

TIMBERLUXE_{TM}

Replicate, Restore, and Repair with TimberLuxe_{TM}

TimberLuxe_{TM} is a waterproof finish that can be used to replicate, restore, or repair virtually all stock finishes for collectable sporting arms from the Civil War to World War II.

Shake container to ensure that TimberLuxe_{TM} is thoroughly mixed for optimal results.

Replicate: Finishing New Stocks with TimberLuxe_{TM}

In steps 1 and 2 the goal is to work TimberLuxe_{TM} into the surface and saturate the wood. Saturation can be achieved by step 1a or 1b.

1a. Stocks with small pores can be filled by applying TimberLuxe_{TM} into the surface leveling the pores with the surface of the stock.

1b. Stocks with larger pores are filled by applying TimberLuxe_{TM} with fingertips, then sanding in with 320 or 400 wet/dry 3M_{TM} sandpaper.

- Sand with the grain or follow the lines of the stock on figured wood.
- Rub in residue to fill the pores, leveling it with surface of the stock.
- Remove excess residue of wood dust and TimberLuxe_{TM} from surface of the stock with paper towel.

Wait 24 hours for TimberLuxe_{TM} to dry.

2. Repeat step 1 until pores are filled.

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This saturation is where the beautiful 3-D effect is achieved on figured wood. A finish saturated into the wood and built up on the surface is always more beautiful than one that just builds up on the surface.

In step 3, a transition is made to “rubbing **onto**” the wood. The goal is to evenly apply a thin coat of TimberLuxe_{TM} to the surface. The objective is for the coat to stay on the surface.

3. Apply TimberLuxe_{TM} with fingertips and rub evenly onto the surface of the wood -- rub with the grain or follow the lines of the stock on figured wood.
- This coat will start to build up and a warm luster will begin appearing.

Wait 24 to 36 hours for TimberLuxe_{TM} to dry.

Timberluxe Classic Walnut Stain can be used to adjust the color during any step of this process.

- Apply the stain to the dried TimberLuxe_{TM} finish.
- If stain is applied to the TimberLuxe_{TM}, complete the process with a final coat to seal and add depth to the finish.

4. Repeat step 3 until desired results are achieved. Usually a total of 6 coats, including the sanded-in coats of TimberLuxe™, will give the desired results.

Replicate oil-type finish with TimberLuxe™

Follow steps 1 through 3. If the 3rd coat appears too bright, the luster can be reduced by rubbing TimberLuxe™ into wood.

Restore dull finish with TimberLuxe™

Usually 1-2 coats of TimberLuxe™ rubbed onto a dull oxidized finish has the original finish looking like new.

Repair worn or damaged finish with TimberLuxe™

1. Clean worn area with TimberLuxe™ on your fingertips and paper towel.
 - 3M Scotch Brite™ pad lubricated with TimberLuxe™ can be used if necessary to remove grime.
2. Apply TimberLuxe™ with fingertips by rubbing onto the wood with the grain or following the stock lines.

Wait 24 hours for TimberLuxe™ to dry.

3. Repeat step 2 until the desired results are achieved. Usually 2-3 coats of TimberLuxe™ will repair the original finish by blending the old with the new.

Repair damaged stock (dings or scratches) with TimberLuxe™

1. Use the procedure for finishing new stocks in the damaged area, blending TimberLuxe™ with the original finish.

Clean hands with naphtha or mineral spirits followed with soap and water.