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# MARINE VARNISH CLEAR

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

A good quality Long Oil Alkyd Resin based varnish for wood, available in GLOSS, SATIN and MATT finish.

**CLEAR MARINE** is a general purpose decorative and protective coating well known for its good performance on all types of wooden surfaces. It is easy to apply, has excellent flow properties and dries rapidly to give a durable washable dry film which enhances the natural appearance of the wood.

### USAGE

- On interior wood such as beams, panels doors, windows frames, skirting, hand rails, furniture, decorative objects, etc.
- On exterior wood not permanently exposed to direct sunlight.
- Do not use **CLEAR VARNISH** on surfaces which require hard wear and tear properties such as counter tops, tables tops, floors , etc..

### PHYSICAL DATA

- **Finish :** Gloss, Satin, Matt
- **Colour :** Clear. A tinted version is available on order.
- **Consistency :** Low viscosity liquid.
- **Specific Gravity :** 0.90 (Gloss), 0.94 (Satin), 0.96 (Matt)
- **Volume Solids :** 68% (approx.)
- **Flash Point :** 28 ° C (Closed cup)
- **Shelf Life :** 12 months
- **Packing :** 4Lts, 1Lt

Paints should be stirred before use and occasionally whilst in use.  
Contact your supplier for further information

## APPLICATION

- **Surface Preparation:** Surface must be dry and clean.
- **Application Method:** Apply two to three coats by brush. Conventional spray application is possible after dilution to required viscosity.
- **Dilution:** Thin down with **TEST BENZIN** as required. On new wood the first coat should be well diluted to ensure good penetration.
- **Spreading rate / Film thickness:** One litre of **CLEAR VARNISH** will cover between 10 and 14 m<sup>2</sup> of surface in one coat.
- **Drying Time:** Approximately 5 hours to touch dry, **CLEAR VARNISH** can be over-coated after approximately 16 hours.
- **Cleaning Solvent:** **TEST BENZIN**.
- **Preceding Coat:** On new surfaces dilute 4 parts of **CLEARVARNISH** with 1 part of **TEST BENZIN** for use as a penetrating sealer.
- **Subsequent Coat:** Not required.

## SAFETY

- **CLEAR VARNISH** is flammable, keep away from ignition source. Do not smoke whilst using.
- Wear adequate protective equipment during application remove splashes from skin with soap and water. In case of contact with eyes, rinse with ample water and seek medical advice if necessary.
- Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.
- Keep containers tightly closed and away from children.
- A complete Material Safety Data Sheet is available on request.

## MAINTENANCE

When exposed to direct sunlight **CLEAR VARNISH** will require regular maintenance; to avoid film deterioration and loss of adhesion, sand down lightly each 8 to 12 months and apply and additional coat.

Surfaces prepared and painted according to specification will provide lasting protection and will facilitate maintenance. Carry out repairs as and when required and wash the surface occasionally; use mild detergent and light scrubbing to remove stains.

These recommendations are meant as a guide, no guarantee is implied since conditions of use, method of application and cleanliness of the substrate prior to painting are beyond our control.