Maintain your wooden furniture

Teak interior furniture

Preservation

- Dust with a soft or slightly damp cloth.
- Never use abrasive products, chlorinated products, degreasers, or linseed oil, which can clog and darken the wood.
- Avoid direct exposure to sunlight and heat.
- Sudden temperature changes and too low humidity can cause warping and cracks.
- Never place a wet or hot container on unprotected furniture, as this may leave marks that are difficult to remove.

Protection & Care

Because protection is essential for the improved conservation of your untreated teak furniture, we have selected suitable protective products for each use. We strongly recommend that you protect the surfaces of the most exposed furniture, such as bathroom surfaces. In indoor use and when left unprotected, teak will patinate overtime and turn a golden brown color.

Oil

This oil is a non-film-forming and transparent protective product. It penetrates deeply and coats the fibers, providing essential properties of waterproofing the wood and protecting it against everyday staining. It is suitable for all types of wood.

Appearance

A natural finish with a matte, non-film-forming appearance. The color obtained can vary depending on the wood species and its natural colors. The product enhances the original color of the wood, so it is advisable to test it beforehand in a non-visible area.

Disadvantages

It is very difficult to sand an oiled piece of furniture to return to the bare wood. The choice of this finish is, therefore, "definitive".

Daily maintenance

Dust and clean with a suitable soap, but without water. In case of scratches or impact damage, sand locally with medium grit sandpaper, then apply the oil with a brush in two or three thin layers.

Long-term maintenance

Over time, the wood lightens or dries out. Simply clean it without sanding the damaged areas and recoat with oil.

Varnishes

Varnish forms a thin, transparent film that covers the surface of the wood. It is resistant to impact, abrasion, scratches and stains. It is suitable for all types of wood.

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This type of finish is not suitable for local repairs. If the furniture is damaged, even on a small surface, it is necessary to take the whole piece back to the wood.

Daily maintenance

Very simple, dusting and then cleaning the furniture with a damp cloth is sufficient. In case of scratches or impact damage, sand and varnish the entire area again. A localized repair may be visible.

Long-term maintenance

Varnish is highly durable. When certain areas are worn, it is preferable to sand and varnish the entire piece.

Bare wood furniture

Preservation

- Dust with a soft or slightly damp cloth.
- Avoid direct exposure to sunlight and heat.
- Sudden temperature changes and too low humidity can cause warping and cracks.
- Never place a wet or hot container on unprotected furniture, as this may leave marks that are difficult to remove.

Protection & Care

Because protection is essential for the improved conservation of your bare wood furniture, we have selected protective products suitable for each use. We strongly recommend that you protect the surfaces of the most exposed furniture such as bathroom surfaces.

Oil

This oil is a non-film-forming and transparent protective product. It penetrates deeply and coats the fibers, providing essential properties of waterproofing the wood and protecting it against everyday staining. It is suitable for all types of wood.

Appearance

A natural finish with a matte, non-film-forming appearance. The color obtained can vary depending on the wood species and its natural colors. The product enhances the original color of the wood, so it is advisable to test it beforehand in a non-visible

Disadvantages

It is very difficult to sand an oiled piece of furniture to return to the bare wood. The choice of this finish is, therefore "definitive".

Daily maintenance

Dust and clean with a suitable soap, but without water. In case of scratches or impact damage, sand locally with medium grit sandpaper, then apply the oil with a brush in two or three thin layers.

Long-term maintenance

Over time, the wood lightens or dries out. Simply clean it without sanding the damaged areas and re-coat with oil.

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Outdoor teak furniture

Preservation

- Teak is an oily wood, filled with oleoresin that naturally protects it from moisture, making it waterproof. However, when exposed to environmental factors such as rain, frost, and sunlight, the oleoresin in the exposed parts tends to dry out. The teak then takes on that characteristic gray hue. It is then oxidised, which does not alter its properties.
- If you like this grey hue that teak takes on, let it develop naturally! However, it is recommended to clean it occasionally to remove micro-organisms and dirt. A thorough brushing with soapy water will suffice.
- Avoid using a high-pressure jet and never use abrasive products, chlorinated products, degreasers, or linseed oil, as they can clog and darken the wood.

Protection & Care

If you want your teak to be protected from stains and keep its original colour, then it should be protected.

Oil

This oil is a non-film-forming and transparent protective product. It penetrates deeply and coats the fibres. It has the essential property of waterproofing wood and protecting it from everyday staining. It is suitable for all types of wood.

Appearance

A natural finish with a matt, non-film-forming appearance. The colour obtained can vary according to the wood species and wood colours. The product enhances the original colour of the wood, test beforehand in a non-visible area.

Disadvantages

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Daily maintenance

Dust and clean with a suitable soap, but without water. In case of scratches or impact damage, sand locally with medium grit sandpaper, then apply the oil with a brush in two or three thin layers.

Long-term maintenance

Over time, the wood lightens or dries out. Simply clean it without sanding the damaged areas and re-coat with oil.

Protected furniture

Preservation

- Dust with a soft or slightly damp cloth.
- Avoid direct exposure to sunlight and heat.
- Sudden temperature changes and too low humidity can cause warping and cracks.
- Never place a wet or hot container on unprotected furniture, as this may leave marks that are difficult to remove

Special Oak: Oak is a robust material, appreciated as much in furniture creation as in carpentry, wooden flooring, or the restoration of historic buildings. Rich in tannin, it is slow-growing, making it dense, heavy, and exceptionally strong. Although it's naturally impregnable, meaning resistant to water and external attacks, it's advisable to protect it with an oil or varnish when it's intended for use in a bath or shower room. All our oak pieces have already been protected with oil or varnish, ready for you to take home and enjoy. The vast majority of Tikamoon's solid oak furniture is made from Grade A wood, the highest quality distinction. It is crafted from the very heart of the tree, ensuring a uniform color, utmost strength, and long-lasting furniture if properly maintained.