



PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Product	Exterior Woodstain
Type	Coloured water-based acrylic varnish, available in Gloss or Satin. Gives long lasting protection to all external wood, allowing the natural grain to show through.
Intended Use	Exterior joinery both hard & softwood, doors, windows, garden furniture, conservatories. May also be used as a sealer for concrete.
Special Features	Low odour, non-yellowing, resists cracking, peeling, blistering. Wash brushes in water. Available in Light/ Med /Dark Oak, Mahogany, Teak, Walnut
Preparation	Surfaces must be clean, dry and free of wax, grease and contaminants, smooth and sound. Fill large cracks, open joints and damaged areas with a high quality flexible filler. Wash oily woods, knots or resinous areas with white spirit. Remove mould, lichens, algae & moss with brush, scraper & domestic bleach, then rinse thoroughly and allow to dry.
Application	Using a synthetic brush, apply liberally with a full brush across the direction of the grain; finish with light brushing with the grain. The first coat may be diluted with water on hot days (up to 15%). Do not apply to hot surfaces or in strong sunlight if possible.
Coats	Apply 3 coats for best durability, lightly sand after 1 st coat. If colour has been achieved after 1 or 2 coats then finish off with a coat of Clear Exterior Varnish.
Drying Time	Touch dry 30 minutes. (On hot days may be touch dry within 10 minutes).
Re-coating Time	4 hours minimum, depending on temperature & humidity.
Application Temp.	Ideally 15-25°C. Not below 10°C, high humidity or if rain expected.
Coverage	12-15sq.m per litre, 1 coat, depending on absorbency of surface.
Maintenance	Re-coat every 2 to 3 years depending on exposure, after cleaning with a mild detergent solution and lightly sanding to key surface.
Compatibility	May be applied over old existing coating if these are in good condition and rubbed down to provide a key. Coatings not in good condition should be removed with Rustins' Strypit Paint and Varnish Stripper . If applying over wood preservatives test on a small area to ensure the varnish dries and adheres well.
Settlement	STIR WELL BEFORE USE. May dry glossy if not adequately stirred.
Shelf-life/Storage	Many years if stored in original, tightly closed container in normal conditions. Do not store below 5°C. PROTECT FROM FROST.
Hazards	Non-flammable. General good practice: avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothes. A full Safety Data Sheet is available upon request.
Clean-Up	With water whilst still wet. If dried-on, clean equipment & brushes with either Rustins' Brush Restorer or Cellulose Thinners .
Sizes	250ml 500ml 1Ltr 2.5Ltr 5Ltr