considered as a normal aspect of the claddings performance

SURFACE PREPARATION

Ensure timber is clean, dry and free from dirt, grease, oil and other contaminants.

We advise smooth (dressed) surfaces be left to weather for two weeks to loose their polished surface and improve stain uptake. *An initial coat of Wattyl Forestwood Combat applied to all surfaces, face, laps, end grain, and if possible the reverse of weatherboards will significantly improve mould resistance and timber stability.

Exterior ply in particular benefits from this extra treatment.

Leave the Wattyl Forestwood Combat to dry for a minimum of two hours and a maximum of 7 days before applying Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain.

APPLICATION

Stir Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain thoroughly before and occasionally during use to ensure a uniform colour. For added colour consistency mix and box together all cans on site before use. Partly used cans of Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain should be used within 3 months.

Staining: Apply one coat worked well into the timber. Rough sawn timbers may require a second coat, but generally one coat is sufficient. Allow to dry overnight between coats. For new work a second coat should be applied after the first summers weathering. Resist the temptation to apply excess stain, to be effective stains must penetrate the timber, not remain on the surface. Excessive applications of stain can create a varnished look that may lead to premature failure.

NOTES

Wattyl Forestwood Traditional Oil Stain should only be used on bare timber or over previously oil stained surfaces. Do not apply over paint or onto surfaces other than timber.

Maintenance: We recommend regular (at least annual) washing of the surface to remove surface contaminants with a mixture of 250 mls mould killer, 20 mls Liquid sugar soap, and 4 litres of water applied with a soft brush. Hose off and allow the surface to dry. Re-staining should be conducted every 2-3 summers, or as soon as the timber shows signs of weathering due to exposure. If the timber retains sufficient depth of colour select a light stain such as Kowhai, or Rustic Oak for rejuvenation. Clean surfaces as outlined above before re-staining. Spot stain bare areas, allow to dry overnight, then apply one full coat over the whole area. Darker colours will attract more heat and the interval between re-staining may be reduced.

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