



## WOODGUARD

### DESCRIPTION:

A clear light plant oil, solvent based, interim wood preservative, containing highly refined natural waxes. Designed to protect exposed raw timber prior to staining and / or finishing. In green timbers (with high moisture content), Woodguard will assist in the prevention of warping cracking, and checking caused by water absorption and rapid drying out. Woodguard's deep penetrating formula contains extracts which are anti-bacterial/insecticidal as well as Tung Nut Oil and waxes to assist in the reduction of weather staining and tannin leach-out.

### USES:

For exterior use on raw timber joinery, hardwood decking, (including Fijian Mahogany), cladding, joists, bearers, pergolas and garden furniture which has a high tannin content. Ideal for internal timbers such as rafters, beams and panelling. Woodguard may also be used as a sanding sealer and / or fine buffing oil for woodworkers.

### NOTE:

Although plenty of ingredients remain in the timber, Woodguard's "surface appearance" weather protection in fully exposed conditions is approximately 2-3 months. **Timbers treated with Woodguard that are not fully exposed to the weather, will require sanding prior to application of a finishing product.** At this point, we recommend you finish your timber with the Organoil product applicable, following the instructions on that can.

### PREPARATION:

Ensure you have read and understood the above notes. The timber should be cleaned (wash down) and dry (3 days minimum) prior to application of Woodguard and subsequent finishing product. **MAKE SURE you remove sawdust, nails, metal filings etc from on or near the timber's surface prior to washing and application of Woodguard, as these materials contain elements that will stain should any moisture react with them.**

### APPLICATION: (Use and allow to dry with good ventilation)

1. Shake and stir well prior to and during use.
2. Brush, roll, dip or spray on. When spraying, goggles, gloves and paper mask are recommended.
3. Apply ONE coat (liberally on rough sawn timber and/or softwoods). If dipping, immerse for 1-2 minutes and allow to drip dry.
4. With dressed timbers, dry brush or cloth in any evident excess oil within half to 1 hour of application.

### COVERAGE: (Approximately per coat)

Hardwoods..... 10 – 12 square metres per litre (6 – 7 on rough sawn timber)  
Softwoods..... 6 – 8 square metres per litre (3 – 4 on rough sawn timber)

### SIZES:

2 litre, 4 litre and 10 litre containers.

### FINAL FINISHING:

**It is important to let surfaces treated with Woodguard to run the full 2-3 months exposure prior to final finishing. This will allow the timber to better season/acclimatise and more readily accept your chosen final finish. Woodguard takes the place of one coat of finishing product.** If the finishing coat is an Organoil product, follow the instructions on that can, remembering that with remnants of Woodguard still in your timber, the coverage rate will be superior. If the finishing product is a coating or film forming product, lightly sand the timber's surfaces with 120—150 grit paper before applying the finish.

### HANDLING:

Store with lid tightly closed in a cool place. Clean up with warm soapy water or oil-based thinners. **SOAK CLOTHS IN WARM SOAPY WATER, RINSE AND HANG TO DRY AS THEY MAY SELF IGNITE IF LEFT UNATTENDED.** Keep out of reach of children, and away from any source of ignition. Use in a well ventilated area. In some instances, this product may cause a mild skin irritation. The use of gloves and mask are recommended. If swallowed, seek medical advice. Do not induce vomiting. A Material Safety Data Sheet is available upon request.

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