

FAQs For Decks & Furniture.

I have just put down a new deck and wish to put a stain on to maintain the colour? Its best to allow the timber to weather for approx 2-3 months. This will allow any excessive tannins, resin and moisture to leach out which will provide a better surface for the coating to interact with. You will have some colour loss to your timber but you are going to apply colour with your chosen Timbakote House and Deck Stain.

I have an old weathered deck and wish to bring it back like new?

Easy, just apply a Sugar Soap solution as per directions, allow to dry over night and then apply 2 coats of Timbakote House and Deck Stain of your chosen colour.

How do I maintain my deck and when should I recoat?

Apply a Timber Mould Wash at least once a year to kill any mould spore and reapply 1-2 coats of Timbakote House and Deck Stain at least every 2 years.

If the deck or furniture has high usage you may need to recoat earlier. If there are deep scratches or worn patches from day to day wear then the offending area should be recoated promptly.

What is the best way to coat my deck?

Avoid coating in direct sunlight or high winds. Always work along the full length of the timber surface not across the width. To avoid lap marks always finish each length of timber before moving onto the next.

Apply with a brush or applicator pad, if using a roller make sure you brush out the coating.

Why use Timbakote House and Deck Stain instead of a normal stain?

Timbakote House and Deck Stain provides colourfast colour as well as water protection to your timber. The wet and dry action of the weather is the main cause of timber degradation.