

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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## RONSEAL QUICK & EASY BRUSHING WAX

Ronseal Quick & Easy Brushing Wax is a range of unique, natural wax finishes, providing traditional colour and finish in one step. These easily applied transparent finishes enhance the full character and natural beauty of interior woodwork.

### INTRODUCTION

Ronseal Brushing Wax is available in a range of attractive wood colours, to enrich and highlight the natural beauty of wood without raising the grain. Ronseal Brushing Wax is suitable for all hard and softwoods in indoor situations. Refer to 'IMPORTANT NOTES' and other relevant sections for specific guidance.

The unique formulation of Ronseal Brushing Wax has been optimised for ease of application. Ronseal Brushing Wax is simply brushed on to the surface, allowed to dry and buff off using a soft cloth. This technique makes the product easier to use than conventional cloth applied waxes, and also ensures excellent penetration and adhesion whilst avoiding the problem of lap marks or streaking. Additional coats may be applied to increase the depth of colour or sheen. A two coat application is recommended.

Ronseal Brushing Wax has a low inoffensive odour and brushes can be cleaned using water and detergent.

### COMPOSITION

A blend of natural waxes, colouring agents, film formers and perfume as an oil in water emulsion.

### PROPERTIES

Appearance : An opaque, coloured smooth cream.

Odour: Floral.

Solubility : Partly miscible with water.

VOC Content: Medium (8-24.99%).

### FIELDS OF APPLICATION

Ronseal Brushing Wax is suitable for use on most interior wood including furniture, shelving, paneling, doors, skirtings and spindles.

Ronseal Brushing Wax is not recommended for the treatment of tables, floors or seating areas or for use in areas of high humidity such as kitchens or bathrooms.

### PREPARATION

All existing coatings should be removed prior to application. Sand the wood thoroughly, to avoid the inhalation of dust wear a suitable face mask when sanding.

Wipe over with white spirit and allow to dry thoroughly.

### APPLICATION

Stir the product well prior to use. Brush the product along the grain. Do not pay too much attention to obtaining a streak-free finish at this stage as any brush marks will disappear when the wax has been buffed.

Leave for 10-20 minutes then buff with a soft cloth along the grain of the wood.

Apply a second coat. Leave for 10-20 minutes and repeat buffing. Two coats should be sufficient, however additional coats can be applied as required.

If the wax is left longer than 20 minutes, buffing will require slightly more effort but will result in a glossier finish.

### COVERAGE

Between 18-24 m<sup>2</sup> per litre per coat. Coverage will vary with the absorbency and type of wood. Apply in accordance with the coverage guidelines or performance may be reduced.

### DRYING TIME

Ronseal Brushing Wax can be buffed 10-20 minutes after application. Additional coats can be applied after the first previous coat has been buffed.

### CLEANING OF TOOLS

All equipment should be cleaned immediately after use with water and detergent. Remove as much product as possible from brushes before cleaning.

### MAINTENANCE

The best way of maintaining the finish is to periodically apply additional coats of Ronseal Brushing Wax. Dust with dry cloths as required.

The use of other maintenance products such as aerosol polishes may result in some removal of Ronseal Brushing Wax thereby giving an uneven colouration to the finish.

Any marks or scratches can be easily covered up by further application of the product to the damaged areas.

If water is spilt onto the surface, gently dab with an absorbent dry cloth or tissue; do not rub the wet surface. Allow to dry, and reapply.

Do not use damp cloths to clean areas treated with Ronseal Brushing Wax.

### IMPORTANT NOTES

Refer to instructions on the pack prior to use.

Protect from frost.

This product is not recommended for use on tables, floors or seating areas or in areas where it will come into contact with excessive amounts of water.

Always test for colour suitability on an inconspicuous area prior to use.

Certain tropical hardwoods have surface characteristics which may prevent full absorbency.

Special precautions should be taken during surface preparation of pre-1960's paint surfaces over wood as they may contain harmful lead. For further advice contact Ronseal Technical Services.

#### STORAGE

Store upright in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from heat and sources of ignition.

Ensure container is fully resealed after use.

Always store in ambient conditions away from temperature extremes. Protect from frost. Store above 5°C.

To avoid the risk of spillage, always store and transport in a secure and upright position.

The shelf life of the product in airtight containers will be at least 3 years.

#### HEALTH AND SAFETY

Observe and follow all warnings and instructions for use shown on the pack.

Flammable.

Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long term adverse effects on the aquatic environment.

Keep away from sources of ignition - no smoking.

Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.

Avoid contact with the skin and eyes.

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Wear suitable gloves.

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap and water or a proprietary skin cleanser. Do not use solvents or thinners/white spirit.

Keep out of reach of children.

If swallowed seek medical advice immediately and show container label.

Avoid release to the environment.

Specific health and safety data sheets are available on request.

#### FLAMMABILITY

Flammable.  
Flashpoint 44°C

#### SUPPLY

Obtainable from DIY retailers, paint suppliers and builders merchants.

#### SIZES

Obtainable in a 750ml resealable container.

#### DISPOSAL

Some local authorities have special facilities for disposal of waste products.

Do not empty undiluted product into drains or watercourses.

#### LIABILITY

Whilst these specifications are based on expert technical knowledge and practical experience, we cannot assume responsibility for any work as the ultimate results depend on factors beyond our direct control. Standard codes of painting practice should be followed.

#### INFORMATION AND SERVICE

Our Technical Services Department will be pleased to offer specific guidance or provide any further information you may require.

#### DATA SHEETS

Data sheets on other Ronseal products are available on request from our Technical Services Department.

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