

Colourless oil,  
no buffing required

Ready to use



Gives a beautiful  
golden colour



High build



High chemical  
resistance



Very easy application  
in 2 coats



Matt finish



Anti-dust



Lasting protection of  
parquet, wood floors,  
stairs and worktops



# Easy Oil™



## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

- BLANCHON EASY OIL™ is a traditional impregnating oil for wood floors, parquet flooring and all interior woodwork.
- No buffing or wiping is necessary, so EASY OIL™ is very easy to apply. With its smooth and high-build consistency, EASY OIL™ is easy and pleasant to use.
- EASY OIL™ gives a certain warmth to wood floors and enhances the grain of the wood.
- EASY OIL™ deeply impregnates the surface of the wood floor, protects it from dust and humidity and provides good chemical resistance.
- EASY OIL™ is suitable for all European woods and most exotic woods (on anti-siccative woods such as ipe, iroko, etc., (see IMPLEMENTATION AND APPLICATION).
- Available in 2 finishes: satin and ultra matt.

## SURFACE PREPARATION

- The wood floor must be perfectly clean and dry; As a general rule, moisture content should be below 10%. Consult the DTU in force (do not use detergents or whiteners).
- Sand old or new wood flooring to obtain a smooth, even surface: first sand to bare wood with 24 or 36 grit, then with 50 or 60 grit and finish with 100 or 120 (see APPENDIX).
- **IMPORTANT: brushed woods produce more intense shades than smooth woods.**
- For glued down wood flooring, use BLANCHON PRO FILLER® (water-based filler), or BLANCHON RESIN FILLER for filling and colour-matching. (Please consult Technical Data Sheets for these products).
- Then remove all dust thoroughly.
- Oily secretions from exotic woods must be removed with acetone.

### Insecticide treatment

- If necessary, use a suitable treatment product.

### Wood staining

- Sanded wood floors can be stained with BLANCHON AQUATEINTE® 2K, BLANCHON WATERBORNE DYE for woodfitters, or BLANCHON WOOD AGEING AGENT (positive shades). After drying, apply one coat of BLANCHON PRIM'OIL<sup>(1)</sup>. In the case of light colours, consideration should be given to the warm tone of the wood, inherent to resinous woods, and to the overall effect of the stain after applying the coat of PRIM'OIL<sup>(1)</sup> [if necessary, carry out a test on a discreet spot].
- The most interesting decorative effects are achieved on brushed wood, "aged" in advance or stained with BLANCHON WOOD AGEING AGENT.
- Do not use woodstain.
- **IMPORTANT: on previously stained wood, different levels of wear across the floor are likely to affect the overall colour without regular maintenance. The wood will have to be maintained thoroughly and regularly to preserve the decoration and protection in the long term.**

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

- EASY OIL is ready to use without mixing.
- Stir well before use.
- Do not impregnate the wood floor when the temperature is below 12°C. Use only in well ventilated areas.
- Apply a first thin coat of EASY OIL™ with a short-haired roller (lacquer 5 mm) in the direction of the wood or, if that is not possible, in the direction of the light. Use a brush or graining brush for the edges of the room. A spray gun may be used on vertical surfaces, furniture and worktops.
- After drying, sand the surface with fine abrasive paper (120 grade if well-used, or 150), dust thoroughly, and then wipe with a damp microfibre mop to remove any final traces of dust, however tiny.
- Apply the second coat using the same method as the first. Each coat must be very thin, around of 25 m<sup>2</sup>/L/coat.
- Trade pro tip: for an especially silky finish, go over the second coat with a floor cleaning machine or cloth.
- Do not wait more than 48 hours between coats.
- EASY OIL™ is compatible with industrial roller coaters.
- **Special cases:**  
On exotic woods, oily woods or wood flooring with "boat joints", apply one coat of PRIM'OIL to prevent extended drying times, which are inherent to these types of wood. Then apply 1 coat using a roller.

### Cleaning of tools

- Tools must be cleaned immediately after use, with a thinner.
- Clean cloths, pads and tools immediately after use (fire risk if textile tools are kept soaked in oil). Cloths and pads may also be kept in water. Do not throw away cloths or pads soaked in oil without first rinsing thoroughly in water.
- Re-seal carefully after use. Do not discharge into drains.

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## DRYING TIMES

- Dust-free drying: 1hr 30m to 2 hrs under normal conditions
- "Sandable/recoatible" drying: 8 to 10 hours in normal conditions.
- Curing time: 8 to 10 days.
- Occupation of premises: 1 to 4 days after applying the final coat.
- During the first few days take some precautions: do not cover (protective sheets), do not place carpets on the oiled wood floor during this period. Remove dust with a vacuum cleaner, broom or cloth (do not use impregnated textiles). Do not move heavy furniture. Do not allow water or other liquids to build up on your oiled wood floor (isolate flower pots).
- Next: place suitable protection (felt) under the feet of tables and chairs. A quality doormat placed at the entrance to the room will retain dust and gravel. Your wood needs a healthy environment: an ambient temperature of 19-21°C and relative air humidity of approximately 50 to 65% are ideal.

## COVERAGE

- INITIAL OILING ON A SANDED WOOD FLOOR: 25 m<sup>2</sup> per litre per coat, approximately.
- MAINTENANCE OILING: 25 to 35 m<sup>2</sup> per litre per coat, approximately.

## MAINTENANCE

- The oiled surface must be regularly dusted (broom or vacuum cleaner).
- Occasional marks and stains can be easily removed with a neutral detergent (well-wrung cloth or mop and never dripping).
- **IMPORTANT: wait 15 days for the first intervention, so that the EASY OIL™ has time to dry thoroughly.**

A WELL MAINTAINED OILED WOOD FLOOR LOOKS MORE ATTRACTIVE OVER TIME.

### Routine cleaning

- Damp wiping with BLANCHON NATURAL SOAP FOR OILED WOOD FLOORS, diluted at a ratio of 50 ml to 5 litres of water. BLANCHON LAGOON®, special cleaner for wood floors, can also be used for daily cleaning.
- Work on successive areas, regularly rinsing the microfibre mop or other equipment used. This equipment must always be thoroughly wrung out to avoid making the floor too wet.
- Perform weekly in little-used rooms up to daily in areas subject to heavy traffic. NATURAL SOAP FOR OILED WOOD FLOORS provides in-depth cleaning of oiled wood floors while strengthening their protection.

### Regular maintenance

- On a dust-free and clean oiled wood floor, apply BLANCHON MAINTENANCE OIL and wipe with a clean and dry cotton cloth to obtain a buffed matt finish. This operation will be made easier and faster by using a cleaning machine with a beige pad (if the floor is very dirty, a red pad can be used to strengthen the mechanical cleaning). This can be combined with a spray-method: the buffing is much quicker and the mechanical cleaning is improved.
- Return to use: 4 to 8 hours after buffing.
- Frequency: Whenever the finish of the oiled wood floor is no longer even.
- If the wood floor is subject to heavy use and spray-type maintenance is not enough, sand the whole surface with a sanding disc (120 or 150). Remove dust, then apply a thin coat of EASY OIL™ with a roller.
- The more regular and frequent the maintenance, the easier it becomes.  
NB: it is possible to lacquer a wood floor impregnated with EASY OIL™: the oil must be completely removed by sanding the wood floor back to bare.

## TECHNICAL DATA

USE	Impregnation of parquets and floors
TYPE OF RESIN	Urethane oils
DENSITY	0.87 [at 20°C, as per NF T 30020]
VISCOSITY	BROOKFIELD (Spindle 2, Speed 100 rpm at 20°C) 250 centipoises
REGULATORY INFORMATION	Refer to the relevant Safety Data Sheets [available on <a href="http://www.blanchon.com">www.blanchon.com</a> or on <a href="http://www.quickfds.com">www.quickfds.com</a> ]
SANDABILITY - RECOATABILITY	Approximately 8 to 10 hours, depending on the temperature and humidity
RESISTANCE TO HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS	Vegetable oil, 40° alcohol, water, coffee, tea, ink: no adverse effects after 3 hours' exposure [after 10 days' drying, as per NF T 30053]. Do not use ammonia-based products.

### APPENDIX: SANDING A WOOD FLOOR USING A MACHINE

- This is done using a special floor sander, with an edge sander for the edges and a scraper for the corners.
- The floor sanding machine is used in the direction of the light or better, if possible, in the direction of the wood.
- Work in even, regular "sweeps" to ensure that the entire surface is done in an identical manner.
- 1<sup>st</sup> pass: coarse grain (24, 30 or 36) to ensure the wood floor is bare and level.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> pass: medium grit (50 or 60) to get a smooth, even surface.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> pass: fine grit (100 or 120) to complete the finish.
- Sand the edges of the room (edge sander and scraper).
- Polishing with a buffing machine fitted with an abrasive mesh (100 or 120) ensures that the surface is perfectly prepared, especially in the case of flooring that has alternating lines (mosaics, chevrons, herringbone pattern, basket weave pattern, etc.).
- Remove all dust carefully, using a powerful vacuum cleaner, from the area to be lacquered, including any skirting boards, window ledges and radiators.

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