

A special primer that
“prepares” exotic
wood before oiling

Special pre-oiling
water-repellent
primer

Recommended on
exotic & resinous
woods, “ship’s deck”
wood floors, areas
with high levels
of humidity

Avoid delays
in the drying time

1 coat application

Quick drying time

Does not change
the original colour
of the wood

Specially for interior
use

Prim’Oil™



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

- Blanchon **Prim’Oil™** is a multi-purpose primer based on synthetic resins. The product has been specially designed to be applied on “difficult” wood.
- Most exotic woods (particularly iroko, merbau, ipe and teak) and certain European resinous woods (such as olive) have a pronounced drying retardant character, which can delay the drying time of an oil, causing surface defects, uneven appearance, etc. An application of **Prim’Oil™** will prevent this delay from affecting to the oil.
- **Prim’Oil™** does not block the pores of the wood and increases the dust protection of the oil (or Hardwax Oil) applied on top.
- **Prim’Oil™** is also recommended on wood floors with “ship’s deck” joints. It can be coated with any Blanchon oils⁽¹⁾.
- Quick-drying time.
- Colourless finish: **Prim’Oil™** is invisible after application of the oil.
- **Prim’Oil™** should only be used internally on parquets, wood floors, cross-grained wood flooring and interior woodwork before oiling (it is not suitable for exterior applications).

SURFACE PREPARATION

- Sand old or new flooring to bare wood with 24 or 36 grit paper, then with grade 50 or 60 and finish with a worn grade 80, 100 or 120 (see *Appendix on page 2 for details on how to sand wood flooring).
- If any gap filling is necessary (holes, cracks), use Blanchon Resin Filler, or Blanchon Odourless Multi-Purpose Wood Filler before the final sanding (refer to the relevant Technical Data Sheets).
- Carefully remove all traces of dust.
- The wood floor must be perfectly clean and dry with, in general, a moisture content of less than 10%.
- Do not use detergents or whiteners.
- Any oils that have come from exotic woods should be removed with acetone.

Insecticide treatment

- Only use products recommended by Blanchon (Trait’Plus®).

Wood staining

- Floors sanded back to bare wood can be stained with Blanchon Waterborne Dye (wood shades, colours or pastel shades) or Blanchon Wood-Ageing Agent. After completely dry, apply a coat of Blanchon **Prim’Oil™**.
- When using light shades, the warmth and tonality of the wood should be taken into account and the final colour obtained after having applied the coat of **Prim’Oil™** should be assessed, if necessary by carrying out a small test on a small inconspicuous area.

NB: on stained wood (or on wood that has been previously stained), different levels of wear across the floor is likely to affect the overall colour. Therefore, careful and regular maintenance should be carried out in order to ensure the decorative effects and protection last.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

- **Prim’Oil™** is ready to use and should be applied neat.
- Shake thoroughly before use.
- Do not apply to wood floor with a temperature below 12°C. Only use in well ventilated areas. Do not leave plants and aquariums in areas where the product has been applied.
- Apply with a brush, graining brush or short hair roller in one generous, even coat.
- **Prim’Oil™** dries in 45 minutes, under normal conditions. If necessary, lightly rub down with a very fine sandpaper. Then carefully remove all traces of dust.
- Finally apply the desired oil.

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Cleaning of tools

- Clean tools immediately after use with an appropriate thinner. Do not dispose of residues in drains.

⁽¹⁾ Prim'Oil™ may be used with oils other than Blanchon oils: carry out a test beforehand in a hidden area and perform an adhesion test. Alternatively, consult our Export Department.

DRYING TIMES

- Dust free: around 15 minutes.
- Before sanding/recoating: 45 to 60 minutes under normal conditions.

COVERAGE

- 10 m² per litre per coat.

TECHNICAL DATA

USE	Preparation primer before oiling parquet and wood floors
RESIN TYPES	Selected synthetic resins
AFNOR CLASSIFICATION	Family I, class 5b/7
DENSITY	0.89 (at 20°C, as per NF T 30020)
FLUIDITY	160 centipoises (BROOKFIELD T2)
REGULATORY INFORMATION	Refer to the relevant Material Safety Data Sheet (also available on www.blanchon.com or www.quickfds.com)
BEFORE SANDING/RECOATING	45 to 60 minutes, depending on the temperature and humidity

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