



# WoodCream

Protecting the natural beauty of wood

Outdoors, it's vital to treat wooden surfaces with the right product. After all, you want the wood to look good for a long time. Rubio® WoodCream is based on hydrophobic technology especially developed for maximum wood protection. Its unique and active self-cleaning formula intensely nourishes the wood, preserves the breathable structure, and makes it water-repellent. The beauty of it all: the wax cream comes in a wide range of colours and brushes smoothly. A joy to work with and a feast for the eyes!



## WAX-BASED CREAM

WoodCream's creamy formula ensures effortless application and prolonged contact with the wood, allowing optimal absorption without obscuring its natural texture. It can be applied in a single layer for a subtle effect or two layers for greater opacity. Additionally, its distinctive composition guarantees minimal usage.



## BREATHABLE

Wood must be able to breathe to maintain its beauty. Our hydrophobic cream ensures that the wood pores remain open and moisture regulation is retained. As a result, water is repelled, and air and trapped water vapor can still pass through. The natural look & feel of the wood is also preserved.



## NOURISHING

WoodCream not only colours and protects the wood, but also nourishes it. The cream penetrates deep into the wood and ensures that the surface remains vapor permeable. The cream doesn't contain fillers and doesn't form a sealing layer on the wood as other paint products and lacquers do. WoodCream will not flake off and therefore guarantees a much longer lifespan of the wood.



## SELF-CLEANING

The water-beading effect provides protection against water, and at the same time creates a self-cleaning effect. Water droplets slide off the wood, removing dirt particles from the surface. The water-repellent and self-cleaning effect reduces the risk of micro-organism growth (algae, molds, fungi) and prevents frost damage.

## Compare the differences

	DuroGrit	WoodCream
Base:	Emulsified oil	Wax-based cream
Technology:	FibreGrit technology	Nourishing cream technology
Opacity:	Semi-transparent	Opaque colour look
Warming effect:	Gives wood a slightly warmer look	No wood warming effect
Applies to:	Vertical and horizontal wood	Vertical wood only
Layers:	Monocoat: colours and protects in one layer	Colours and protects in one or more layers
Application:	Easy to apply with a brush	Easy to apply with a brush
Surface prep:	Apply to raw wood	Apply to raw wood or over existing finish with minor preparation



**MUYLLE-FACON**  
A PASSION FOR WOODTREATMENT SINCE 1962

Muylle Facon was founded in 1906 as a manufacturer of high-quality putty and is now an important producer of waterproof products, coatings and sealers, impermeable and impervious to water, and other specialties for buildings. It's first range of wood treatment products was launched in 1962: **Teintécire:** Waterbased colourstain with warm colours, which provides a nice gloss and antique look. **Ciraneuf:** Liquid or solid beeswax, turpentine based. **Boizaneuf:** Paint remover.

The close collaboration between the laboratory, the sales-team and the applicators has resulted in the development of the unique Rubio® Monocoat range.

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## EXTERIOR



**RUBIO® MONOCOAT EXTERIOR**  
GREEN TECHNOLOGY, APPROVED BY NATURE!

# DuroGrit

Tomorrow's UV protection for your outdoors

DuroGrit is a sustainable, wood-based and water-soluble oil that colours and protects all exterior wood in 1 single layer. The FibreGrit Technology, where added wood fibers give the oil its unique structure, provides the perfect combination of a penetrating and breathable monocoat system.

Thanks to this technology, the product not only has incredible and long-lasting UV protection compared to other exterior wood finishing products, but it's also extremely durable and wear resistant.



## PATENTED FIBREGRIT TECHNOLOGY

Experience the future of wood finishing with DuroGrit's patented FibreGrit Technology. This cutting-edge innovation incorporates cellulose wood fibers, creating the most durable protection for your wood. It's ecological and 0% VOC, ensuring it's both safe for the environment and the user.



## PROVEN 1-LAYER TECHNOLOGY

DuroGrit's innovative formula offers deep wood penetration and optimal moisture regulation, providing superior protection. Not only does eliminating the need for pretreatments and multiple layers save you time and money, but it also reduces packaging and transport waste.



## TOMORROW'S UV RESISTANCE

Next generation technology offers next-generation benefits. FiberGrit technology allows for an increased amount of UV blockers, offering advanced protection and shielding exterior wood against greying. Ensure your wood projects retain the natural beauty with minimal maintenance.



## TOUGH MECHANICAL PROTECTION

DuroGrit ensures your wood is water and dirt repellent. Its unique formulation with open pores prevents cracking and peeling, offering a longer-lasting finish with less maintenance and less worry.



## FOR ALL EXTERIOR WOOD

DuroGrit is the all-in-one exterior wood coating solution for all wood types and all project types. Suitable for a variety of projects, such as decking, furniture, fencing and siding and a variety of wood species, such as pine, teak, and cedar. Ideal for both home and commercial spaces, it offers a palette of natural and earthy tones, enhancing the beauty of your wood projects with ease and efficiency.





Colour Chart - 14 colours

	PINE	DOUGLAS FIR	TEAK	THERMO PINE	IPE	CUMARU
NO TREATMENT						
THE GREAT PLAINS COLLECTION						
GRASSLAND BEIGE						
ROCKY UMBER						
FOXY BROWN						
STEPPE LOOK						
BISON BROWN						
CHARRED BLACK						
SADDLE BLACK						
THE SALT LAKES COLLECTION						
SUTTON GREY						
ATACAMA GREY						
TUZ WHITE						
UTAH PINK						
SALINAS BLUE						
SALT LAKE GREEN						
RUBIO MONOCOAT GREEN						

DISCLAIMER: For technical reasons these colour/wood type combinations are not recommended.

Our recommendation for a natural look.

Best practices

➤ Grassland Beige is the natural look for pine, douglas & teak.  
Rocky Umber is the natural look for thermo pine & cumaru. Foxy Brown is the natural look for ipé.

- Colours shown are for reference and are not binding.
- The pigment present in the various DuroGrit colours helps protect the wood from greying.
- \* PLEASE NOTE: Although DuroGrit offers state-of-the-art UV protection, the result still depends on the chosen colour and wood type. As a rule of thumb, the darker the colour, the better the durability. Some wood types, especially thermally modified wood, are extremely sensitive to colour change due to exposure to UV light. For these wood types we recommend using a dark colour.
- We advise to use the white and pastel colours on softwood only.
- To determine the desired colour, always do a small test first with one of our samples on identically sanded and prepared wood.



Colours with Quality

For the colour range of the DuroGrit we focused on a natural look for your wood. We developed long-lasting natural colours that look perfect on various wood species. Of course, a few eye-catching colours could not be missing from the range either.

What's unique about the DuroGrit colours is the combination of the natural look with the extreme UV resistance. Typically, wood oils that offer such UV protection give the wood an opaque and plastic-like look, which often peels off with time on a lot of wood types. Usually, this type of strong UV resistance also requires two layers, while the DuroGrit is sufficient in just one layer.

The intense colours really bring the treated wood

to life. This is possible thanks to three major factors. First of all, we use pigments for the natural colours chosen specifically to get the best look possible. Secondly, the structure of oil in water gives a real depth to the colours. Last but not least, the unique FibreGrit Technology allows the colours to be both transparent and to be highly performing in terms of UV resistance.

Since our DuroGrit is such an ecological product, the names of the colours were all inspired by nature. Our natural colours reminded us of the prairies and the Great Plains and our vibrant colours call to mind salt lakes all over the world such as the Salinas Grandes, Great Salt Lake and Tuz Gölü.

Tomorrow's UV resistance

We don't just say our UV resistance is superior to the market, we also prove it. The wood samples below are results of extensive QUV tests in our laboratory according to the norm EN 927-6. A QUV test is an accelerated weathering tester and rapidly simulates the damage caused by sunlight, rain and dew. This way, in just a matter of weeks, we can reproduce what the damage would be in several years of outdoor exposure.

DUROGRIT

ALTERNATIVE

The colour **Foxy Brown** on pine tested for UV protection after 5 years against an alternative product using a two-layer system.

The colour **Foxy Brown** on teak tested for UV protection after 5 years against an alternative product using a two-layer system.

DUROGRIT

ALTERNATIVE

The colour **Grassland Beige** on pine tested for UV protection after 5 years against an alternative product using a two-layer system.

The colour **Grassland Beige** on teak tested for UV protection after 5 years against an alternative product using a two-layer system.

We treated the left half of the wooden board with a DuroGrit colour in one layer and the right half with an alternative product using a two-layer system. As you can see, we selected similar colours to our own to show the result as faithfully as possible. We then put the boards into the QUV machine, simulating the results after 5 years of exterior exposure.

The two squares in the middle show where the QUV machine was active. On the left and right sides of the squares, you can still see the original colour of the wood protection.

The results clearly show that the DuroGrit colours are better preserved than those of the alternative product.

Tough mechanical resistance

To ensure wear resistance, extensive testing was conducted in our state-of-the-art laboratory. We performed a series of rigorous scrub tests on DuroGrit, evaluating its performance relative to competing products in the market.

The left half of each board was finished with DuroGrit and the right half finished with a competing product. A section of these boards was subjected to a mechanical brush, executing a repetitive back-and-forth motion for a total of 600 cycles. This procedure effectively simulates wear conditions and is instrumental in assessing the mechanical endurance of DuroGrit in comparison to alternatives.

The results of this test are quite revealing. It is evi-

dent that DuroGrit demonstrates superior mechanical resistance, maintaining its integrity and protective qualities even under strenuous conditions. This outcome not only underscores the effectiveness of DuroGrit but also positions it as a leading solution in terms of durability and reliability.

DUROGRIT

ALTERNATIVE

Sample before scrub test. It was treated with DuroGrit Charred Black on the left and an alternative product with a similar colour on the right.

DUROGRIT

ALTERNATIVE

Sample after scrub test. Wear from the brush is very visible with the alternative product, while it's nearly non-existent with DuroGrit.

Patented FibreGrit Technology

Rubio Monocoat has always been an innovative player on the market. With our new patented FibreGrit Technology, we are once again proving our relevance in the wood protection sector. DuroGrit consists partly of long cellulose fibers from wood itself. These fibers are water-repellent, very strong and hard. This means that they make your coating harder, strengthening the wear resistance and making the product suitable for terraces, garden furniture, etc.

In addition, these fibers form a grid to hold the UV stabilizers. This allows us to add more UV stabilizers, resulting in much better UV resistance.

DuroGrit can be applied in one single layer.

The product consists partly of long cellulose wood fibers.

These fibers form a grid which holds a large amount of UV stabilizers.

The larger amount of UV blockers and the protection this provides are revolutionary.

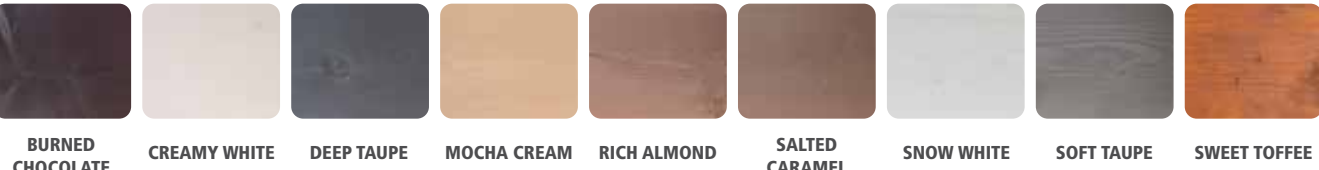
As a nice bonus, the texture of the product ensures that it won't drip on application, thanks to the extra fibers in the product.

Thanks to this unique technology we can offer a product with a natural look on wood that is extremely durable. It provides very good protection from UV light, while still being a very ecological product. Rubio Monocoat's DuroGrit really is tomorrow's durable UV protection for your outdoors.



Colour Chart - 27 colours

THE TRADITIONAL COLLECTION



THE GREY COLLECTION



THE SCANDINAVIAN COLLECTION



Colours shown on pine.  
The colours shown are for reference only and are not binding.

Colour Effects and Maintenance Solutions

Unique Characteristics

- 0% VOC
- Reduces the solid content without changing the viscosity
- Extends the drying time
  - \* Easier to work with in hot conditions
  - \* Reduces risk of overlaps
- Easier spreadability on rough and porous species
- Reduces layer build-up during maintenance or when 2-layers are applied
- Create an instant aged look by diluting a colour from the Grey Collection with WoodCream Softener

WoodCream Softener

WoodCream Softener is a product that allows you to decrease the colour intensity of the WoodCream colours and create a more transparent or aged effect. WoodCream Softener is also used as a mix-in when performing a maintenance application of WoodCream.

Aged Effect

**BLUE GREY**

**BLUE GREY**  
+ WoodCream Softener

Transparent Effect

**CHARMING GREY**

**CHARMING GREY**  
+ WoodCream Softener