

# WOCA Softwood Lye

- prevents yellowing process of softwood



Preparing today for tomorrow



- Prevents yellowing process of the wood
- Preserves the light colours of the wood
- Requires after-treatment with oil, lacquer or soap
- Only suitable for softwood
- Contains white pigments
- Certified by IBR

## Product info

Container: 1, 2,5 and 5 litre

Consumption: 8-10 m<sup>2</sup>/litre with white pigments



## Application area

To be used on new or freshly sanded softwood (pine, spruce and pitch pine). Also suitable for new ceilings and panels before mounting. Not suitable for hardwood.

## Result

The lye treatment prevents the wood from yellowing which occurs as a consequence of light exposure. This treatment helps preserve the beautiful light colour which the wood possesses by nature.

## Application

Apply the Lye in a full coat lengthwise the wood grain with a nylon brush or a lye-wiper. Clean with Wood Cleaner after 1-2 hours.

## Aftercare

Requires a subsequent finishing treatment with oil, lacquer or soap.

## Maintaining and cleaning

According to the chosen finishing treatment.

# How to do...

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### Tools

Acid-proof brush, plastic bucket and stick for stirring.

Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

Clean tools with water and soap.

### ***Please notice!***

*Causes burns!*

*Keep locked up and out of the reach of children. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.*

**Softwood Lye may be used anywhere indoors for new or freshly sanded softwood (pine, spruce, pitch pine) to stop the natural yellowing process of the wood.**

Softwood Lye contains white pigments to give the floor an even, light colour from the beginning.

- 1** The unfinished woodwork must be well sanded, clean and dry before application of lye. Clean with 125 ml Wood Cleaner mixed with 5 litre water. Shake the container well and pour the lye into a plastic bucket and stir regularly during application to get a uniform finish. It is important that no white pigments are left back in the container. Stir the lye regularly during the work.
- 2** Apply an even coat of the lye with a nylon brush lengthwise the wood grain. Use at least 1 litre of lye per 10 m<sup>2</sup>. On vertical woodwork, apply the lye from top to bottom. Tools may be cleaned in water.

Lye primed wood floors may after approx. 1 hour be cleaned with Wood Cleaner. Alternatively the lye primed surface may after approx. 8 hours be polished with a green or black pad under the polishing machine and finally vacuum cleaned. After a drying time of 8 hours at 20° C (the wood must be completely dry) the wood floor may be oiled with Wood Floor Oil, Master Oil, Colour Oil or High Solid Master Oil or soaped with Natural Soap. The surface may also be finished with Oil Lacquer.