



WoodKote BROCHURE

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THE ALL-IN-ONE CLEAR COATING

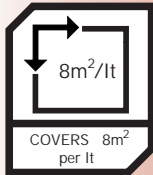
Wood in any home needs to be preserved. It is a living, breathing object of value or element that is subject to harsh treatment, from sun, handling or chemicals. Thus it is important to take care of it.

WoodKote is a clear, hardwearing coating that is formulated NOT to yellow over time, to protect the wood and to bring out the natural shades that are already there. The coating doesn't alter the colour, only enhances it... which is exactly what you want in a wood protective coating.



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THE BREAKDOWN OF WOODKOTE AND ITS PROTOCOLS



SPREADRATE/COVERAGE

WoodKote covers 8 square meters per liter per coat
*Depends on the absorbency of the surface



SELF CLEANING

This clear product is scrubbable and 100% self cleaning making it easy to maintain both indoors and outdoors



PROTOCOL

The WoodKote product will only be effective if you apply no less than 3 coats. You can apply each coat 1 hour apart in good warm weather. We strongly suggest spray application for a perfect finish.



THE TOOLS

WoodKote is a water based product, meaning the only liquid you need to clean your paintbrush, roller or spray machine is water



PROPERTIES OF WOODKOTE

WoodKote is an eco-friendly, UV Stable, VOC free, hydrophobic, flexible, dries clear, resistance to any new growth of algae and lichen fungus, and incredible adhesion and scrubbable properties



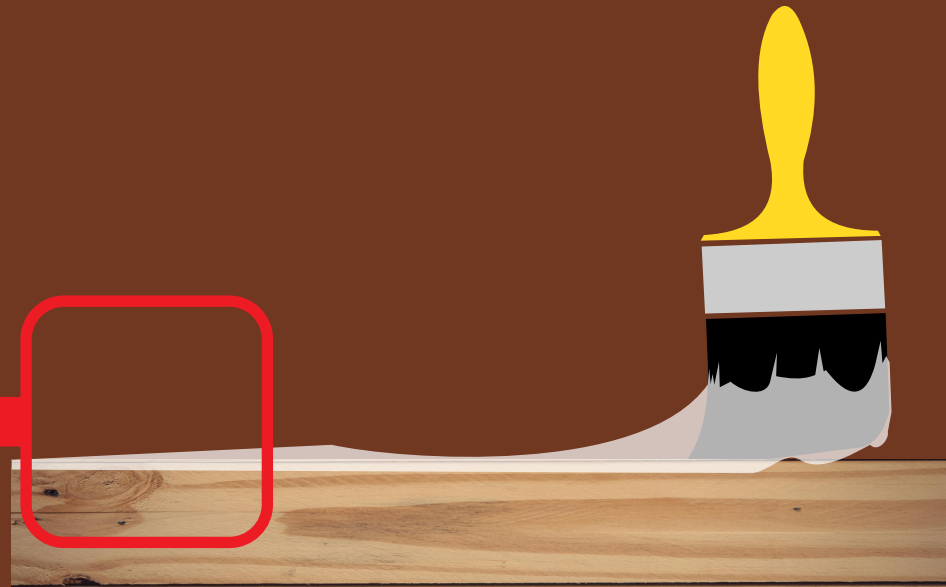
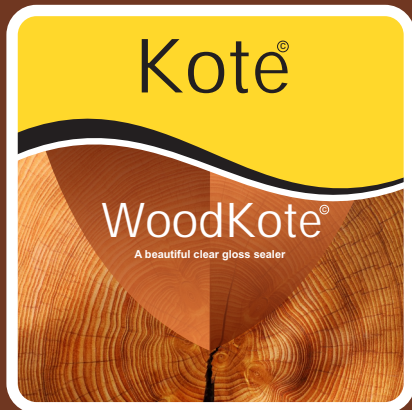
CURING AND DRYING TIMES

WoodKote requires warmer sunny weather in order to dry and cure. Drying time between coats is 30 mins to 1 hr, and KonKote takes 7 full days to cure with no rain.



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CLOSE UP OF THE COATING



WHAT WOODKOTE DOES

To be as simple as we can, WoodKote is a coating you paint onto your surface after you have repaired it or simply sanded it down to it's final finish.

WoodKote has all the benefits of sealing and protecting the wood from harmful weather on exterior furniture or decks as well as inside from humidity and harsh cleaning chemicals.

Using WoodKote puts a UV stable, abrasion resistant layer over your surface allowing it to flex and stretch with the movement of the material it is painted onto whilst keeping the highly protective properties it boasts.





Transparent Wood Sealer

THE FUTURE OF PROTECTIVE COATINGS

WoodKote has been through many tests to ensure it is one of the best wood sealer products on the market in South Africa.

With the harsh sun and violent rainfall of the summer seasons we made sure that WoodKote could withstand the elements as well as ensure the wood is preserved for many years to come.

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SURFACE PREPARATION

The correct preparation of the substrate is vital to the success of WoodKote and its efficacy. If you do not follow these steps you are bound to have a failure in the application of the product or other consequences because of negligence.

1. Make sure your surface is well inspected and repair any cracks or hollow areas where water may stand for long periods - for outdoor decks or furniture, etc. Leave this to dry well for a day or so, depending on the weather.
2. Clean the surface with a powerful degreaser if necessary. We recommend our KleenKote for this application.
3. Rinse THOROUGHLY and leave to dry for a few hours on a warm day and then sand down the wood to ensure it is smooth as any ridges will likely be visible and felt when running a hand over the top.
4. Before you begin the first steps of application as described on the next page, make sure that your surface is not overly hot, which means you will begin coating in the early morning before the sun heats the surface too much for proper penetration to occur. If the surface is too hot, WoodKote will dry too early and you will experience bonding issues later, so please follow the preparation guidelines religiously. Use an umbrella or canopy to put the wooden area in the shade.
5. Surface preparation is what separates the professionals from the DIY enthusiasts. We train our contractors to give (FAD) Fanatical Attention to Detail when examining and preparing a surface. You are strongly encouraged to follow all these details to avoid loss of time and money!
7. However, WoodKote is extremely forgiving and easy to use and superbly effective as many hundreds of our customers will testify.



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INSTRUCTIONS

WoodKote must be applied as follows: (depending on the substrate)

*Make sure you follow the Surface Preparations instructions before applying WoodKote

1. Ensure you have followed the instructions on the surface preparation page before application
2. If working outdoors or on outdoor decking, be sure to do this work in good weather and at least two days prior to any expected rain.
Although WoodKote dries in two hours, it will take seven days to cure fully.
3. For the best finish we recommend using an airless spray gun.
It gives a smooth surface. A roller will give a stippled effect, almost like an orange peel. And a paintbrush is useful in certain situations like in cracks.
4. Move in slow back and forth motions with the airless spray gun to ensure a good even coating is applied to the wooden surface.
5. Repeat the process two more times.
6. Leave the coating to dry for 24 hrs before moving it or walking on it.

Do not get water on the surface for a minimum of 4 days.



What could go wrong?

ITS IMPORTANT TO BE INFORMED



WoodKote can be abused in the following ways which could prove to be costly to you.

1. **Application:** If the surface is too hot then WoodKote cannot get a grip on the surface and you will have peeling.
2. **The product itself:** Is formulated to seal and protect any wooden surface from moisture ingress and surface degradation. However, if it rains soon after being applied then the product is being diluted and it will not perform as promised. Therefore it is imperative to apply in good weather and a few days prior to rain.
3. **Your expectations are not met:** Decide what it is you are wanting from the protective coating! We have clear and tinted versions of WoodKote, but if you are looking to coat a wooden deck or wooden furniture with WoodKote where petrol may be spilled then this is not the product for that application. We recommend PUDKote instead.
4. **Insufficient number of coats:** WoodKote requires three coats to reach its full efficacy and it requires 7 days to fully crosslink and cure. If you decide to apply fewer coats you are only cheating yourself. It is for this reason we do not offer any guarantees on our products since it is being used outside of our control and labourers today take shortcuts which impacts negatively on the efficacy of the product.
5. **Loss of control:** We have been in this industry for over forty years and seen it all on building sites where staff do the most ludicrous things, sometimes on purpose and other times due to absolute ignorance. Unskilled labour dominates most industries in our wonderful country. This is where most things go wrong!

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THE BEST VERSATILE WOOD SEALER



WoodKote was created to be an easy to apply wood sealer. This means it was important that it be a DIY or contractors 'best friend.' With WoodKote anyone could apply it to areas like wooden beams, walls, floors and even outdoor furniture. WoodKote is the perfect sealer for these applications as it is eco-friendly, UV stable, VOC compliant and perfect for protecting the surface from water damage.

WoodKote is a product manufactured by Kote Products (Pty) Ltd

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