

Recommended for Softwood Only

CWF-UV[®] Clear Wood Finish For Exterior Wood



The preferred cedar finish brings back the rich, warm appearance of fine wood while protecting it from the damage caused by moisture and ultraviolet rays



Easily rolls onto weatherboards



Easily brushed onto fences, lattice and exterior furniture



Protects and beautifies all exterior softwood

- Highlights the grain and restores the natural beauty to weathered timber
- Great looking finish for cedar and all types of fine exterior softwood
- Penetrates deep into the wood for lasting protection
- User friendly - convenient soap and water clean-up
- Available in Natural and Cedar tone
- Not suitable for hardwood



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What is CWF-UV?

CWF-UV is a new environmentally friendly clear wood finish based on a water/oil emulsion formulation developed by the Flood Company. It is unsurpassed in bringing out the beauty of fine softwood and is especially effective on cedar. Offering long term protection against the ravages of nature it is the easiest of all finishes to apply and with periodical maintenance it will restore the beautiful look of wood time and time again without costly stripping or sanding. **CWF-UV will never crack, peel or blister.**

CWF-UV is not suitable for hardwood, plywood or previously stained, varnished or painted surfaces.

How and when can you apply CWF-UV?

All wood surfaces to be treated with CWF-UV should be first cleaned with Dekswood Timber Cleaner and Brightener from The Flood Company. **New wood** especially **pressure treated wood** should be allowed to weather for 6 to 12 months until the pores are opened and proper penetration can be achieved. To control aging we recommend applying Seasonite New Wood Treatment, which will minimise warping and splitting during the seasoning process.

CWF-UV IS NOT A SURFACE COATING AND ITS SUCCESS DEPENDS ON THE DEGREE OF PENETRATION WHICH CAN BE OBTAINED

Here is a simple way to test if the timber is ready for CWF-UV: Throw some water onto the surface. If it beads and runs off, the wood is not ready, as good penetration cannot take place. If the water is easily and completely absorbed by the wood it can be treated with CWF-UV clear wood finish.

Application Procedure - IMPORTANT

Once it has been established that the timber is ready for CWF-UV, apply 2 coats wet on wet. That means as soon as the first coat is absorbed - usually within 25 to 30 minutes - apply another. Do not allow CWF-UV to dry between coats so treat only a manageable area at a time. If allowed to dry the second coat cannot penetrate and is wasted. If the wood is very porous and the second coat is also absorbed rapidly, a third coat might be beneficial in which case follow the same procedure as before.

Maintenance

CWF-UV renewal applications are touch-up coats. When an area turns grey, clean it with Dekswood timber Cleaner, allow to dry and apply a coat of CWF-UV to replace any material that has weathered away. In most cases the original colour will be restored. Areas with good colour



need not be treated. Badly weathered areas might need 2 coats for best results. For continued protection apply CWF-UV every 1 to 2 years depending on climatic conditions.

Coverage

With 2 coats applied, 4 litres of CWF-UV will cover up to 8 square metres of rough sawn timber and up to 15 square metres of smooth weathered wood.

Clean-up

Clean tools with soap and water. Remove drips and spatters from all surfaces while they are still wet. If they have dried use a suitable paint remover. Unfold and dry all used rags to avoid any possible spontaneous combustion before disposal according to local regulations.

Available Sizes:

4L & 20L sizes both in Natural and Cedar tone.

Dekswood timber Cleaner & Brightener from the Flood Company is the ideal pre-treatment for dirty weathered wood.



Use Seasonite to preserve and protect new, untreated and pressure-treated wood.

Use CWF-UV to deeply penetrate and protect exterior softwood.

For exterior hardwood and pressure treated wood use 100% acrylic Spa-N-Deck from The Flood Company.



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