

Cetol® Marine is a unique high performance interior and exterior wood treatment. It is an easy to apply low maintenance alternative to wood oils and other wood treatments. Its durable, attractive, translucent satin finish has been specially formulated with one main goal in mind - to protect your wood and keep it looking beautiful with the least maintenance necessary.

Cetol® Marine contains synthetic transparent iron oxide pigments, which shield the wood against sunlight, effectively protecting the wood from being degraded by exposure to UV. It's durable surface film is flexible, which means that it is very resistant to impact damage and abrasion, and allows for natural expansion and contraction of wood. It also prevents flaking.

Cetol® Marine penetrates the surface of the wood, providing water repellence, protecting the wood from water damage and is microporous, allowing the wood to breathe. This helps to keep the moisture content of the wood stable.

Cetol® Marine is a lower viscosity than most varnishes allowing excellent wood penetration, easy, rapid application of coats and superb flow and leveling preventing the need for sanding between coats. This, combined with its quick drying, makes it a really easy-to use. It is formulated for use on all marine woods, and is particularly suitable for tropical hardwoods like teak and is available in two distinctive colours – Teak and Natural but a range of other shades can be achieved by mixing the Teak and Natural together. Cetol Marine has a specially formulated thinner called AK Thinner which is a combination surface cleaner, equipment cleaner and thinner.

WHERE SHOULD I USE CETOL® MARINE?

Decks – Decks are subject to damage caused by direct exposure to harsh ultraviolet rays, high moisture levels, standing water, and extreme temperature changes, as well as abrasion.

Brightwork – In general, the trim, mast, railings and other exterior wood areas should be maintained annually. Check these areas occasionally for signs of moisture entry through unsealed end grains.

Interiors – Interior woodwork, especially in areas of heavy traffic, is subject to wear and tear too. Being a low sheen impact resistant coating, Cetol® Marine is ideal for interior use.



REMEMBER: If applying Cetol over sealant check a small area first to ensure the Cetol Marine dries satisfactorily.

Top Tip



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HOW DO I PREPARE THE WOOD PRIOR TO USING CETOL® PRODUCTS?

NEW WOOD	
1	Wipe the wood with AK Thinner to remove the oils from the surface. For extra oily timbers such as Teak use Universal Thinner No. 4. After evaporation of the thinners, sand all exterior surfaces with 120 grit sandpaper.
2	Remove all sanding dust by vacuuming followed by wiping the surface with a dampened cloth.
3	Allow the surface to dry completely before applying Cetol Marine.
PREVIOUSLY VARNISHED OR OILED SURFACES	
1	Any old oils or varnish must be completely removed using paint and varnish removers or by sanding.
2	Clean down the surface using AK Thinner.
3	If the timber is not clean and residues of old product remain, adhesion and penetration of the Cetol may be compromised.

HOW SHOULD I APPLY AND MAINTAIN CETOL MARINE?

If Cetol Marine has not been used before simply apply 4 coats of Cetol after preparing the wood. A very light sand between coats is allowable to remove any dust or contamination that may have settled on the job, but do not sand too hard and use only very fine sandpaper – 220 grit or finer.

MAINTENANCE OF CETOL

1. When the time comes to give the surface another coat of Cetol simply wash down the surface with All Purpose Boat Soap, rinse thoroughly and allow to dry.
2. Sand the surface lightly using 220 grit sandpaper. Apply 1-2 coats as required.
3. A light sand between coats is allowable to remove dust and contamination.
4. Regular cleaning with All Purpose Boat Soap will prolong the life of Cetol.



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