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Sika Marine Teak Deck Maintenance System preserves and cares for new and weathered teak wood and for all other kinds of wood employed above the waterline. The Sika® Teak Deck Maintenance System is also employed to maintain the beauty of the various kinds of wood used for interior furnishings.

The Sika Marine Teak Deck Maintenance System consists of:



## General working instructions

- Put on rubber gloves and eye protection before starting to work.
- Shake containers well before opening.
- Ensure good ventilation when treating wood in the interior of the yacht.
- A compatibility test is recommended before beginning the treatment.
- Read instructions carefully.

Sika Marine Teak Deck Maintenance System is compatible with Sikaflex®-290 DC caulked teak decks.

## Sika® Teak Cleaner For the treatment of:

### 1. Weathered (grey/black) and green algae damaged teak



Sika® Teak Cleaner is directly applied on the dry weathered wood. The product is brushed onto the substrate using a stiff brush or a scrubbing pad.



Leave the brushed-on/cleaned surface to activate for **2–3 minutes** followed by intensive scrubbing in the direction of the wood grain for deep-down cleanliness.



Carefully and thoroughly rinse the surface with fresh water within 15 minutes of application.

### 2. Slightly weathered Teak



Wet the wood with fresh water and spread Sika® Teak Cleaner using a brush or scrubbing pad to remove dirt and stains.



Carefully and thoroughly rinse the surface with fresh water within 15 minutes of application.



Following the complete cleaning process apply Sika® Teak Brightener to enhance the wood grain and its lustre. To preserve cleaned and/or brightened teak wood, Sika® Teak Oil should be applied subsequently.

**Note:** Surrounding surfaces not required to be cleaned with Sika® Teak Cleaner should have any drips and spills removed immediately to avoid undesired spotting.

**Keep out of reach of children.**





# Sika® Teak Brightener

## For the treatment of cleaned teak wood.



To restore the original teak colour, apply Sika® Teak Brightener in the direction of the wood grain employing a sponge, brush or a piece of cloth.



Leave Sika® Teak Brightener for **5 minutes** to activate the surface followed by a thorough rinse with fresh water within 15 minutes of application.



To preserve brightened teak wood, Sika® Teak Oil should be subsequently applied.

**Note:** For best results apply Sika® Teak Brightener at a temperature of  $> + 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

**Cleaning:** Cover gel coat and surrounds and/or clean off any splashes immediately.

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## Sika® Teak Oil

Sika® Teak Oil is based on natural oils and waxes, does not contain biocides nor preservatives and is, following drying, physiologically harmless to humans, animals and plantlife. Sika® Teak Oil restores the wood grain and maintains the resilience of the teak. Following application, the finish is resistant to water, beer, wine, cola drinks, coffee, tea, milk, fruit-juices and similar. Treated areas become easy to clean even of bird droppings. Treated surfaces supply improved slip- and UV-resistance.

- Sika® Teak Oil penetrates deeply into the teak wood for optimal protection against UV light and harsh weathering elements.
- Sika® Teak Oil enhances the natural wood grain and the colour of the teak.
- Sika® Teak Oil is very easy to use and dries quickly.

### Instructions for use

The surface of the teak wood needs to be frost-free, clear and dry. Clean and treat old porous, badly weathered and green algae-damaged surfaces with Sika® Teak Cleaner and Sika® Teak Brightener.



Apply the well-shaken and ready-to-use Sika® Teak Oil using a brush, a lint-free cotton cloth or sponge in the direction of the wood grain in a thin and even coating to maximize penetration of the oil into the teak wood. Allow a few minutes to penetrate before removing any excess teak oil. Particularly dry and porous wood may require a second application.



Reapplication of Sika® Teak Oil is recommended at the first sign of weathering.



**Drying time:** Dry-to-the-touch after about 6 hours. Do not walk on until the surface is completely dry (usually 12 hours).

**Coverage:** 1000 ml covers approx. 15 sqm.

**Cleaning:** Cover fittings, gel coat and other surfaces and/or clean off any splashes immediately.

**Hint:** A satin finish can be obtained by polishing with a cotton cloth.

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**Note:** All products sold are subject to our current General Terms and Conditions of Sale. Please consult our Material Safety Data Sheets as well as our Technical Data Sheets.



## Quality and Service

A deep-seated culture of quality and service is an integral part of Sika's corporate ethos. «Quality first» is the standard by which every production process, every workplace and every member of staff is measured. The Sika management system conforms to the international standards ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and QS 9000. For our customers this means top-quality products, first-class service and professional technical support for the implementation of system solutions by Sika Technical Service and Systems Engineering organizations around the world.

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