

# Bona Hard Wax Oil

## Application on coloured surface

Finishing



This instruction is for applying Bona Hard Wax Oil to an already coloured surface. For other combinations/ways of using see separate instruction.

### Preparations

Pre-treat the surface with a coloured Bona Craft Oil and/or the Bona Tone's as per separate instruction.

Allow product to reach room temperature and **stir** the container thoroughly before use. Optimal application conditions are between 20-25°C and 30-60% relative air humidity. High temperatures and low humidity shorten drying time, low temperatures and high humidity lengthen drying time. **Minimum temperature for use is 16°C.**

### Treatment schedule

#### Alternative 1

1x Bona Craft Oil  
1x Bona Hard Wax Oil

#### Alternative 2

1x Bona Tone (Rich or Nordic)  
1x Bona Craft Oil  
1x Bona Hard Wax Oil

#### Alternative 3

1x Bona Rich Tone  
2x Bona Hard Wax Oil

In high traffic areas consider ending with two layers of Bona Hard Wax Oil for increased protection against wear.

### Application

#### Application on Bona Craft Oil (alternative 1 & 2)

1. The previous application of Bona Craft Oil must have been allowed minimum 12 hours\* drying time before applying hardwax oil. Vacuum or wipe the surface free from dust with a dampened cloth.
2. Stir the container with Bona Hard Wax Oil and pour the content into a tray. Apply very thinly using a short-haired mohair roller or a fine brush. Work in small sections and overlap wet-on-wet.
3. An additional layer (if needed) can be applied after 6-8 hours\*. Allow at least 16 hours drying before resuming foot traffic. Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.

#### Application on Bona Rich Tone (alternative 3)

1. The previous application of Bona Rich Tone must have been allowed minimum 5-10 hours\* drying time before applying hardwax oil. Gently sand the surface with a Bona Scrad Pad and vacuum to remove the dust.
2. Stir the container with Bona Hard Wax Oil and pour the content into a tray. Apply Bona Hard Wax Oil very thinly using a short-haired mohair roller or a fine brush. Work in small sections and overlap wet-on-wet. Let dry min 6-8 hours\*.
3. Lightly abrade the surface using a Bona Scrad Pad and remove the dust.
4. Apply a second thin coat of Bona Hard Wax Oil.
5. Let dry minimum 16 hours before resuming foot traffic. Ensure good ventilation during application and drying.

*\* drying time at 20 °C/60% RH, expect longer drying time on exotic wood and at low temperatures. The room can normally be furnished after 1-2 days but wait approx. 1 week before covering the surface with carpets or cleaning with wet methods.*

**WARNING:** BONA HARD WAX OIL CONTAINS DRYING OILS. RISK OF SELF-IGNITION. USED CLOTHS, RAGS AND SIMILAR SHOULD BE PLACED IN WATER OR SEALED METAL CONTAINERS.

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## Maintenance

Clean the floor regularly using a dry mop and/or a vacuum cleaner. When needed, wipe off with a damp mop with Bona Soap added to the cleaning water. **Note:** Always clean using as dry a method as possible. For maintenance and upkeep of the surface use Bona Wax Oil Refresher periodically. The frequency of this operation is determined by the level of wear and may range from every 3<sup>rd</sup> year in a domestic environment to a few times a year in a commercial environment. As an extended maintenance it is also possible to apply additional layers of Bona Hard Wax Oil.

## Recoating

1. Degrease and clean the surface with the Bona Deep Clean System. Let dry.
2. Abrade surface with a Bona Scrad Pad or Bona Diamond Abrasives grit 240.
3. Remove sanding dust.
4. Apply a thin layer of Bona Hard Wax Oil and let dry.

Detailed maintenance instructions are available at [www.bona.com](http://www.bona.com)

## Important notes

The information provided is prepared to the best of our current knowledge and makes no claim to be complete. User is responsible for establishing that the product and recommendations herein are fit for the designated purpose, wood type and present situation before use. Bona can only guarantee the delivered product. A professional and thereby successful application of the product is beyond our control. If in doubt make a preliminary test or contact Bona's technical service. User is required to read and understand all information contained on package labels and safety data sheets before using this product.

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