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## DESCRIPTION

A vegetable based protective oil offering a very high performance, DECK OIL GS is the result of a very careful selection of various natural oils and waxes that have been perfectly balanced and studied for outdoor application. DECK OIL GS, in the neutral or coloured version (DECK OIL GS COLOR – see the Vermeister colour chart), protects the wood from atmospheric agents and, in particular, from sun rays, while leaving its natural breathability unaltered. The deep penetration into the wood, the ease of application and restoration without requiring intermediate sanding, the exceptional resistance to water and to UV rays all make DECK OIL GS the ideal product for treating any wooden item for outdoor use.

TECHNICAL DATA CHEMICAL-PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS at 20°C (indicative values not constituting product specifications):	
Method of application	Roller, brush, pad, trowel, single disc buffer
Interval before polishing (min)	5/15
Ready for overcoating (hours)	12/24
Ready for light traffic (hours)	24/48
Ready for careful use (days)	3/5
Completely hard (days)	10/15
Average coverage per coat (g/m <sup>2</sup> )	40/100
Stability and storage (in original, unopened containers stored in a cool, dry place) (months)	12
To clean tools	DILUENTE PLUS
Standard packaging (Lt)	3

## APPLICATION

To optimise the application of both coloured and neutral oils, it is essential to prepare the base with the utmost care, removing all traces of any previous finishing treatment and using a fine grain paper 100/120 last to sand the floor. Vacuum the floor carefully to remove all traces of dust and/or impurities and proceed with the application of a thin, uniform coat of DECK OIL GS, either coloured or neutral, using a roller (black with short hair), brush, pad, trowel or wax spreader. Take particular care to remove any excess product by ragging or, alternatively, after about 5/15 minutes by polishing with a single disc machine using a white or beige disc (excessively long intervals may make buffing difficult and in the case of high quantities of product an absorbent cloth must be placed under the disc to soak up the excess oil). The buffing phase using a single disc buffer with a white or beige pad improves the penetration of the DECK OIL GS into the wood considerably, leading to faster drying times. Old greying floors and also particular species of wood rich in natural oils and/or fatty substances that may hinder the drying of DECK OIL GS (e.g. IPE' LAPACHO), can be cleaned in advance with DECK RESET (see the relevant technical data sheet) before starting the treatment; if this preliminary operation is carried out, we recommend the application of a first, abundant coat of DECK OIL GS: about 70/100 (g/m<sup>2</sup>) until the pores of the wood are completely saturated and then any excess product must be removed as described above. The second coat can be applied after an interval of 12/24 hours. The duration of this treatment varies greatly according to the exposure of the location and the intensity of the traffic. In particular, floors exposed to salt air and intense sunlight will require more frequent restoration of the protective layer.

Excess product may cause stickiness and reduce the duration of the treatment.

## MAINTENANCE

The maintenance of floors oiled with DECK OIL GS must only be carried out with SOAP OIL, CLEAN OIL and OIL CARE and must only begin once the last coat of oil applied is completely hard. At varying intervals, according to the exposure of the floor (roughly every 3 to 6 months), apply a coat of DECK OIL GS following the same methods as described above.

## NOTES

The surfaces are ready for traffic after just 2/3 days, but reach their maximum level of protection after 10/15 days. Therefore, it is advisable not to wash these surfaces (even with just water) or cover the oiled surfaces with carpets, cardboard or sheets before this interval has elapsed.

Shake well before use.

OVERCOATING: interval before the application of another coat.

LIGHT TRAFFIC: interval before allowing several people to walk on the floor.

CAREFUL USE: interval before allowing moderate use of the floor.

COMPLETELY HARD: interval before allowing the floor to be used normally: for example by furniture removers, to allow other workmen to carry out their work, starting floor maintenance, etc.

Safety precautions ANY RESIDUE PRODUCT COULD SELF-COMBUST and cloths and tools impregnated with the oil must be soaked in water and, before being disposed of, they must be left to dry in the open air, in areas where there are no risks of flames spreading. Keep the product in a tightly closed, upright container in a cool place away from sources of heat. The product is classified and coded in compliance with EC Directives/regulations concerning hazardous substances. The information for the user is given in the relevant safety sheet. Empty containers or those containing slight traces of the product must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations. VerMeister S.p.A. guarantees that the details given in this sheet are provided to the best of the company's technical-scientific knowledge and experience; however, the company cannot be held responsible in any way for the results obtained with the products as the conditions of application are beyond the company's control. It is always advisable to check the suitability of the product to each specific circumstance. This sheet cancels and replaces all previous editions.

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