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Exterior Oil "SEMI-CLEAR" & "HUE OF UMBER" SPECIFICATION & PROCEDURAL DATA SHEET



DESCRIPTION:

For the nourishment and protection of vertically exposed timbers. Tung and other vital plant oils/extracts have been impregnated with refined bees wax and U-V ray absorbing oxides to provide a natural, transparent finish, guarding against exposure degradation and woodrot. Same focus as **DECKING OIL**, though without water laying on, and "grip" considerations of horizontal surfaces, this formulation can be slightly more nourishing (also slower drying).

USES:

Exterior timber, **Cladding, Joinery (doors/windows), Pergolas, Rafters** etc. With high-rise cladding/joinery exposed to weather, consider maintenance cycles advocated (see below) if/when appraising this product for use on difficult to reach scenarios.

SPECIAL NOTES:

- a) WESTERN RED CEDAR, PINEWOOD PLY and other ROUGH-SAWN cladding - as airborne pollutants more readily collect on textured surfaces consider sanding (**80-120** grit paper) off excess fibre prior to oiling/installation
- b) Also, prior to installation/erection, strongly consider the merit of applying one, moisture-repelling coat of this oil to what will become the rear (and probably inaccessible later) face of your formwork.
- c) PREVIOUSLY FINISHED TIMBER – given the predominant use of synthetic resins in most other-brand acrylics, emulsions **and** oils, ORGANOIL products are not compatible with them. If wishing to change to our products, you should thoroughly wash, then sand down surfaces prior – if not willing to do this, stay with the product already on there!

APPEARANCE:

MATT finish only. Enhances existing colour of red/brown timbers, though will impart light honey/tan ("**semi-clear**") or light red ("**Hue of UMBER**") colour to Cedar, Pine, Oregon and blonde hardwoods.

SIZES AVAILABLE:

1 ltr, 4 ltr & 10 ltr cans. For availability visit website home page.

COVERAGE

	1st Coat	2nd Coat/Re-coat
Softwoods	4-6 sq. metres/litre	6-8 sq. metres/litre
Hardwoods	8-12 sq. metres/litre	12-16 sq. metres/litre

(lower parameters of coverage are for rough-sawn/higher parameters for dressed)

PREPARATION:

1. Have you considered whether above **SPECIAL NOTES a), b) and c)** are applicable?
2. Ensure timber is clean and dry (min **48** hrs since last wetted). If rain is imminent, put job off until weather clears and timber dries.

APPLICATION:

1. Stir well prior and during use. This maintains even distribution of ingredients throughout.
2. Apply with brush or lambswool/cloth (dressed timber only) applicator. You may choose spraying (airless equipment best) on broad area cladding, though be careful of overspray and excessive runs.
3. Apply **2** coats (**1** only when rejuvenating) a minimum of **24 hours** apart. It is essential that within **1-2 hrs** of final application (and re-coating) you dry-brush or cloth in excess surface oil. This helps to ensure surfaces are non-tacky (less likely to collect dust).

Construction site note: with timber cladding being coated prior to installation, our recommendation is: **1** application to all sides of boarding, stack with boards separated for ventilation whilst drying, install when ready, then apply **2nd** coat to all aspects that are now available/exposed.

CLEAN UP:

Hot Soapy water or Gum Turpentine.

MAINTENANCE:

Given the vertical aspect, with lower direct U-V ray duration than decking etc., best surface appearances are maintained by the occasional wash down (soapy water and bristled brush/water-pressure cleaner) and light re-oiling. Areas that are fully exposed should require this attention every **12-18 months**. Where under verandah roof protection it would more likely be every **3-4 years**. Only re-oil areas seen to be necessary.

BOTTOM LINE:

Timber's structural soundness, and protection against exposure degradation and woodrot, is well catered for by the ingredients of our external products. Air-borne pollutants, such as that from roadways, airways and particularly gum tree soot, collect on ALL surfaces (eg. your motor vehicle etc). Given your location, rinse down surfaces intermittently so as they don't build up. Where large areas of woodwork are involved, do yourself a favour and procure an efficient water-pressure cleaner. Finally, you are not excused from referring to can's instruction label for other storage, disposal, health and safety considerations.

CONDITIONS:

OUR INFORMATION IS GIVEN IN GOOD FAITH AND IS BASED ON RESULTS OBTAINED FROM EXPERIENCE AND TESTS. HOWEVER, AS THE ACTUAL END USE OF THESE PRODUCTS IS BEYOND OUR CONTROL, ALL RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE WITHOUT GUARANTEE. NO REPRESENTATIVE OR AGENT OF OURS HAS THE AUTHORITY TO WAIVE OR ALTER THESE CONDITIONS.

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