

Construction Resources



AQUAMARIJN TECHNICAL SHEET A13

CRELIM LIQUID HARD CONDITIONING WAX (water based)

- Uses** Hard wax finishing treatment for use on all internal timber or cork surfaces previously treated with oil or wax, such as floors, tables and doors etc.
- Properties** Water diluteable. 100% solvent free. Very quick drying. Contains hard waxes emulsified in water for a tough water and dirt resistant floor wax.
- Containers** 0.2, 1 and 5 litre tins.
- Coverage** 1 litre will cover approximately 20 - 25 m².
- Colours** Clear.
- VOC Level** 0.01%
- Preparation** Treat bare timber with *Aquamarijn Balim*, *Aquamarijn Revol* or *Aquamarijn Corcol* as necessary. Ensure surface is dry, clean and grease / dust free.
- Application** Crelim should be spread and rubbed in evenly across the surface using either a cotton or, for larger areas, a rotary machine with a beige/green pad. Leave for approximately 40 minutes to allow the water to evaporate then buff surface with a dry cloth or rotary machine with a suitable fine grade pad - green or white.
Important – do not allow the Crelim to pool otherwise it will congeal – always work it in or remove any excess.
- Use with** *Aquamarijn Revol Oil*
Aquamarijn Corcol Oil
Aquamarijn Balim Oil & Wax Balsam
Holzweg Floor Milk
Holzweg Floor Soap
- Drying times** Useable with care after 4 hours.
- Maintenance** To help maintain the wax finish, clean floor using *Holzweg Floor Milk*. To bare areas re-apply *Aquamarijn Balim*, to thinning areas re-apply *Aquamarijn Crelim* according to instructions.
- General Tips** **Maintain floors with a waxing cleaner** such as *Holzweg Floor Milk* that contains carnauba wax and cleans and waxes in one.
Use walk-off mats at all exterior doors to prevent dirt, grit and sand from getting into the building. Throw rugs or small sections of bordered natural carpet/sisal inside entrances are also helpful. Be sure to use rugs that allow the floor to “breathe” (see CR Interiors carpet technical sheet). Avoid rugs with rubber backing or other non-ventilating material. Dirt and grit are a floor’s worst enemy.

Certain chemicals in wood oxidize in strong light causing the wood to change colour. To avoid an uneven appearance, move area rugs regularly and drape or shade windows that allow extended periods of direct sunlight on the floor.

Put soft, protective glides on the legs of all your furniture. This will allow the furniture to be moved easily without scuffing or scratching the floor. Be sure to clean the glides regularly as dirt may become embedded in them. It is also important to make sure that the glides are in good repair.

Storage Store sealed in a cool dry, but frost-free place.

Ingredients Carnauba wax and bees wax emulsified in water, synthetic preservative (approved for use in food packaging by the BGA and FDA*).

Safety None. Fully biodegradable.

General precautionary measures

Avoid contact with the eyes. Do not throw any waste down the drains, always try to dispose of waste at a registered disposal dump. Paints etc. should always be kept out of the reach of children and animals.

Technical details All Aquamarijn products are divided into categories depending on the degree of natural materials used in the manufacturing process. Class 1 is 99% natural, class 2 is 95%, class 3 is 90% and class 4 is 70%, the classification number appears on the front of each label.

Aquamarijn Crelim is Class 1.

Binding agent	Carnauba wax and bees wax, emulsified
Thinner	Water
Transport code	ADR none
Danger code	N/A
Solids by volume	0.9 – 1.1 kg/ litre
Weight (approx.)	12 - 13 %
Viscosity	Thin fluid at 18 °C
Gloss degree	25 - 35 (satin gloss)
Elasticity	> 7mm (Erichson)

This technical information sheet is intended to provide guidelines for retailers and users. However, the user is responsible for testing the product on the intended surface to make sure that it is suitable for his or her requirements. This sheet was issued on 18 November 2005 and may be superseded by later editions.

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