



Product Specification

Product Name:

PORTER'S WOOD WASH

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Porter's Wood Wash is a translucent coating that subtly softens and ages the appearance of bare timber, highlighting the grain and replicating the look of limed timber. Wood Wash is supplied as a neutral white base that can be tinted to a wide range of colours.

LOCATION:

Interior.

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION:

Porter's Paints use only premium grade raw materials and wherever possible we buy from Australian suppliers. Our manufacturing processes are designed for maximum performance with minimum impact on the environment and user health.

SUGGESTED APPLICATIONS:

Can be applied to most bare timber furniture, floorboards, lining boards or timber trim.

COLOURS:

Choose from our large range of colours or ask our colourist for your own custom colour.

LIMITATIONS:

Not suitable for use over some tannin rich timbers, such as Western Red Cedar. Not suitable for use on arsenic treated timber. Always test prior to use. Do not apply in high humidity, below 10°C or above 30°C.

PREPARATION:

Substrate should be sanded to expose clean bare timber free from paint, dirt, grease, oil and previous coatings. Dust down before proceeding.

APPLICATION:

Stir thoroughly prior to use.

First coat – apply Porter's Wood Wash by brush or lamb's wool applicator, following the grain of the timber. Within 3-4 minutes wipe off excess Wood Wash with muslin or lint-free cloth to

achieve desired pattern and depth of colour.
Touch dry 2-4 hours. Allow to dry for 24 hours.

Second coat (for a more opaque effect - optional)
– Allow first coat to dry for 24 hours then apply a second coat as per first coat. Allow 24 hours dry time.

CLEARCOATING AFTERWARDS:

Allow Wood Wash to dry for 72 hours before applying any clear water-based finish coats. We recommend Porter's Clearcote.

Water based clear finishes can provoke tannin migration. Tannin is a water-soluble stain that is present in many richly coloured timbers and tannin staining through water-based paint systems can be a common problem. Although Wood Wash has been especially formulated to minimise tannin migration, it may still occur, especially in tannin rich timber.

Prior to using Porter's Clearcote over Porter's Wood Wash we recommend a test to check if tannin migration becomes evident. Timbers most prone to tannin staining include oregon, jarrah, merbau and western red cedar.

COVERAGE RATES:

Covers approximately 20m² per litre, depending upon porosity, surface texture and wastage rates.

WASH UP:

Water.

COMPLEMENTARY PRODUCTS:

Porter's Wood Wash can be sealed and protected with Porter's Clearcote (coverage 15m² per litre). Allow Wood Wash to dry for 72 hours before applying Clearcote. Test before use as a slight colour variation may occur or tannin bleed may become evident.

PACKAGING:

Porter's Wood Wash is available in 500ml, 1 litre, 4 litre & 15 litre sizes.

STORAGE:

Store in a cool dry area, protected from frost.

PRECAUTIONS:

Keep out of reach of children. Avoid swallowing. Avoid eye contact. Avoid prolonged skin contact. Provide adequate ventilation. If accidental contact occurs, rinse immediately with water. Check colour before use.

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