PRODUCT AND COLOR GUIDE
**Premium Oil Based Wood Stain**

- Delivers deep, rich color in 1 coat
- Ultra fast 1 hour dry time
- 75% more coverage than competition; 275 sq. ft./quart*
- Available in a variety of colors, including distressed and reclaimed wood finishes

* Dried film coverage at 0.5 mils when measured against competition

**Classic Oil Based Wood Conditioner**

- Works under any oil based stain
- Promotes even stain penetration
- Seals soft wood for even color
Classic Oil Based Wood Stain

- Layer coats to achieve color
- 2 hour recoat time
- 150 sq. ft./quart
- Timeless color assortment
Classic Water Based Wood Stain

- Tint to over 50+ colors
- Have product tinted at the paint counter to the color of your choice
- For best results, use Varathane Classic Water Based Wood Conditioner first
Classic Water Based Wood Conditioner

- Use as the first step in any water based stain project on all types of wood to prepare for staining
- Promotes even stain penetration
- Helps enhance a rich, even color
Gel Stain

- Ideal for vertical surfaces
- Thicker consistency to prevent drips
- No lap marks or grain raise
Wood Accelerators

- Create a unique aged or weathered look in minutes
- Apply on all types of bare wood
- Easy soap and water clean-up
- Water-based, low odor
Stain + Polyurethane

- Premium stain color & durable polyurethane
- Superior scratch resistance
- Available in Gloss & Satin

Interior Oil Based Polyurethane

- Outstanding durability and scratch resistance
- Adds a warm, golden glow
- Self leveling, no brush strokes
- Available in Gloss, Semi-Gloss & Satin
Triple Thick Polyurethane

- 3X thicker than traditional polyurethane
- Complete projects 3X faster
- Ultimate durability in one coat
- Fast dry time; dries in 2 hours
- Easy soap and water clean-up

Interior Water Based Polyurethane

- Crystal clear finish
- Scratch and stain resistance
- Low odor
- Easy soap and water clean-up
- Available in Gloss, Semi-Gloss, Satin & Matte
Floor Polyurethane

- Patented Aluminum Oxide Nano Technology provides maximum resistance to scuffs, scratches and stains
- Perfect for high traffic areas
- Fast drying
- Available in Gloss, Semi-Gloss & Satin

Stain Markers

- Hide minor scratches and nicks in stained wood
- Touch up scratched table tops and furniture
- Quick one-step method to apply stain and finish
- Available in 7 colors
Exterior Oil Based Spar Urethane

- Ultimate UV and weather protection for outdoor wood projects
- Formulated to expand and contract with weather conditions, providing ultimate durability
- Warm, golden glow
- Available in Gloss, Semi-Gloss & Satin

Fill Sticks

- Fills nail holes and minor imperfections
- Soft compound for quick, easy use
- No mess, fast drying formula for quick repairs
Premium Oil Based
Wood Stain – Color Selector

NATURAL  GOLDEN PECAN  COLONIAL MAPLE

GOLDEN OAK  SUMMER OAK  PROVINCIAL

BRIARSMOKE  TRADITIONAL CHERRY  RED OAK

GOLDEN MAHOGANY  LIGHT WALNUT  EARLY AMERICAN

AMERICAN WALNUT  DARK WALNUT  COGNAC

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*Color selection varies by store*
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Gel Stain – Color Selector
### Classic Water Based Wood Stain – Color Selector

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Clear Tint Base

- NOBLE YELLOW
- BLUSH
- PARIS PINK
- CARRIBEAN
- POOLSIDE
- NAVY BLUE
- EMERALD FROST
- HARBOR MIST
- MOSS
- CALM SPRING
- TEAL MOSS
- FOREST GREEN
- ALPINE VALLEY
- RIVERBED
- CHARCOAL GRAY

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White Tint Base

BLACK
MIDNIGHT

MELON

OVERCAST
APRICOT
WHEAT

DUSTY PINK
BIRCH
FRENCH GRAY

AQUARIUM BLUE
LONDON SKY
STONE AGE
Stain + Polyurethane Color Selector

- Classic Oak
- Pecan
- American Chestnut
- Antique Walnut
- Mission Oak
- Honey
- Espresso
- Mahogany

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How to Stain and Protect

3 Easy Steps to a Beautiful Finish

1 PREP
   - Sand wood in the direction of the grain with 120-grit sandpaper
   - Repeat process using 150-grit and finish with 180 or 220-grit sandpaper
   - Remove all sanding dust with a vacuum cleaner or tack cloth

2 STAIN
   - Liberally apply stain using a clean lint-free rag or high quality bristle brush
   - Allow stain to sit 3-5 minutes; wipe off excess stain in the direction of the grain
   - Wait 1 hour before applying polyurethane

3 PROTECT
   - Apply Varathane Polyurethane clear finish for long-term protection
   - Brush in direction of grain using thin, uniform coats; do not over-brush
   - Allow 2 hours to dry then apply a second coat
   - 3 coats are recommended; do not apply more than 2 coats in one day
Beyond the Basics

Create a Variety of Looks

Mix & Match Colors
- For a pop of color, use a combination of Worn Navy, Vintage Aqua, Antique White or any other Varathane Stain on your wood project.

Ombré Technique
- Give your project a unique & original look with this technique. Sample stained in Vintage Aqua & Antique White.

Distressing
- Distressing is a simple way to give pieces a vintage or reclaimed look. Chair stained in Vintage Aqua & distressed with Kona.

Whitewashing
- Whitewashing is an easy way to achieve a timeless weathered look. Table stained in Worn Navy & whitewashed with Antique White.
☐ Clean Lint-Free Rags

☐ High Quality Bristle Brush
   (Natural for Oil Based, Synthetic for Water Based)

☐ Protective Gloves

☐ Sandpaper - 120, 150, 180
   or 220 grit

☐ Stir Stick