

PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET

DECKING OIL

DESCRIPTION

DURALEX DECKING OIL contains both linseed oil and hard wax and will enhance the natural colour of timber as well as protect the timber from the weather.

USES

It can be used on new and previously oiled or stained exterior decks and timber surfaces.

SURFACE PREPARATION

Clean surface thoroughly and remove all stains, grease, dirt and mildew. This is best done with **Duralex clean&BRIGHT** and a scrubbing brush, allow the deck to dry. If needed lightly sand the timber to restore the timbers natural colour and dust off. **Note:** Tannin rich timbers (e.g. Merbau, Blackbutt and Jarrah) should be left to weather for 4 to 6 weeks before thoroughly cleaning and applying **DURALEX DECKING OIL**.

APPLICATION

Stir thoroughly with a flat paddle before and during use. Apply 2 to 3 coats with a good quality brush or lambs wool applicator (recommended).

Apply the first coat liberally to the entire surface, paying particular attention to the end grains and exposed edges. Allow the decking oil to soak into the timber for several minutes before going over again with the lambs wool applicator or cloth rag* to remove any excess decking oil. Apply a second coat and again remove any excess oil. Do not apply additional coats if the surface is still tacky. For extra protection and colour, apply a light third coat.

DRYING TIME

In average weather conditions $(25^{\circ}C)$, touch dry in 6-8 hours and recoat after 24 hours. Do not apply in temperatures below $10^{\circ}C$ or if rain or dew is likely within 24 hours. The surface can be walked on after 24 hours. Drying time may be longer on dense and tannin rich timbers or during cold weather.

NOTE

DURALEX DECKING OIL is not suitable for painted surfaces. Failure to remove excess decking oil may result in a tacky surface that will need to be cleaned with a cloth rag* (see "SAFETY") dipped in the decking oil before recoating; this is more likely to occur on dense and tannin rich timbers. Thinning is not needed nor recommended.

COVERAGE

DURALEX DECKING OIL will cover from 6-10m² per coat per litre depending on surface conditions and application methods.

MAINTENANCE OF TIMBER SURFACE

A fresh coat of **DURALEX DECKING OIL** is recommended approximately every 12-18 months, dependent on traffic and weathering of the surface. Clean and apply one or two coats as needed.

CLEAN UP

Clean equipment with mineral turps immediately after use.

COLOURS

Natural can be tinted to Merbau and Jarrah colours on request.

DISPOSAL

Do not dispose of **DURALEX DECKING OIL** or oil wash in drains or sewers. Excess oil should be brushed out on newspaper, allowed to dry and disposed of through the normal waste collection. (See Product Information Sheet for disposal).

SIZES

1, 4, 6, 10, 15 and 20 Ltr.

RECYCLE

This can is recyclable. Check with your local council to see if it is participating in a steel can recycling program.

IMPORTANT

Provide adequate ventilation during use and drying time. Keep **DURALEX DECKING OIL** out of reach of children. If contact with the eyes occurs, rinse with running water and seek help if irritation persists. If swallowed, do not induce

vomiting. Give a glass of water and seek medical assistance or contact the Poison Information Centre (13 11 26).

*Linseed Oil is an exothermic oil and can self ignite when left in oily rags. All rags used should be washed in soapy water and dried before being stored or disposed of.



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NEVER POUR LEFTOVER PAINTS DOWN THE DRAIN CLEANING UP AFTER PAINTING

EXCESS / UNWANTED PAINT & RESIDUE

• At the completion of a painting job, brush out excess unwanted oil onto newspaper, allow to dry and dispose of through the normal waste collection. (See Product Information Sheet for disposal).

WASHING OF EQUIPMENT:

• Clean equipment with mineral turps immediately after use.

DISPOSAL OF RESIDUE:

- Paint solids at the bottom of the first container can be scraped onto an absorbent material as previously described. Allow to dry, then dispose as previously described.
- The SECOND container can now be used as the first wash. Follow this cleaning system until the job is completed.

CAUTION:

• Never allow waste product to enter household storm water drains or sewers.

DISPOSAL OF LEFTOVER PAINT CONTAINERS

EMPTY OUT CONTAINER

Ensure paint container is as clean as possible.

RECYCLE STEEL CONTAINER

• The cleaned paint container can be disposed of via local steel recycling programs (check with your local Council).