

Welcome to Resene Woodcare

The Resene Woodcare range has everything you need for interior and exterior staining and clear finishing projects.

The Resene Woodcare stand showcases the range of finishes and colours and further information is also available on the Resene Exterior Woodcare colour chart and the Resene website. View the how to videos on the Resene website, resene.com/videos, for hints and tips on how to get a professional finish.

	Resene Colorwood	Resene Colour Enhance	Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash, Colourwash	Resene Aquaclear - Gloss, Semi-Gloss, Satin	Resene Qristal ClearFloor 1K	Resene Qristal ClearFloor 2K	Resene Qristal Clear - Poly-Flat, Poly-Satin, Poly-Gloss	Resene Qristal Clear HD Poly-Satin	Resene Polythane
Timber walls	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes	
Veneers	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes	
Timber furniture, desks	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes	
Trims and joinery	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes	
Doors	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes			Yes	Yes	
Timber flooring	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Cork flooring	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Work floors - heavy duty finish	Yes*		Yes			Yes			Yes
Wooden children's toys	Yes*	Yes**	Yes	Yes	Yes				

* Must be overcoated

** Mixed into appropriate clear waterborne timber finish

How to apply Resene Colorwood wood stain (excludes Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash, Colourwash)

1. You will need to sand new timber to remove any surface imperfections. As Resene Colorwood wood stain is transparent any residual marks or blemishes on the surface will be apparent in the finished job. Remember to always sand with the grain of the timber.

2. Apply the Resene Colorwood stain liberally before laying off to ensure even coverage is achieved.

Carefully plan the staining sequence. It is important that the Resene Colorwood stain remains wet before wiping. The longer the stain is left on the surface, the deeper the colour will be.



3. Wipe the surface using a clean lint-free cloth to remove excess stain and ensure the stain is evenly applied to the timber. Have additional cloths ready to replace saturated cloths as you progress. This is very important for large areas especially floors and sheets of plywood and MDF. Allow to dry.



4. Apply Resene Aquaclear or Resene Qristal Clear polyurethane in your desired gloss level. For flooring apply Resene Qristal ClearFloor.

For more application advice, see the Resene project sheets and videos for Applying Colorwood, Clear Finishes and Qristal ClearFloor online at resene.com/videos.



MDF and Particle Board(s)

Composite boards - particularly Strandboard can be enhanced by applying Resene Colorwood. They can be very absorbent, taking up the Resene Colorwood stain too quickly and making it hard to apply and achieve an even finish.

Dampening the surface by spraying a light mist of clean water onto the surface will reduce the absorbency of the board.

A lambswool deck pad can also be used to apply Resene Colorwood stain and is ideal for flooring.

How to apply Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash, Colourwash

Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash and Colourwash are tinted film forming finishes. To apply, follow Step 1 above. Then apply 1-2 coats of Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash or Colourwash finish depending on the intensity of colour. Finish with Step 4 above.

Always read label instructions before starting your project.

Resene Aquaclear

Resene Aquaclear is a fast dry and easy-to-use waterborne varnish. It will not yellow with age (unlike most solventborne varnishes) so is ideal for light coloured timber and composite boards. Available in satin, semi-gloss, gloss and natural finishes.



Resene Qristal Polyurethanes

Resene Qristal Polyurethanes are popular solventborne varnishes. They add depth and vibrancy to hardwoods and dark timbers. Available in Resene Qristal Poly-Gloss: a high gloss (wet look) finish that will give added intensity to the stain colour; Resene Qristal Poly-Satin: a medium vibrancy, more natural finish with less effect on the stain colour and Resene Qristal Clear Poly-Flat: a natural flat finish that mimics a waxed surface and is the ideal finish for recycled, aged or imperfect timbers. Where a harder wearing surface is required, use Resene Polythane. The Resene Qristal Clear polyurethanes are ideal for use over Resene Danska Teak Oil.

Resene Qristal ClearFloor

Resene Qristal ClearFloor is a premium waterborne durable and hardwearing satin floor finish available in a two pack product (2K) and a single pack (1K). Resene Qristal ClearFloor 1K is designed for general flooring use with low to medium foot traffic and Resene Qristal ClearFloor 2K is recommended for commercial and high traffic areas. It has minimal odour compared to traditional flooring finishes.



Resene Polythane

Resene Polythane is a single pack moisture cured polyurethane clear gloss finish for floors and hardwearing surfaces. It is recommended as a topcoat on dark or timber coloured stains as it may yellow over time, which can enhance timber coloured stains.

Resene Danska Teak Oil

Resene Danska Teak Oil is a traditional highly refined oil designed to enhance the grain of hardwoods including teak, rimu and beech. Typically either brush applied or wiped on with a clean lint-free cloth, it needs to be overcoated and looks best when used under Resene Qristal Clear polyurethanes.



Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash, Colourwash

Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash and Colourwash aren't absorbed into timber or composite board like Resene Colorwood but as the names imply are a wash of white, grey or colour over uncoated timber and composite boards, such as particle board - lightening and enhancing the surface. They can be applied over aged, yellowed polyurethanes and varnishes for a contemporary whitewashed, greywashed or colourwashed look, without the need to strip the existing polyurethane coating. Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash and Colourwash may be overcoated with Resene Aquaclear or Resene Qristal ClearFloor and are ideal for achieving blonded, French wash or white, grey or colourwashed effects. It is best applied by brush or speedbrush.

Cover: Headboard trellis in Resene Colorwood Bask, floorboard in Resene Colorwood Breathe Easy and vase in Resene Thorndon Cream.

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Resene Interior wood stains



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Bring out the best in your interior timber

Staining a natural wood surface accents and enhances the wood grain.

Rejuvenate and enhance timber and composite boards including Strandboard, plywood, MDF as well as most flooring with **Resene Colorwood** waterborne interior penetrating wood stain. Resene Colorwood stain penetrates into the surface and cannot be applied over existing varnishes or bare timber. It is sometimes known as a wiping stain or dye.

Resene Colorwood is usually overcoated with **Resene Aquaclear**, **Resene Qristal Clear polyurethane** or **Resene Qristal ClearFloor**. Rough sawn interior timber, such as beams, may be stained with **Resene Colorwood** without clear finishing or polyurethaning.

Resene Colorwood Whitewash, **Greywash** and **Colourwash** are film forming stains that may be applied over existing varnishes.

Selecting colour

The first task when selecting a wood stain colour is to identify the type of timber you will be staining. Higher density timber and hardwoods will not absorb liquids as readily as softer less dense timber. The timber's natural colour will affect the final finish and different varieties and grades of wood will absorb the stain differently, so it is important that you consider this when selecting your colour.

Stain colours applied to light timber (or composite boards notably plywood) will appear much stronger and brighter than stains applied to dark wood. Dark stains applied to a dark timber may also cause a darker result than anticipated. Strong primary colours are best applied to light timbers such as pine or plywood. You may need to select a darker or lighter stain or apply an extra coat to get your desired colour.

Resene Colorwood stain colours may be intermixed or diluted to create other colours. **Resene Colorwood** penetrating wood stains may be mixed with other Resene Colorwood penetrating wood stains. **Resene Colorwood Whitewash**, **Greywash** and **Colourwash** colours may be intermixed with other Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash and Colourwash colours. Do not intermix **Resene Colorwood** penetrating wood stains with Resene Colorwood Whitewash, Greywash or Colourwash film forming stains.

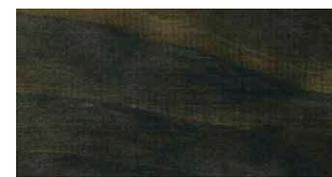
If you like a particular Resene Colorwood penetrating wood stain colour but it is just too intense, add **Resene Colorwood Reducing Base**, which will soften the hue without losing the character and body of the undiluted stain. Resene Colorwood Reducing Base is also perfect on dark timbers to enhance the grain and appearance of the timber, without making the timber appear even darker.

Add **Resene Colour Enhance** to waterborne polyurethanes including **Resene Aquaclear** for extra depth of colour.

The stain colour is affected by the gloss level of the product you choose to topcoat your stain. A clear gloss polyurethane, such as **Resene Qristal Poly-Gloss**, will make the colour appear more vibrant than a clear flat polyurethane, such as **Resene Qristal Poly-Flat**. Stains left uncoated have no resistance to marks such as watermarks or coffee cup stains.

The samples on this chart are indicators of the final colour. As with any finishing project - regardless of the products you're using - always go through the entire finishing process before you commit to your final colour and topcoat choice. This is especially important when you experiment with tinting topcoats and mixing **Resene Colorwood** colours. Take a scrap piece from your project, sand it completely, apply **Resene Colorwood** and allow it to dry thoroughly, then apply the topcoat of your choice. Once dry, inspect the final result, which will be a good representation of what your finished project will look like. Remember that both sanding and your choice of topcoat will affect the finished look of your project. View standard Resene Colorwood colours on wood chip samples at your local Resene ColorShop or order wood chip samples online, resene.com/woodsamples. Small sizes of Resene Colorwood stain or wash are available from Resene ColorShops and resellers.

Resene Colorwood penetrating wood stains



Pitch Black™*WD



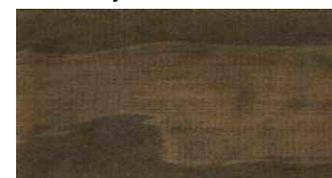
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Dark Ebony™*WD



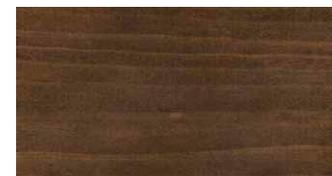
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English Walnut™ WD



Deep Oak™*WD



Bark™ WD



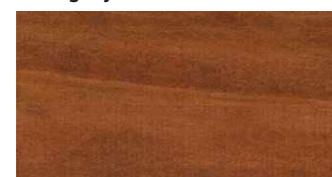
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Mahogany™*WD



Dark Oak™ WD



Meranti™ WD



Matai™ WD



Dark Rimu™*WD



Walnut™*WD



Teak™*WD



Oregon™*WD



Japanese Maple™ WD



Western Red Cedar™ WD



Red Beech™*WD



Cherrywood™*WD



Natural on Pine™ WD



Natural™ on Cedar WD



Rock Salt on Pine™



Rock Salt™ on Cedar



Apollo Blue™



Desert Yellow™



Emerald Green™



Red Pepper™



Deep Purple™



Satin Orange™



Jarrah™ on Pine*WD



Jarrah™ on Jarrah*WD

Film forming stains

Create a relaxed washed effect on new and weathered interior timber with **Resene Colorwood Whitewash**, **Greywash** or **Colourwash**.



Whitewash™



Light Greywash™



Resene Breathe Easy™



Mid Greywash™



Resene Becalm™



Resene Shore Thing™



Resene Bask™



Resene Rising Tide™



Resene Shade™



Jarrah™



Resene Colour Enhance Refurbish old timber, including furniture and woodwork such as doors and kitchen joinery, with **Resene Colour Enhance**. It is designed to be combined with **Resene Aquaclear** or **Resene Qristal ClearFloor 1K** and adds colour back to the surface while still allowing the natural wood grain to show through. Available in five colours.



Red Brown™



Walnut™



Black™



White™

Colours as close as printing process allows. The final colour and finish will be influenced by the application method and product and will appear different on different timbers - always test your colour on a timber off-cut before starting the main project. Samples are shown on pine unless another timber type is stated. **WD** = All colours marked with 'WD' are also available for exterior use in Resene Waterborne Woodsman. * = Requires special tinters, available on request.