

Sutherland Welles Ltd.®

Sustainable, natural & earth-friendly Polymerized Tung Oil wood finishes.



Original Formula & Botanical Polymerized Tung Oil

We recommend either Original Polymerized Tung Oil or Botanical Polymerized Tung Oil. The difference in the two formulations is the solvent. The Original Formula is petroleum solvent and the Botanical is our proprietary citrus solvent, Di-Citrusol™. They can be used interchangeably to create a hand-rubbed natural look. These finishes keep the wood protected and responsive with minimal surface build. Different levels of sheens are possible.

Low Sheen Instructions

step 1:

- Apply Low Lustre
- Wait 30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 6-8 hours

step 2:

- Sand 400 grit
- Vacuum & tack surface
(use Mineral Sprits on a rag to clean surface)

step 3:

- Apply Low Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

step 4:

- Sand if rough (600 grit or fine steel wool)
- Vacuum & tack surface

step 5:

- Apply Low Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

Medium Sheen Instructions

step 1:

- Apply Medium Lustre
- Wait 30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 6-8 hours

step 2:

- Sand 400 grit
- Vacuum & tack surface
(use Mineral Sprits on a rag to clean surface)

step 3:

- Apply Medium Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

step 4:

- Sand if rough (600 grit or fine steel wool)
- Vacuum & tack surface

step 5:

- Apply Medium Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

step 6:

- Sand if rough (600 grit or fine steel wool)
- Vacuum & tack surface

step 7:

- Apply Medium Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

Drums Natural Look

Wood Preparation

All wood surfaces should be free of lint, dirt, grease, wax, oil and old paint. If you are refinishing old wood, please make sure to remove any loose old finish. **Sand the wood using 220 grit paper.** Avoid using higher grits as they close down the wood pores interfering with maximum penetration.

Applicator Options

Rag: Scott® blue paper shop towels

Brush: Natural white china bristle brush (thin coats only)

Cure Test

Push finger tips against the grain of the wood. If they glide easily over the surface, you are ready to apply your next coat.

High Sheen Instructions

step 1:

- Apply High Lustre
- Wait 30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 6-8 hours

step 2:

- Sand 400 grit
- Vacuum & tack surface
(use Mineral Sprits on a rag to clean surface)

step 3:

- Apply High Lustre
- Wait 10-15 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

step 4:

- Sand if rough (600 grit or fine steel wool)
- Vacuum & tack surface

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