



Exterpark Decking Care and Storage

Cleaning

All our wood is natural and will silver naturally with age, therefore, to resist both algae and moss growth you need to regularly clean and oil your deck

DO NOT use any kind of chemical, abrasive cleaners, solvents, wax or indeed any other cleaners on hardwood as these can harm the deckboard finish.

DO NOT pressure wash as you could damage the finish on the boards.

The surface texture is porous, to remove dirt and grime wash with soapy water and brush with a broom before rinsing off. Ensure that the spacing between each board is clear to allow for good water drainage.

Maintenance

Dry your deck over two days and then apply two coats of oil, if required lightly sand your deck to enhance the finish. Sanding should be done prior to oiling

Damage to Surface

Mild damage should not show under normal usage conditions due to the varied texture and colours in the hardwood, however, sharp metal objects such as narrow metal chair legs, spiked shoes or similar may damage the surface. Use of rock salt or grit may increase surface wear on decks as it is abrasive.

Weathering

Long term ageing tests have shown that hardwood decking is very stable and no adverse reactions are expected over time under normal conditions.

All colours are natural and our products are hand finished ensuring Exterpark Decking will give an excellent overall natural effect throughout its life, certainly holding colour longer than soft wood decking.

Storage and Handling

Exterpark decking should always be stored on a flat surface or level bearers every 400mm and stored in a well ventilated area.

Normal health and safety precautions should be observed at all times when handling Exterpark products.

DO NOT burn any waste or off cuts, dispose as refuse or recycle

Pallets of Exterpark products should only be lifted when the boards are secured to the pallet.

Winter Ice and Snow

Do not use rock salt, as it can be very abrasive. A 'spring clean' of soap and water with a soft broom or mop is recommended when winter is over.

Colour Variations

As with all flooring it is best to purchase all you need in one go as batches machined months apart may vary slightly. These variations are considered acceptable. The colour will be as the individual species allows.

Do not install boards if for any reason you believe them to be defective.