INTERIOR

Rubio® MONOCOAT

MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Oil Plus 2C

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CLEANING

1 How do I clean my wooden surface for the 1st time after applying the oil?

- May be done after a drying time of **48 hours**
- May be done **5 days after application**

2 How do I continue to keep my wooden surface clean?

- May be done **frequently**
- **Max. once a week**

Legend:

Clean dry
vacuum cleaner, Swiffer,.....

Universal Soap or
Surface Care

Your interior wood is used daily, meaning it has to endure a lot. Thanks to our Rubio Monocoat products, your wood is given an optimal and long-term protection. In this maintenance brochure we show you how to clean, maintain and refresh your oiled wood surface.

UNIVERSAL SOAP

Soap for regularly cleaning all interior oiled wooden surfaces

Universal Soap is the ideal product for cleaning all oiled surfaces. The product ensures that your surface remains in top condition and that all dirt and grease are thoroughly removed. In addition, the wood retains its matt, natural look. Universal Soap is also very concentrated and hence extremely low in consumption.

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Vacuum the surface. **02.** Pour a maximum of 50 to 100 ml of Universal Soap in a bucket with 10 litres of water. **03.** Clean the surface with a mop. **04.** Allow to dry for ±15 minutes.

SURFACE CARE

Ready-to-use spray version of Universal Soap

Surface Care is the handy, ready-to-use version of Universal Soap. The environmentally friendly soap is well suited for fast cleaning of small floor surfaces and local spots on wooden floors, coffee tables, counter tops, ...

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Vacuum the surface to make it dust-free. **02.** Spray Surface Care on the surface. **03.** Wipe dry with a mop or microfibre cloth. **04.** Allow the surface to dry for approximately 15 minutes.

TIPS:

- We recommend cleaning with Universal Soap or Surface Care no more than once a week. When cleaning too often or with too high a dosage of Universal Soap or Surface Care, a light layer can be left on the surface that will trap dust and dirt.
- Do not leave water on the surface, it is sufficient to clean damp. Do not walk on the floor until it is completely dry.
- The best working method is with two buckets: one with the soap mixture and one with clean water to rinse the dirt out of the mop.

REMOVING STAINS

UNIVERSAL SOAP *or*
SURFACE CARE

If the stains have not disappeared, proceed to step 2.

SPECIFIC STAIN REMOVERS
calcareous water stains, grease stains and black/tannin stains

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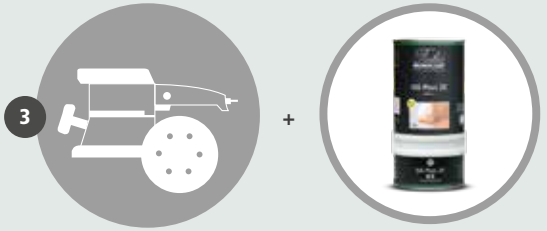


OIL PLUS 2C
Re-sand and oil locally

Legend:

Limespot, Grease & Tannin Remover

Although many stains can be removed with Universal Soap and Surface Care, we also developed a number of specific stain removers. Stubborn lime stains can be handled effectively with Limespot Remover, grease stains with Grease Remover and black/tannin stains with Tannin Remover.

If the stain has penetrated the wood too deeply, the spot can be sanded and re-oiled.

WHICH PRODUCT FOR WHICH STAIN?

LIMESPOT REMOVER

Ready-to-use spray for removing lime water stains

› Lime stains and other alkaline stains
e.g. fertilizers, radiator water, etc.
› Also: white rings, wine stains

GREASE REMOVER

Ready-to-use spray for removing grease stains

› Grease stains,
e.g. olive oil, frying oil, crisps, oil, etc.
› Also: heel marks and floor polish

TANNIN REMOVER

Ready-to-use spray for removing black/tannin stains

› Black/tannin stains
e.g. urine, rust stains, rings/stains from cans, flower pots, etc.
› Also: - After water damage on parquet
- In case of efflorescence on exterior wood
(on the bottom of gates, doors, on walls)

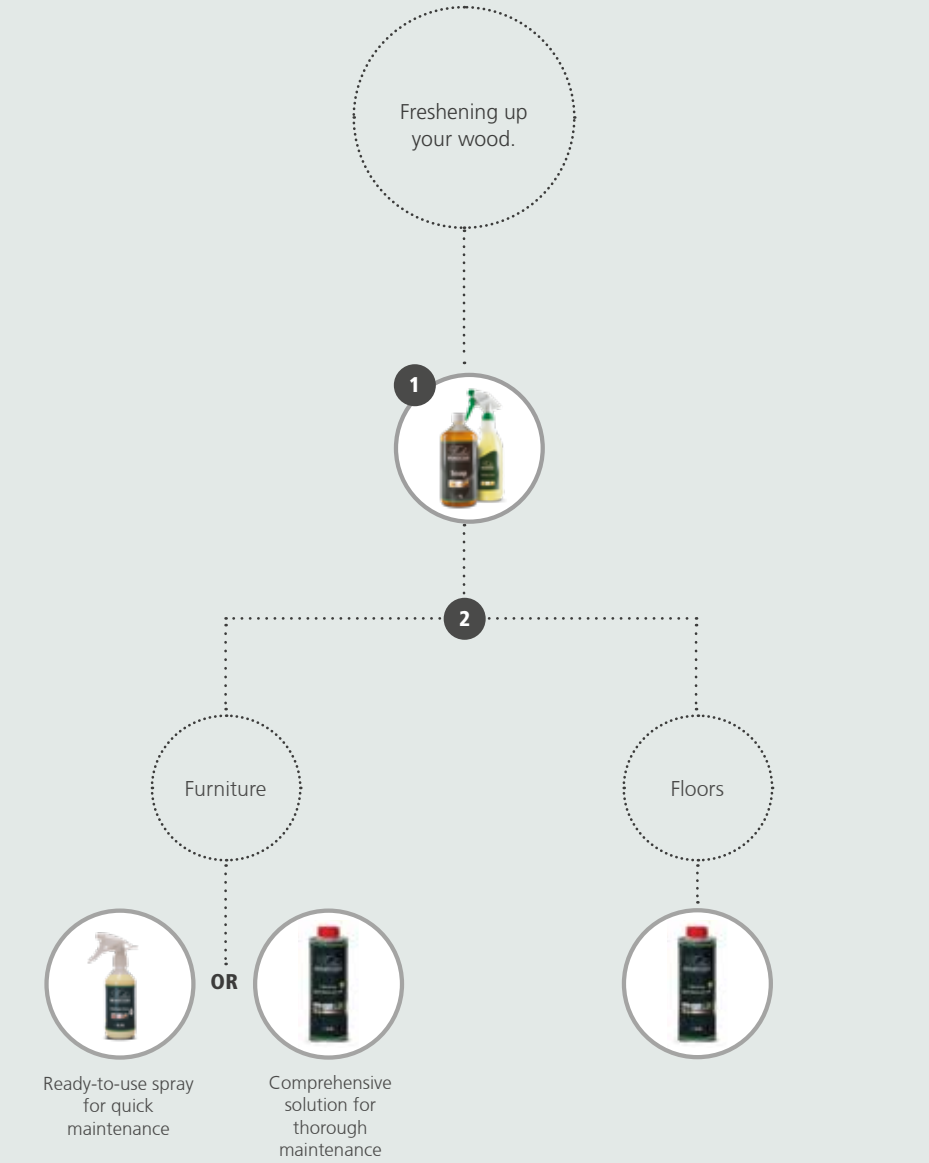
INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Spray the product onto the stain. **02.** Let absorb for 2 to 3 minutes. **03**. Dab dry with a cloth or a paper towel (do not wipe!). **04.** To remove stubborn stains, it is recommended to repeat the process until the desired result is achieved. **05.** Clean the whole surface thoroughly after. Use a damp cloth for this or clean with Surface Care.

TIPS:

- First try to remove the stain using Universal Soap or Surface Care. If the stain is not removed, then use one of the removers. Use them in this order: A. Limespot Remover B. Grease Remover C. Tannin Remover. We recommend this method only in cases where the cause of the stain is unknown. If you know the type of stain you're dealing with, immediately use the correct remover.
- After a treatment with Limespot Remover, Grease Remover or Tannin Remover, you may need to apply some oil in the original colour on the spot.
- If the surface becomes too stain-sensitive, maintain with Oil Plus 2C (in the original colour applied) to repair both colour and protection. More info about this on the next pages.

REFRESH



REFRESH ECO

Ready-to-use spray for refreshing furniture

Refresh Eco is a ready-to-use sprayable product for the refreshment and repair of oiled wooden surfaces.

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Clean the surface to be treated with Universal Soap or Surface Care. Allow to dry. **02.** Spray a small amount of Refresh Eco onto the surface to be treated. **03.** Spread the product in the direction of the wood fibres using the Microfibre Pad or a microfibre cloth. **04.** Allow the surface to dry for at least 1 hour before use.

UNIVERSAL MAINTENANCE OIL

A refreshing and unique look

Universal Maintenance oil refreshes wood that has been treated with Rubio Monocoat oil and enhances surfaces that were not treated with Rubio Monocoat. Universal Maintenance Oil is available in the colours Pure, White and Black. Choose according to the colour of the surface to be treated.

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Make the floor free of dirt and dust. **02.** Clean the floor thoroughly with water and Universal Soap. Rinse well with water so that all soap residues are removed. Allow to dry completely. **03.** Manual application: Apply the oil with a cloth, brush or sponge. Mechanical application: apply the oil with a floor polisher and a beige coloured pad. Preferably treat zones of 2 to 4 m². Each treated area should be wiped dry within 15 minutes with a paper towel or a cotton cloth. When using a floor polisher: wipe dry using a white pad. **04.** Ensure that the room is sufficiently ventilated. The floor should be dry after 6-8 hours.

During the first week, clean only using a wet cloth. Afterwards, the floor can be cleaned with Universal Soap.

RENOVATION

Repair colour and protection of your wood.

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Legend:

Deep Cleaner

Oil Plus 2C

DEEP CLEANER

Intense cleaner

Deep Cleaner is a curative cleaner for dirty surfaces and a preparatory cleaner for all types of surfaces treated with Oil Plus 2C (flooring, tabletops, worktops, etc.). Deep Cleaner removes dirt and greasy soap residue left on the surface.

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Clean the surface by using a damp sponge (water only). **02.** Wipe out the diluted Deep Cleaner (max. 5% Deep cleaner to 95% water) evenly on the surface by using a sponge. **03.** Scrub the treated area with a small nylon scrubbing brush or Microfiber Pad in the lengthwise direction of the wood until the surface is clean. This will cause the product to foam. **04.** Repeat this until the surface is clean and free of stains. **05.** Rinse well with water and allow to dry (± 30 minutes at a temperature of 20°C and in a well-ventilated room).

OIL PLUS 2C

Protects and colours your interior wood in one single layer

If the treated surface shows too much wear and tear, or needs a colour repair, maintain with Rubio Monocoat Oil Plus 2C in the original colour.

INSTRUCTIONS:

01. Clean the surface with Deep Cleaner. **02.** Stir the A-component until a homogeneous mixture is obtained. Mix the two components carefully (1 to 2 minutes) with a ratio of about 3 units A to 1 unit B. **03.** Spread a small amount of Oil Plus 2C with a beige/red Scrubby pad. **04.** Let absorb for a few minutes and remove excess oil with a cloth. The surface should not feel sticky! **05.** Allow to dry during 12 to 24 hours and wait at least 5 days before a first cleaning with water and Universal Soap or Surface Care.

ATTENTION

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION

Linseed oil is a natural product and not subject to spontaneous combustion. However, oil on a cloth or other tools does entail a fire risk. The oxidation of the oil leads to heat accumulation, which can result in spontaneous combustion. Therefore, the cloths and other tools must be soaked in water before disposal.

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Indicate the colour you used:

Date of application: .....

Name of your custom-made colour: .....

Precolor Easy: ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO - Colour:** .....

Pre-Aging: ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO - Colour:** .....

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