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THE SCANDINAVIAN STYLE WOOD TREATMENT WITH THE NATURAL LOOK AND FEEL

Lyes and Soaps

Our Scandinavian friends have a traditional wood treatment that looks, feels and smells as if the wood has been untreated. Yet the surfaces are protected by this water based product "system"





Scandinavian System

from Nature ...

The Scandinavian System is one of the most natural wood treatments available. Virtually invisible, it leaves the wood looking as if it has not be treated at all! The result is a lighter effect that resists yellowing. Use the Scandinavian System on all indoor wood surfaces: walls, ceilings, paneling, furniture and even floors!

The system consists of two parts: the wood is first treated with a lye that whitens and brightens the wood. Because of the differences in their natural properties, we have developed lye products for either hard (2093) or soft wood (2094).

The lye treatment can be used to prepare wood for other coatings, such as BIOFA Parquet Oil, BIOFA Hard Oil or BIOFA Worktop Oil. It helps to lighten the surface even under these oils.

The second part of the Scandinavian System is a liquid soap solution that not only cleans the floor, but improves its durability and silky finish with each use.

BIOFA Floor Soaps

clear 2091 and white 2092

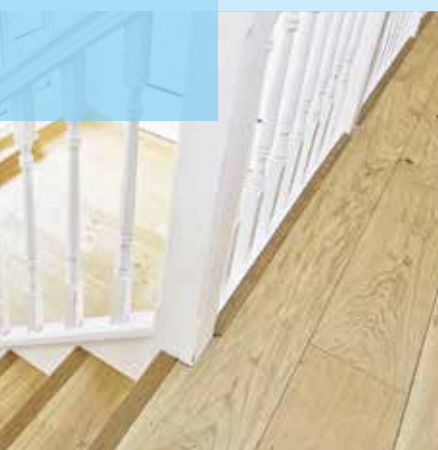


Where to use:

The BIOFA Wood Soap not only cleans, but also enhances the natural beauty of wooden surfaces. And wait! There is even more: every time you clean your surfaces with BIOFA Wood Soap, they become more durable, more water and dirt repellent.

There are two versions: Clear (2091) and White (2092). The white helps to further lighten the wood with each application.

- Amazingly easy to use!
- looks and feels untreated.
- Leaves the surface breathable and allows you to “feel” the natural ambience.
- prevents yellowing in “untreated”, oiled or soaped surfaces
- regenerates surface with subsequent use
- The finished floor is lighter than oiled floors and hardly yellow over time (yellowing is primarily from the oils)
- 99% renewable and mineral components
- The floors are not particularly durable and require refurbishing. But the result makes it well worth it. Also, every time you clean with the soap, you are refurbishing the floor! The floor becomes more durable with each cleaning!



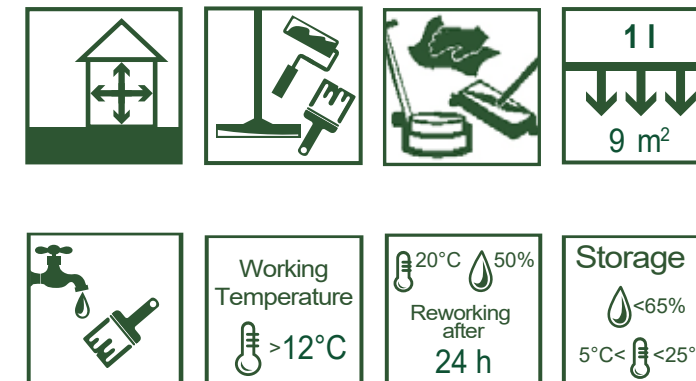
Directions for Using BIOFA Wood Soap:



1. Dilute the wood soap 1:7 (145 ml Soap in 1 L warm water)
2. Apply generously with a rag or sponge and allow it to rest for about 20 minutes.
3. Massage the soap into the wood with a brush or soft pad.



4. Remove excess soap solution with a squeegee and rags. Allow to dry for 3 hours and repeat 2-3 times as desired. For the most gorgeous effect, polish with a white pad after drying!



Regular cleaning and maintenance:

1. Dilute 1:40 (25 ml in 1L warm water)
2. Apply the solution and allow to work for several minutes
3. If necessary (lots of dirt), scrub the surface with a stiff brush
4. Remove excess with a rag or mop
5. Repeat as necessary 2-3 times.



For floors:

repeat 2-4 times per month

For furniture:

clean once monthly or as desired.

For walls, doors, ceilings, etc.:

treat 1-2 times annually.



Cleaning exceedingly dirty and spotted surfaces:

1. Dilute the Wood Soap 1:20 (50 ml soap in 1 L warm water)
2. Apply the solution generously
3. While wet, scrub with a stiff brush or green pad (wear eye protection)
4. Remove excess soap with a mop or rags
5. Dilute the Wood Soap 1: 40 (25 ml in 1L warm water)
6. Apply to the surface and remove the loosened dirt with rags or a mop
7. Repeat as needed.





The natural lye treatment reacts chemically with the wood surface, making it lighter and more resistant to yellowing. It is important to use the correct product for the wood: 2093 for hardwoods and 2094 for soft woods!

Because the lye lightens the wood regardless of the subsequent coatings, it can be used as a first primer for many other Oils, Waxes, and other BIOFA products.



Hardwood Lye 2093

- lightens wooden surfaces
- for floors, furniture, ceilings, doors, paneling and other interior structures
- for hardwoods, such as maple, ash, beech and oak

Working Temperature >12°C	20°C 50% Reworking after 24 h	Storage <65% 5°C < <25°C	



Softwood Lye 2094

- lightens wooden surfaces
- for floors, furniture, ceilings, doors, paneling and other interior structures
- for softwoods, such as pine, spruce and fir

Working Temperature >12°C	20°C 50% Reworking after 24 h	Storage <65% 5°C < <25°C	

Directions:

1. Using chemically resistant rollers or brushes (acidic for hardwood, caustic for softwood), apply 1 coat evenly and generously. For a lighter effect, repeat after a 5 hour reaction time.
2. After drying, sand with 120-180 paper or a green pad or a stiff brush. Excessive abrasion will reduce the whitening effect. Remove dust before continuing with treatment.

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