



Looking Glass Polish

Features

- No Petrochemicals
- Water Repelling
- Easy To Use
- Cutting Boards, Bowls, Countertops
- Beeswax Polish
- Will not peel or flake off like polyurethane
- Locally harvested ingredients
- Low VOC, Non-Toxic
- No expensive Stripping for future coats.

General Properties

Interior grade, durable non-film forming, satin finish, penetrating, clear, high solids oil & wax with water repellency, and grain illumination. Hardens into wood fibers.

Locally Harvested Ingredients

100% pure Bees Wax, Flax oil, Air Oxidized Linseed Oil, Safflower Oil, Citrus distillate, Pine Tree Ester, Essential Oil of Peppermint, Lead free Mineral Salt Driers.

Recommended For

Finishing wax for Interior wood, Trim, cabinets, doors, floors, furniture, paneling. Masonry: As a water repellent sealer for lime based plasters, clay plasters, gypsum plasters, concrete block, stucco, concrete countertops, concrete floors.

Technical Data

Vehicle Type: Air Oxidized Linseed Oil

Pigment Type: None, inherent amber tone of plant oil.

Volume Solids: 98.99%

Theoretical Coverage at 75 F (23 C) and 50% humidity

Per 8oz tin: Spruce or Pine 125 sft and up to 225 sft on hardwoods or for 2nd coat.

Recommended Film Thickness

Non-film forming (Hardens into wood fibers.)

Dry Time @ 77 F (25 C) @ 50% R.H.

Set to Touch: 2 hours

To Recoat: 12 hours

To Service: 24 to 48 hours (Allow at least 48 hours from final coat before normal floor traffic)

Dries By: Evaporation, Oxidation

Spraying: Use caution. Must be melted to spray. Melts at 150F. Spraying always increases negative health effects by atomizing the coating, increasing skin, eye and lung

exposure. Spraying is not recommended.

Viscosity: Solid

Flash Point: Not Less than 200 degrees Fahrenheit

60-Degree Specular Gloss: Satin

Depending on surface smoothness.

Surface Temperature at Application:

Minimum: 40 F

Maximum: 90 F

Dilution:

Use pure for best lifecycle results. Do not thin.

Clean Up: Soap and water, dry rag or

Earthpaint Pure Citrus Solvent

Weight Per Gallon: 8.9 lbs.

Storage Temperature:

Minimum: 38 F

Maximum: 100 F

Shelf Life: 1 yr (does not contain toxic

oximes or preservatives. A natural protective skin may form on top of wax this can simply be peeled off before using.

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC):

Less than 42 grams / liter from Citrus Distillate.

Colors

Amber - Ivory. Dry product is ivory, opaque and dries clear when applied. Warm, Aqueous product is amber and dries transparent.

Limitations

Not areas with standing water. Wipe off excess until wood feels smooth. Tannin, water stains, sap and other discolorations common to wood should be accounted for before application.

Always test for personal sensitivities and preferences in small inconspicuous areas before application to the entire surface.

Surface preparation

Remove all previous coatings to insure full, raw wood impregnation, and surface appearance. Sand all wood bare, with the grain, to the desired level of smoothness. Sanding is unavoidable for fine finishing results. Start with coarse grit and move to finer grit sandpaper ending with a final sanding of 400 grit. Wear approved NIOSH respirator, safety goggles, gloves and protective clothing whenever exposed to dust of any sort, especially previously painted materials. Test wood before sanding. Some

woods are softer and show scratch marks from 100 grit. If so, start with 220 or higher. Remove all mill glaze, saw blade marks on wood.

All surfaces must be dry, sanded smooth, free of dirt, dust or grit. All nail holes, cracks and blemishes should be repaired after first application if possible and filled in with a filler that matches the wood color. Melting Saw dust from the wood to be filled, into this product is a natural way of making strong wood filler that blends into the wood effectively.

Application

One Application: Rub into surface with a clean lint free cloth, lambswood pad or sponge. Wipe off excess with dry rag immediately or within one hour.

Two applications: If applying over One Coat Wood Finish a second application is unnecessary. Otherwise, Sand lightly in between coats with 220-400 grit sandpaper after overnight dry. Or use wet dry sandpaper and sand while coating is wet. Then wipe with dry rag until smooth.

Wipe on a second, thin coat. Wipe off excess within one hour. (This second coat uses minimal product, takes little time and results in a longer lasting finish. Do this to capitalize on the intentional wood **petrification** effect of Earthpaint wood finishes.

Applying Warm: A warm application is a master wood worker secret. Warming the wax and the surface is even more effective. However, simply placing Looking Glass Polish in the oven, slow cooker or a double boiler until it reaches 150F will allow the wax to melt. **(Warning: Hot wax will burn skin, eyes and lungs if contacted. Wear protective clothing.)** Use gloves and apply with brush rag, or sponge. It can then be applied in it's lowest viscosity which will allow the deepest penetration possible. The beauty of this method is exquisite. The wood will begin a petrification effect where the wax and minerals seem to fossilize with the wood fibres. Multiple coats over the course of 5 to 10 years will produce an amazingly natural and long lasting surface that is beautiful, plastic free and feels good to touch.

If excess is not wiped off completely or is forgotten surface may become gummy. Simply wipe off excess with steel wool soaked in Citrus Solvent and it will dry up nicely. **Recoating:** Do not strip. Simply clean and recoat within five years to build upon the petrification effect.

Recycle

Containers are a leading contributor to landfill mass. Recycle containers whenever possible. Earthpaint reuses and recycles containers. Clean containers can be reused by Earthpaint Inc. Call for more information.

Cautions

Health Precautions: Use in adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors or spray mist. Can cause skin, eye and lung sensitivities or irritation. Use NIOSH approved respirator. Wear protective clothing, gloves, and goggles. Flash point above 200 F. Do not ingest. If irritation occurs contact physician. Contact **Nationwide Poison Center Hotline: 1.800.222.1222**

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION WARNING:

Linseed oil damp or soaked rags or paper stored in dry containers or in piles can self ignite. Soak in water in metal containers, rinse well, dry flat in open air and then compost. It is against the law to dispose of liquid paint or paint products into sewers or land fill.

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