# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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# RONSEAL ONE COAT FENCELIFE

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife is a semi-opaque treatment for the decoration and protection of wooden fencing, sheds, gates and other rough sawn exterior timber.

#### INTRODUCTION

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife protects, renovates and enhances the natural beauty of wooden fencing. The product is harmless to plant and animal life and is safe and easy to apply.

It is available in a range of attractive colours which complement the natural beauty of the grain.

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife provides a water repellent finish which allows the wood to "breathe" and which will not crack or flake.

The special pigments in Ronseal One Coat Fencelife mean that it is highly resistant to fading and enable it to provide long lasting protection to the substrate by limiting the damaging effects of ultraviolet light.

## **COMPOSITION**

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife is based on a waterborne emulsion together with special iron oxide pigments.

## **PROPERTIES**

Appearance – Structured liquid/light gel. VOC Content – Low (0.3-7.99% w/v). Odour - Low. Miscible with water.

## FIELDS OF APPLICATION

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife is suitable for use on most types of wooden fencing. It is also recommended for use on sheds, gates, trellis work, greenhouses and cold frames.

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

## Condition of Substrate before Treatment

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife can be used on all untreated, sawn timber and timber previously treated with other fence and shed treatments including creosote.

Allow creosote treated surfaces to weather for at least six months before treatment with Ronseal One Coat Fencelife. Timber treated with wood preservatives applied by vacuum/pressure techniques should be allowed to "age" for at least one month before application of Ronseal One Coat Fencelife.

All timber should be clean, free from lichens, algae, fungi, moss and dry prior to application.

Any paint or varnish should be removed to allow full penetration of the product.

## **Brush Application**

Brush application is recommended. Apply an even coat liberally using a good quality brush. For optimum performance a 3" to 4" brush is recommended.

## Preparation

Ensure timber is clean and reasonably dry. Remove any dirt, moss, fungi, and lichen with a stiff brush.

Old paint and varnish should be removed by mechanical methods such as scraping or wire brushing.

### **Finishing**

Stir product thoroughly before and during use. Apply an even coat liberally to all exposed surfaces, paying particular attention to end grain.

A one coat application is sufficient to afford protection but a second coat is recommended to intensify colour.

#### **COVERAGE**

Up to 12 m<sup>2</sup> per litre.

Coverage rate is dependant upon the type, nature and absorbency of the substrate.

For job planning assume a coverage rate of 6 m<sup>2</sup> per litre.

## **DRYING TIME**

2 to 4 hours.

Where an additional coat is required this can be applied as soon as the first coat is dry.

Drying time varies considerably with type, nature and absorbency of wood and with climatic conditions.

## **CLEANING OF TOOLS**

Clean brushes in water and detergent immediately after use.

Remove as much product as possible from tools and equipment prior to cleaning.

## **MAINTENANCE**

For routine maintenance apply a further coat as necessary.

## **COLOUR VARIANTS**

Ronseal One Coat Fencelife is available in a range of attractive colours, all of which can be mixed for colour matching purposes.

Final colour will vary according to type and absorbency of the timber a test area is recommended to confirm colour acceptability.

### **IMPORTANT**

Do not apply if temperature is below 10°C (50°F) in conditions of high humidity or if rain is imminent.

Wear protective gloves to avoid staining hands.

Do not use on surfaces that come into direct contact with food or where food is prepared.

If Ronseal One Coat Fencelife is spilt on cloth or fabric wash off in soapy water before product has dried.

#### STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated place away from heat and sources of ignition. Carefully reseal partly used containers.

Always store and transport in a secure upright position to avoid spillage.

Protect from frost.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Observe and follow all warnings and instructions for use shown on the pack.

Keep product out of reach of children.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

Use only in well ventilated areas.

Specific health and safety data sheets are available on request.

### **FLAMMABILITY**

Non-flammable. Flash Point >61°C

### **SUPPLY**

Available from decorators merchants, hardware and D.I.Y. outlets, builders and timber merchants and garden centres.

#### SIZE

Available in a 5 & 9 litre resealable containers.

### **DISPOSAL**

Some local authorities have have special facilities for disposal of waste paint/varnishes.

Do not empty product into drains or watercourses.

## **LIABILITY**

Whilst these specifications are based on expert technical knowledge and practical experience, we cannot assume responsibility for any work as the ultimate result depends on factors beyond our direct control. Standard codes of painting practice should be followed.

### INFORMATION AND SERVICE

Our Technical Services
Department will be pleased to
offer specific guidance or provide
any further information you may
require.

## **DATA SHEETS**

Data sheets on other Ronseal products are available on request.

Ronseal has been registered to BS EN ISO 9000 1994 (Registered Firm No. FM 1669/1).

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