

# Raw Linseed Oil



## *A traditional oil for nourishing and water proofing wood.*

### Purpose

The original oil polish with a tradition going back many centuries, Raw Linseed Oil is a hard wearing oil giving a mellow, patinated finish. It is ideal for oiling cricket bats and can be added to other oils to make unique blends.

### Performance

- The original, traditional oil finish
- For use on hard or close grained wood
- Ideal for oiling cricket bats
- Can be added to other oils to make unique blends
- Traditional lubricant used in French Polishing
- Add to putty to keep it soft
- EN71 Approved - safe for toys
- Usage : Interior



### How to Use

#### Preparation

Ensure the surface to be treated is clean and dry. Any previous finish must be thoroughly removed before using Raw Linseed Oil.

#### Application

Ready to use. For ease of application dilute the first few coats with Liberon Pure Turpentine (up to 30%), or alternatively heat the Raw Linseed Oil by placing it in a container and standing it in a bowl of hot water that can be frequently renewed.

If heating the Raw Linseed Oil, DO NOT dilute with turpentine. Rub well into the wood using a lint-free cotton cloth. After about 20-30 minutes, wipe off the excess with a clean lint-free cloth. Failure to do so will prevent penetration of future coats and leave a sticky surface. Repeat the previous steps once or twice at a few days interval.

Apply a final coat of undiluted Raw Linseed Oil, again wiping off any excess. Allow this final coat to harden for a few days before use. A minimum of three coats is recommended. A light rubbing in between coats with Liberon Ultra Fine Steel Wool (0000) will improve results. If the surface becomes damaged, work in a new coat.

#### Important

Oil finishes bring out the natural colours of timber. A wet surface will be an indication of the final colour. Always test product on a spare surface or inconspicuous area for colour, compatibility and end result.

#### Cleaning and maintenance

Wipe surface with a damp cloth and buff dry. Re-oil as and when required, depending upon usage.

#### Precautions

- Store Liberon Raw Linseed Oil at a temperature above 5 C. Always replace the lid otherwise the oil can deteriorate.
- Oily cloths can self combust. Do not leave impregnated cloths in bundles. Before discarding lay them flat outside to dry to avoid a fire hazard.
- If the excess is not removed and surface becomes sticky, wipe with white spirit to remove the sticky film and allow to dry before continuing.

Coverage: 1L = 8-10m<sup>2</sup>

Pack Size: 250ml, 500ml, 1L, 5L

Drying Time: Minimum 4 days