

# OXALIC ACID <br> CLEANING POWDER FOR WOODS 

## DESCRIPTION

Oxalic acid is a natural component of plants and vegetables such as buckwheat and rhubarb
Oxalic acid can be used, like many acids, as a cleaner for various things; for example, as a rust remover, a cleaning agent, on wood work as a stain lifter, as a bleaching agent, and many more.

Oxalic acid is used as a bleaching agent for teak. Wood, when exposed to the elements, can turn gray. When oxalic acid is applied on an old and graying teak deck, it brings back the teak's natural color.

Oxalic acid is a toxic product which must be use with caution. But at moderate doses it is safe for various useful functions.

## TECHNICAL DATA:

Physical state : Solid Powder , Granular Chemical reaction : acid
Pure $\mathrm{pH}: 1.5-1$

Density : 1.65 à $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(68^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$
Odour : odorless

## INSTRUCTIONS OF USE :

First of all, pickle wood to be treated in order to remove wax, varnish and lasure.
Then, dissolve Oxalic acid in hot water at a rate of 200 grs per litre.
Wet the deck and hull to avoid the stain for the final rinse.
Apply the solution with a nylon brush or a sponge. Rub vigorously in the direction of the wood fibers to facilitate impregnation.
Let act approximately 2 hours.
Rinse horoughly with clear water while brushing, to remove the last traces of dirt. Let dry.

## Ref. 928M - Can 1KG Ref. 628M - Can 5KGS

Shelf life : 3 years

Keep out of the reach of children. Reclose the packaging after each use.
Exposure to sun and extreme temperatures should be avoided. Keep out of direct sunlight. Always carry out a test prior to use on the surface to be treated to determine suitability and the appropriate contact time. Before use, read the label safety section for Health and Safety Information or request the safety data sheet to servicetechnique@mattchem.fr.

