



AQUANETT®

WOOD OIL CLEANER

Product description

AQUANETT® is a powerful, water washable, solvent free remover and cleaner that strips out new, old and encrusted oils from exterior wooden surfaces and cleans severely weathered wood. Biodegradable, AQUANETT® is suitable for environmentally sensitive areas while its gel consistency means it will not run, making it ideal for vertical surfaces. Easy to apply and fast acting, AQUANETT® quickly and efficiently removes the millglaze, which is created in the manufacturing process, from the surface of new wood, thus improving the penetration and adhesion of a finish.

Properties

- Removes Teak and other oils from woods, blackened by UV rays.
- Water washable - Oils are dissolved in water.
- Removes Millglaze - Improves the penetration and bonding of a finish.
- Gel consistency - Does not run.
- Ready to use. Fast Acting.
- Easy application.
- Biodegradable - Does not contain solvent or paraffin.

Basic uses

- Exterior use only.
- All exterior wood - Pressure treated woods, Softwoods, Hardwoods, Thermowood.
- Exterior wood surfaces - Garden furniture, Decking, Cladding...
- Horizontal and vertical surfaces.

Technical data

Viscosity: Gel structure.
Specific gravity (at 20°C): 1.03 ± 0.05.
Physical state: Viscous liquid.
Flammability: N/A.
Flash point: N/A.
Shelf life: 2 years in original unopened packaging.
Container size: 1L, 2.5L, 15L.
Appearance & odour: Blue-Green, disinfectant odour.
VOC: < 0.05 % (0.5 g/l).

Application tools

Brush with synthetic bristles.
Synthetic scrubbing brush.
Roller with synthetic cover.

Good application practice

Always carry out a preliminary test prior to commencing the job.
Wear chemical resistant gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing.
Hardwoods inc' exotic hardwoods and woods rich in tannins i.e. Cedar, Oak, Teak, Ipe... may darken with AQUANETT®.
Where AQUANETT® has darkened the wood DO NOT allow it to dry, prior to using NET-TROL®*.
Treat stripped wooden surfaces with NET-TROL®* to restore the woods original colour.
Cover and protect everything you do not wish to strip, including plants and shrubs and any aluminium surfaces.
When stripping vertical surfaces, work from bottom to top to avoid streaking.
Apply between 5°C and 35°C. Do not apply in direct sunlight or on a hot surface.
Do not allow AQUANETT® to dry on the surface. If drying occurs dampen with a mist application of water.
Consult us for additional information and advice prior to using AQUANETT® on Oak and Chestnut.

Surface preparation	Remove any loose and flaking finish. Brush off any physical surface contamination i.e. moss, general dirt etc.
Application	Removal of Oils and Millglaze. Apply a thick coat of AQUANETT® over the whole surface to be stripped. For large areas work in zones. Allow product to work (max 5 minutes). Scrub surface with stiff nylon scrubbing brush while flushing with water, alternatively use a pressure washer (max. 60 bars / 870 psi). Thoroughly rinse the surface after stripping with fresh clean water. After stripping and rinsing, surfaces must immediately be treated with NET-TROL®* while still wet to neutralise the surface. NB: The use of hot water makes the job easier. Consult us for additional information and advice prior to using AQUANETT® on Oak and Chestnut.
Coverage	4 m² per litre. Actual coverage will vary depending on application method, type, texture, age and porosity of the wood.
After stripping / cleaning	Always neutralise the surface with NET-TROL®*.
Clean-up	Water.
Storage	Store unused portion in a tightly closed plastic or glass container. Do not store in metal containers. Keep from freezing and high temperatures.
General information	Every care is taken to ensure that the information provided in this technical data sheet is accurate. OWATROL International is unable to guarantee results as we have no control over the conditions under which our products are applied. For further advice and information please contact our technical department by email at info@owatrol.com or the local OWATROL Agent for your country. The information above is correct at the date of issue. All other OWATROL products named in this document should be used as per label instructions and the technical data sheet.
Safety	Refer to the safety data sheet (MSDS) available at www.owatrol.com and text on the packaging. Keep out of the reach of children.
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* Same manufacturer

