



MASTERPIECE

WOOD FINISH

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2-Part Oil/Wax Finishing System

Masterpiece Wood Finish is an oil/wax system designed to enhance the natural beauty of interior wood furniture. This system takes the guesswork out of selecting an oil product and a compatible wax finish for your fine, woodworking masterpiece.

Both steps in the finishing process create compatibility for the next step.

- 1) The **BASECOAT** is made with special oils that penetrate to seal the wood and enhance its color and grain.
- 2) The **TOPCOAT** special paste wax provides additional sheen and luster to the finish.

Masterpiece Wood Finish is formulated to be:

Environmentally responsible:

- You won't have a lot of empty half-used containers that will go into a landfill because containers are sized to be the right amount for a typical project (16 oz. /typically 45 sq. ft. when applied as directed).
- Each handy container can be washed out and used for shop storage.
- It is formulated to have an ideal balance of being "user friendly as a finish" while having low odor and low VOC's.

Easy to Use:

- Follow the directions for easy application of both steps.
- It is easy to repair and renew; usually, just start by touching up with the BASECOAT before the TOPCOAT.

CAUTIONS and NOTES – Do Not Use without Reading and Understanding:

- *Both applications of stain (if used), BASECOATS, and TOPCOATS must be completely **dry to the touch** before proceeding to the next application to get the desired results. Drying time is at least 24 hours and subject to many variables including thickness of application, temperature (ideal is 72 degrees), humidity, and other environmental factors.*
- *This product contains **NUT OILS** and may cause an allergic reaction. Use protective gloves, clothing, and eyewear. Clean all surfaces that come into contact with this product while in use.*
- *A prepared surface is one that has been sanded smooth with all defects removed. The required final sanding grit and or burnishing (Scotchbrite™ pads 0000) requirements are different for many species. If you are not sure, test to check results on prepared scrap surfaces.*
- *Properly dispose of all oily rags and applicators. They can cause spontaneous combustion.*
- *Do not ingest; follow instructions on MSDS if ingested.*
- *Flush eyes thoroughly with water if the finish gets in the eyes. Eye protection is recommended.*
- *Store at room temperature; do not allow materials to freeze.*

Application Instructions:

BASECOAT Application

- Wipe on a liberal coating of BASECOAT (using a cloth or lint-free paper towel) on a prepared wood surface (see Cautions and Notes above). After it sits for 20 to 30 minutes, wipe off the excess.
- When dry to the touch (usually 24 hours or more), rub with the white Scotchbrite™ (0000) pad to just smooth the surface.
- Apply a second coat following the directions above. You may choose to apply as many as three total coats.

TOPCOAT Application

IMPORTANT NOTE!

Only work about 1 square foot of surface at a time (a chair arm or drawer front)). Apply and buff off quickly! If the basecoats are dry, a gloss will easily appear when buffed. If it doesn't, just let the basecoats continue to dry. Don't apply the topcoat to the entire piece before buffing. Always work small areas.

- Wipe a *very thin coat* on the wood's surface using a thick paper towel (Scott's Industrial Paper Towels). The thin coat will dry faster (usually in 10 minutes).
- When the coat is absolutely dry to the touch, buff the haze off the surface with any good buffing material such as a rag or Scotchbrite™ (0000) pad.
- For ultimate gloss, apply additional coats after several days of dry time.

TAKE YOUR TIME AND ENJOY CREATING YOUR MASTERPIECE!