**Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil**

**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

- **Blanchon Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** is the natural complement to Blanchon Original Wood™ Environment.
- A real technical innovation, odourless **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** is extremely easy to use. Its technical performance and formulation comply with the most stringent ecological criteria, its low VOC rate[^1] complies with the European Ecolabel environmental requirements and is both user- and environmentally-friendly.
- Simple and practical, **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** may be applied directly to clean wood treated with Original Wood™ Environment: no hand or machine buffing is required to care for or touch up parquet and wood floors.
- The area can be re-used very quickly thanks to its odourless, easy-to-use, fast-drying formula.
- **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** gives long-lasting dust-proofing and is available in two natural finishes: colourless and ultra-matt.

[^1]: As per Directive 2004/42/CE.

**SURFACE PREPARATION**

- **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** is specially designed to maintain parquet and wood floors treated with Original Wood™ Environment.
- **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** should be applied on a clean, dry floor: sweep or vacuum the floor to remove all traces of dust before applying.
- Small stains and marks can be easily removed with Blanchon Natural Soap for Oiled Wood Floors or Lagoon™ [using a well wrung-out cloth or mop, never a soaking wet one]. Important: wait 7 to 10 days before applying for the first time to give the Original Wood™ Environment time to harden fully.
- Stubborn dirt, stains or scratches can be removed by fine sanding. Original Wood™ Environment should then be re-applied to this area.
- Important: maintaining wood treated with stained Original Wood™ Environment (or previously stained) requires particular care to avoid changes in the shade.
- NB: refer to the Routine cleaning section on page 2.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

- **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** should be applied as soon as the wood floor impregnated with Original Wood™ Environment loses its natural finish (normal wear and tear, minor scratches, etc.).
- Ready to use: do not dilute. Shake well before and during use. Do not apply if the temperature is below 12°C. Use only in well ventilated areas. Keep any aquariums and plants away from the environment where the product is being applied.
- Perfect adhesion on clean, dust-free, dry wood oiled with Original Wood™ Environment [cleaned with Natural Soap For Oiled Wood Floors or Lagoon™ using a well wrung-out mop or cloth [refer to Surface Preparation].
- Apply a thin coat of **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** with a microfibre-type mop (or, failing this, with a fine, clean cotton cloth) onto a clean, dry surface (a spray may be used and the floor immediately wiped with the micro-fibre). Small, localised areas can be touched up using a cotton cloth to apply and polish.
- The product spreads immediately and does not have to be worked for a long time. The use of a machine [buffing machine with 3 rotating brushes or heavy duty buffing machine with a beige pad] is neither necessary nor recommended.
- Dries within around 30 minutes. The floor can then be used as normal.
- Frequency: whenever the wood floor loses its beautiful finish or generally once or twice a month under normal conditions of use.
- On high-traffic wood floors, regular maintenance can be reinforced by applying a general coat of Original Wood™ Environment [see Maintenance next page].
- The more often **Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil** is used, the easier maintenance becomes.

**A WELL-MAINTAINED OILED WOOD FLOOR LOOKS BETTER AND BETTER AS TIME PASSES.**

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**New!**
**No need to buff!**

**Combines high performance with environmental friendliness**

- **Odourless**
- **European Ecolabel**
- **Dries within 30 minutes**
- **Preserves and maintains the natural finish of Original Wood™ Environment**
- **Quick and easy maintenance**
- **Slip-resistant**

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Cleaning of tools
- Clean tools immediately after use with water. Do not reuse containers.
- Protecting the environment:
  - Wring out cloths and wipe tools thoroughly after application.
  - Rinse with a little water in a container and allow the water to evaporate.
  - The dry residue can normally be discarded in the waste bin.
  - Seal the container properly after use.
  - Dispose of empty containers thoughtfully.
  - Do not discharge into drains.

Drying times
- Dust free: around 5 minutes.
- Light traffic: 30 minutes under normal conditions. Take reasonable precautions during the first hour following application.
- Protect the floor using felt pads underneath table and chair legs. If necessary, a good quality mat placed at the entrance will retain dust and grit. Wipe down any water or other liquid spillages immediately and take particular care with flower pots. Do not move heavy furniture around. Remove dust with a vacuum or broom: do not use impregnated fabrics.

Coverage
- Around 25 m² per litre per coat.

Storage
- Protect from frost: take care if storing in vehicles.
- Seal the container properly after use.

Maintenance
- Routine cleaning: vacuum, then mop using Natural Soap or Lagoon™ with a well wrung-out mop or cloth.
- Regular maintenance: apply Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil with a microfibre-type mop [or with a clean, fine cotton cloth] on a clean, dry surface.
- Refinishing small areas: sand the damaged areas vigorously using fine-grade sandpaper before applying 1 or 2 thin coats of Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil with a clean, fine cotton cloth. For a perfect finish, treat the whole surface as described in Regular Maintenance above.
- Refinishing large areas: sand the whole surface, remove dust and then apply a thin coat of natural or coloured Original Wood™ Environment using a roller.

**TECHNICAL DATA**

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<td>DENSITY</td>
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<td>REGULATORY INFORMATION</td>
<td>Refer to the relevant Material Safety Data Sheets [also available on <a href="http://www.blanchon.com">www.blanchon.com</a> or <a href="http://www.quickfds.com">www.quickfds.com</a>]</td>
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<td>FLUIDITY</td>
<td>35 seconds [50 Cup n°2.5, at 20°C]</td>
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<td>RESISTANCE TO HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS</td>
<td>Vegetable oil, mustard, ketchup, vinegar, water, coffee, tea, normal household detergents, 40° alcohol, acetone, ink, diluted bleach; no adverse affects found (after 20 days' drying, as per NF T 30053)</td>
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Appendix 1: **REGULAR CLEANING OF OILED WOOD FLOORS**
- Clean with a damp mop using Blanchon Natural Soap For Oiled Wood Floors (250 ml diluted in 10 litres of water).
- Work on one area at a time, rinsing the cloth or mop regularly. It should always be well wrung out to avoid getting the wood floor too wet.
- Frequency: from once a week on light-traffic floors to daily cleaning on heavy-traffic floors.
- Wipe up any water spillages immediately on floors treated with Original Wood™ Environment.

Appendix 2: **REFINISHING**
- For small areas with specific damage (cigarette burns, impact damage, etc.) rub or scrape to remove the damage and then apply Original Wood™ Environment Maintenance Oil. This is one of the great advantages of a wood floor treated with Original Wood™ Environment.
- Refinishing large areas: on oiled wood floors that have not been maintained as frequently as necessary, a general sanding can be done using a buffing machine fitted with a sanding disc (about 120 grit) before applying a coat of undiluted Original Wood™ Environment (using a short-haired roller).

Better for the environment...
- Good performance for interior use.
- Hazardous substances restricted.
- Low solvent content.

...better for you.

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