



### USE AND CARE SPECIFICATIONS

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#### VEHICLE TYPE

Water based formula with no ozone depleting chemicals.

Low VOCs, no odor and non-toxic.

#### COLORS

Available in Original, Brown, Dark Brown, Gray, and Black

#### VOC CONTENT

33 g/l

#### SOLVENTS

None

#### pH

8-10

#### SPECIFIC GRAVITY

1.39

#### FLASH POINT

None

#### SOLIDS

7.5% - 8.5%

#### DRY TIME

2-3 hours before light foot traffic

12-24 hours for full cure

#### SURFACE PREPARATION

All hardwood surfaces must be cleaned prior to sealing for best performance and penetration. Thoroughly clean all dust, dirt, debris and loose material. Remove grease, oil, algae, mill glaze, grime, and mildew and mold stains with recommended cleansing agents. Recommend DeckWise® Deck & Wood Cleaner Part 1.

For even better results, consider sanding the new wood with 60-80 grit paper to remove mill glaze and create a more textured surface. The rougher the wood surface, the greater the color intensity and durability. Rough sawn or heavily brushed wood profiles may require more sealer and color, resulting in a bolder color contrast.

For those desiring to intensify the natural color of freshly installed wood, the addition of a WiseCoat® Tint provides an avenue for enhanced visual appeal. A palette of five (5) Tint colorants, including Original (Light Brown), Brown, Dark Brown, Black, and Gray, allows users to tailor their aesthetic preferences.

#### FEATURES

- Low VOCs
- Eco-friendly
- Use exterior or interior
- Non-toxic; will not harm plants or pets
- Inhibits stains from mildew & mold
- Tinted formula provides UV protection
- Non-film forming, breathable barrier
- Inhibits wood rot and decay
- Protects and stabilizes wood
- Prevents cupping and warping
- May be applied to damp surfaces
- Non-combustible formula
- Easy soap and water cleanup

#### RECOMMENDED PROJECTS

Decks & docks  
Railings  
Cedar shingles  
Shake roofs  
Siding  
Log homes  
Fences  
Planters  
Outdoor furniture  
Play structures  
Structural framing

#### RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES

Ipe	Cherry
Garapa	Alder
Teak	Ash
Cumaru	Aspen
Brazilian Cherry	Walnut
Brazilian Walnut	Maple
Tigerwood	Poplar
Massaranduba	Hickory/Pecan
Mahogany	Rosewood
White Oak	Purple Heart
Red Oak	Cypress

#### TINT MIXING

- Stir and mix well the 1-gallon can of WiseCoat® Clear.
- Pour off a sampling around 8-10 ounces of WiseCoat® Clear in a clean cup as a Tint container rinse aid and set aside.
- Stir and mix the DeckWise® Tint before adding into the WiseCoat® Clear.
- After pouring your Tint into the 1-gallon can, use the set aside sampler to pour 1/3rd into the Tint container. Place the cap on, shake the container and pour into the 1-gallon can.
- Repeat this process until all of the Tint is out of the container.
- Stir the tinted 1-gallon can for 3-5 minutes before use and periodically during application.

For larger applications, combine each tinted 1-gallon can into a 5-gallon bucket and mix for a uniform blend and color.

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### APPLICATION

Apply a first application, maintaining a wet edge to ensure smooth and even coverage. For maximum protection, apply an additional coat while the first coat is still damp, but not wet—ideally within 20–30 minutes of the first application. Back-brush any pooling.

**Brown Tints:** The goal is to apply the tinted finish so that the color is visible but still semi-transparent, allowing the wood grain to show through. To achieve proper color uniformity after the first application, while the wood is still damp but not wet—within 20–30 minutes of the first application— apply the second coat until you achieve the desired color density. Back-brush any pooling.

**Black and Gray Tints:** NOTE: The first application coat will appear more opaque, with little wood grain visible. To achieve proper color uniformity after the first application, while the wood is still damp but not wet— within 20–30 minutes of the first application— apply the second coat until you achieve the desired color density. Back-brush any pooling.

### COVERAGE

Approximate coverage: 250-350 sq. ft./gallon per coat. Exact coverage will differ due to porosity of wood surface.

### DRY TIME

Permit approximately 2-3 hours depending on humidity and temperature before subjecting wood surface to light foot traffic. Allow 12-24 hours for a full cure, depending on humidity and temperature. When applying a second coat, apply as soon as the first coat has penetrated and surface is damp, but not wet.

### CLEAN UP & STORAGE

Thoroughly clean brushes and sprayer equipment with warm soapy water. To protect from freezing, store container above 32°F/0°C.

### PRECAUTIONS

Masking and tarping should be implemented during application to prevent tint from staining unwanted areas around the application area. Wash all areas of over spray while WiseCoat® Premium Hardwood Deck, Siding & Fence Sealer is still wet. Avoid over spray of tinted formula on concrete areas and plastic materials.

### SAFETY

Avoid breathing in spray mist. If inhaled, go to fresh, clean air. Avoid contact with eyes, wear eye protection. If contact with eyes, rinse immediately with clean water for 15 minutes. If skin irritation happens to occur, wash skin area with clean soap and water. If product is accidentally ingested, immediately drink two (2) glasses of tap water and contact your physician. Do not induce vomiting.

### IMPORTANT GUIDELINES

**NOTE:** There is no warranty against color fading, whether expressed or implied. In order to maintain color, it is advised to do so with a maintenance plan.

WiseCoat® Tint colorants should only be used alongside WiseCoat® Clear Wood Sealer, as these products are meticulously designed to complement each other and are not compatible with other brands or third-party products. DeckWise® strictly prohibits and does not endorse the use of WiseCoat® wood Tints in any other brand or third-party products.

The final color and finish of all WiseCoat® products are influenced by various factors such as wood color, species, age, and condition. Wood Tints displayed on the DeckWise® website may appear different when applied to your specific wood. Given potential variations, it is recommended to obtain a pre-mixed sample or test a scrape piece of wood to evaluate color choice and product suitability before proceeding with your project.

While DeckWise® strives for consistency in WiseCoat® tinted products, occasional color variations may arise between made-up products and pre-mixed samples. Possible contributing factors include differences in pre-mixed wood Tint storage times, transport and storage conditions, human error, and variations in raw materials.

The applicator holds the sole responsibility for ensuring that the actual color applied is suitable for the intended purpose. DeckWise® disclaims any liability for the application of an incorrect color to any substrate. In cases of doubts or variations discovered in the colored product, please contact us for advice and assistance.

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