

PROFF WOODCARE SOFTWOOD LYE



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AREAS OF APPLICATION:

Softwood Lye may be used on all freshly sanded and new woodwork such as pitch pine, spruce and pine generally. It may be applied on floors, furniture, and ceiling panels before installation.

If used on oak, a Softwood Lye will react with the tannin acid in oak and produce a fumed dark colour.

- Prevents softwood from going yellow and red
- Produces a white wash finish
- Used on oak it produces a fumed colour

APPLICATION OF MATERIAL

Softwood Lye offers perfect prevention of the natural yellowing process of pine and spruce when these wood species are exposed to daylight. In combination with an oil or soap treatment, the finished woodwork will remain light.

- * Ensures that pine and spruce do not go yellow
- * Finish with Proff Woodcare Proff Oil white or Proff Woodcare Isofin Soap white
- * Suitable for both pine and spruce and when used on oak, fumed colour produced
- * Contains high quantity of white pigments which ensures white wash finish



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HOW TO DO

Proff Woodcare Soft Wood Lye may be used on all kind of soft wood such as pine, pitch-pine and spruce. It prevents soft wood from going yellow and ensures that the wood remains light. After lye application, the woodwork needs Proff Woodcare Proff Oil or Proff Woodcare Wood Floor Soap treatment for protection. It is important that the yellowing process has not already started before application of the lye. Wall and ceiling panels should be lye treated before mounting due to corrosive material.

Work Instruction:

1. The surface of the wood must be completely dry and free from dirt and grease. The surface should be freshly sanded before application.
2. Shake the bottle well and pour material into plastic bucket and stir well so that all pigments and lime are evenly distributed in material.
3. Use goggles and gloves for protection. Lye is corrosive.
4. Apply lye in an even layer lengthwise of the boards using an acid proof brush.
5. Stir material regularly during application.
6. Use 1 litre of lye to 10m² of floor or panel.
7. Clean tools with water.
8. After basic priming with lye, a finishing treatment is required. Wait for 6 hours after application before surface is cleaned with Proff Woodcare Intensive Wood Cleaner to remove excess pigments and lime from surface.
9. Leave for drying before application of Proff Woodcare Proff Oil white or other colour.