

## HICKSON DECOR WAXCOAT

one coat timber protection

### DESCRIPTION

A concentrated, one coat, clear, water repellent wax coating, formulated for the protection of externally exposed timber surfaces that produces a rich professional semi-gloss finish. The grain and texture of the wood is accentuated and the timber is protected from drying out. The dried coating provides UV resistance, water droplet repellence and protection against moisture ingress, warping, swelling, cracking, and splitting, maintaining timber in a bright, clean condition.

Waxcoat is not a varnish, its place is in the wood not on the surface. It protects by penetrating the wood, waterproofing and enhancing the grain.

**ideal to use on** • decking • timber structures • exterior panelling • wood shingles • pontoons • jetties • garden furniture • picnic tables • planters • screen fencing • cladding unique qualities • water repellent

### MAIN FEATURES

- Provides a highly water repellent finish
- Reduces the timber's capacity to retain water
- unique qualities
- water repellent. protects against warping
- protects against swelling • protects against cracking
- One coat

### SURFACE PREPARATION

Remove any dirt, dust, oil or grease. Surface must be dry.

New surfaces – no other preparation.

Weathered surfaces – sand down to clean, sound, treated wood (use dust mask if using sanding equipment with no dust collect)on).

Previously painted or stained surfaces remove down to clean bare wood.

Waxcoat must be absorbed into the timber.

### METHODS OF APPLICATION

One liberal coat. Allow time for absorption along the grain of the timber.

By brush, short haired roller or 'vee' applicator only.

New timber should be well sanded, non-oily and thoroughly dry. Old paint, stain or varnish - strip back to bare wood, sand and clean, coat as new wood. Stir thoroughly. Do not apply below 5°C. Brush apply one coat evenly with the grain in a full flowing coat, do not overbrush. caution: Timbers containing high natural oils, e.g. Teak and Iroko, may inhibit drying and cause impaired penetration. Wiping surface with methylated spirit will assist penetration. Wear a suitable face mask if dry sanding

### MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

When required, every 1-2 years, depending on the level and nature of the exposure. Always remove leaves and decaying vegetation from the surface of decking as soon as possible in order to retain the benefits of waxcoat.

Clean brushes and spillages with white spirit. Remove as much product as possible from brush before washing. Some Local Authorities have special facilities for disposing of waste coatings. Do no empty paint into drains and watercourse. Do no empty product into drains and watercourse. Do not use white spirit on skin. A proprietary hand cleaner should be used.

Protect from extremes of temperature during storage and application.

### CAUTION

Always apply to a test area before starting work. Appearance may vary according to the colour and type of wood and the number of coats.

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**COVERAGE**

5-7 square metres per litre, depending on substrate

**DRYING TIME**

Touch dry 3-5 hours. Allow 24 hours between coats.

**PACKAGING**

available in: 1 litre, 2.5 litre.

**STORAGE**

Store in unopened containers in a cool dry place away from direct sunlight.

**HEALTH SAFETY AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

Danger Flammable liquid and vapour. May be fatal if swallowed and enters airways. May cause drowsiness and dizziness. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects. Read label before use. Keep out of reach of children. If medical advice is needed, have the product container or label at hand. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye or face protection. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating, lighting and all material-handling equipment. Avoid release to the environment. IF INHALED: remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. IF SWALLOWED: immediately call a POISON CENTRE or physician. Do NOT induce vomiting. IF ON SKIN (or hair): take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower. Keep cool. Dispose of contents and container in accordance with all local, regional, national and international regulations. Contains 3-iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate. May produce an allergic reaction. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking. Hazardous ingredients: Naphtha (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy.

The information supplied herein is accurate to the best of our knowledge. Since conditions and methods are beyond our control, no warranty is expressed or implied. You are advised to assess the suitability of the product on a test area before application

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