



Wood Conditioner #0714 BASIC INSTRUCTIONS

A Touch of Dan Wood Conditioner is a biodegradable ph wood neutralizer that brightens the surface, removes mill glaze, tannin stains, rust & other discolouration.

- Prepares the wood for staining
- Enhances the appearance of transparent finishes
- Mix with water to make 2 pales (10 Gallons), up to 1000 sq. ft. on smooth wood
- For exterior use on Cedar, Ipe, Spruce and other natural wood



PREPARATION

This product should only be used with temperatures between 5°C – 32°C without wind. Temperatures above 32° C may affect the application such as drying too fast. All plants, furniture and nearby objects that cannot be moved, need to be kept wet with water at all times before and during this process to avoid conditioning solution drying onto those surfaces. Dried up conditioning solution will leave hazy residue on glass and other materials or a dulled surface.

The conditioning solution will not harm most plants or trees around the garden, but other herbs and vegetation may need to be pre-soaked with water and covered. Wear protective clothing, goggles, and acid resistant gloves.

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APPLICATION

DO NOT MIX IN METAL CONTAINER. Mix between 7-14 ounces of Wood Conditioner powder per 5 gallons of water, while stirring frequently until powder has mostly dissolved. Dotted line on bottle is approximately 7 ounces. If you hear some granules that have not dissolved, add small portions of water until entire mixture is consistent. 7 ounces of Wood Conditioner (1/2 of the container) mixed into a 5 gallon pail will produce a Conditioning Solution of approximately 1.5% oxalic acid content, which should suffice for basic wood brightening. For stronger pH neutralizing after applying caustic chemicals or other applications to the wood, a mixture of up to 14 ounces may be necessary with repeated applications. Conditioning Solution works faster and is stronger in warm water. DO NOT BREATHE IN FUMES. Conditioning Solution should be fully used within 4 hours.

Wet all wood and surrounding surfaces with water before using Conditioning Solution. Always apply a sample of Conditioning Solution to a small inconspicuous area to test product and see the results before carrying on to the rest of the project. Before using, ensure that conditioning solution will not corrode, oxidize or harm other fixed materials such as railings, wood fasteners, BBQ's, metals and all other possible material nearby.

Apply conditioning solution liberally with a HDPE plastic pump sprayer or directly from mixed pail using a soft-bristle brush. Always scrub in the direction of the wood grains. Conditioning Solution will corrode or oxidize pressure washing pumps and other parts if using through a machine, including brass components on other sprayers. Allow Conditioning Solution 10-15 minutes to fully penetrate into wood fibres.

Keep surfaces wet with a light mist of water and do not apply in direct sunlight. Use a pressure washer at low speed (500-600 psi) to fully rinse all Conditioning Solution off surfaces without damaging the wood. Thoroughly rinse grass, plants and all surrounding areas. Prevent Conditioning Solution from entering storm drains.

After the entire area has been thoroughly rinsed, follow all other manufacturers' instructions if applying stain or other coatings.

Also see the Product Data Sheet and Safety Data Sheet before using this product.