



PENOFIN FIRST STEP PREP FOR HARDWOOD

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

PENOFIN 1ST STEP PREP:

Designed for exterior hardwoods prepare new lumber for it's first Penofin application. 1st Step Prep is the ideal way to ensure deep penetration of Penofin's amazing natural oil finish formulated for hardwoods (but can be used on softwoods). 1st Step Prep cleans, brightens, and reduces the hard mill glaze found on most hardwoods. This allows Penofin to penetrate deeply into dense wood species for ultimate protection and beauty.

1ST STEP PREP APPLICATIONS

- ◆ Decks
- ◆ Fencing
- ◆ Siding
- ◆ Boats
- ◆ Furniture

TECHNICAL DATA:

VOC: 0

Installation Temperature: No Temperature Restrictions

Dry to Touch: 24 hours

Available Container Size(s): Quart

Application per Container: 4 (Approximately)

Solution Coverage: Approximately 300-400sq. ft. per gallon.

SURFACE PREPARATION:

Sweep the surface with a stiff broom or use a blower to clean area of debris. Thoroughly saturate the surface with plain water to help remove dirt and prevent streaking. The product is most effective when wood is not hot to the touch. Protect bordering metal surfaces. Dampen surrounding vegetation with water.

APPLICATION:

Pour one cup of powder of Penofin 1st Step Prep powder into one gallon of clean warm/hot water and mix. Using a plastic pump up sprayer apply the solution liberally. Allow to set for 20 minutes, misting occasionally to keep the wood and solution wet. **DO NOT ALLOW THE SOLUTION TO DRY ON THE SURFACE OF THE WOOD.** For best results, refill the pump sprayer with more warm/hot water so as not to dilute the solution. Rinse

and allow to thoroughly dry before treating with Penofin Exotic Hardwood Formula.

ALWAYS WEAR RUBBER GLOVES, EYE PROTECTION, AND SOLID SHOES WHEN APPLYING. SURFACE WILL BE SLIPPERY. DO NOT IRRITATE MUCOUS MEMBRANES, MAKE NOSE RUN, AND EYES WATER.

CLEAN -UP:

- ◆ Thoroughly rinse all equipment with water.
- ◆ Store any unused Penofin 1st Step Prep powder in its original container.
- ◆ Do not transfer to metal container as it will cause a chemical reaction.
- ◆ Protect from freezing.
- ◆ For disposal of unused product and empty containers, contact your local household refuse collection service.

Please visit our website www.penofin.com for more application and wood care tips, or call our live customer service line at:

1-800-PENOFIN Monday thru Friday 7am-4pm PST, or email us at mail@penofin.com