

# Sutherland Welles Ltd.®

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



## Murdoch's Hard Sealer

There are some ceiling, beam, and mantle designs that require a highly finished look such as coffered ceilings, decorative beams and carved mantels. This is best achieved using a fortified oil such as Murdoch's Hard Sealer.

The brushed application builds a rich, uniform sheen, thus creating a finished look with uniform reflectivity.

### Ceiling Instructions Low-Medium Sheen

#### step 1:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Don't Wipe
- Let cure 24 hours

#### step 2:

- Sand 400 grit
- Vacuum & tack surface

(use Mineral Sprits on a rag to clean surface)

#### step 3:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Wait 25-30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

#### step 4:

- Sand 400 grit
- Vacuum & tack surface

(use Mineral Sprits on a rag to clean surface)

#### step 5:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Wait 25-30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

**Repeat steps 4-5 for higher sheen.**

## Interior Ceilings, Beams & Mantels

### 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)

### Coat Cure Test

Lightly sand several inconspicuous areas. A fine, white powder indicates that you can safely apply another coat.

### Beam & Mantle Dense Wood Instructions Low-Medium Sheen

#### step 1:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Don't Wipe
- Let cure 24 hours

#### step 2:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Wait 25-30 min.
- Wipe unabsorbed finish
- Let cure 24 hours

**Repeat step 2 for higher sheen.**

### Beam & Mantle Porous Wood Instructions Low-Medium Sheen

#### step 1:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Don't Wipe
- Let cure 24 hours

#### step 2:

- Apply Hard Sealer
- Don't Wipe
- Let cure 24 hours

**Repeat step 2 for higher sheen.**

**Gentle use after 24 hours. Resin full cure through 7-14 days & full Oil cure through after 30 days  
(+/- based on local humidity/elevation/temperature)**