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# BOODGE LOG, SIDING & DECK OIL



ONE COAT COVERAGE  
EXTREME CLIMATE PROTECTION

NET CONTENTS:  
1 GALLON (3.78L)

**CAUTION!**  
CONTAINS  
PETROLEUM DIS-  
TILLATES  
COMBUSTIBLE  
LIQUID, N.O.S.  
ORM-D

#### Uses For Boodge™ Log, Siding and Deck Oil

**Boodge Log, Siding and Deck (LS&D) Oil** is suitable for logs and most exterior woods. **Boodge LS&D Oil** is ideal for use on cedar, redwood and most types of logs. Other types of wood are suitable as long as they allow penetration of the product. We do not recommend the use of our product on hardwood species of wood, such as oak or walnut and some exotic hardwoods. Logs should not be chinked on top of this product. Product will permanently stain chinking. Careful hand application of oil is recommended if original appearance of chinking is desired.

#### 2 Formulas Of Boodge Log, Siding and Deck Oil To Choose From

**Transparent:** For a less stained appearance and superior performance. 6 color choices.

**Semi-Transparent:** For maximum UV protection and longevity. 8 color choices.

#### How Often Does My Siding Need Boodge Log, Siding and Deck Oil?

**Boodge LS&D Oil** lasts 4 to 5 years for most vertical surfaces, even in the harshest climates, unless there is an exceptional situation such as direct exposure to sprinklers. On horizontal, standing-water, surfaces, such as deck floors, expect 1 to 2 years. The Transparent colors have about 20% less durability. You should redo the surface when you can easily scrape through the oxidized surface color, or when the color starts to fade enough to expose raw wood. After multiple applications, the repeat interval can be extended because there is more oil in the wood to help protect it.

#### Surface Preparation Is Very Important

Surface preparation is as important to a successful project as using **Boodge LS&D Oil**. The wood surface you are treating **MUST** be able to absorb the oil in order to do what **Boodge LS&D Oil** is intended. **Boodge LS&D Oil** looks and performs best when applied to a clean and like-new appearing wood surface.

#### Preparing New Wood

New wood is often not very absorbent because of excessive levels of moisture and natural oils in some species of wood, such as redwood and cypress wood (even though it is said to be dried). Milling, tannins (wood oils), and excessive moisture in new wood can inhibit the absorption of **Boodge LS&D Oil**.

We do not recommend treating new wood until the wood is dry enough and the pores have opened up. The wood should be allowed to naturally weather, to the point that it begins to slightly gray or discolor, before you apply **Boodge LS&D Oil**. If you experience a high spread rate (over 175sf/ga.) the wood is not sufficiently absorbent for use of this product and you should expect premature degradation.

#### Preparing Weathered Wood

**Old, Weathered, Grayed, or Discolored Wood:** We recommend pressure washing as a primary means of preparing a wood surface that has already weathered or discolored. Pressure washing serves two purposes: 1) it can restore the appearance of the wood to a like-new appearance by removing the decayed and/or discolored surface area; and 2) it can remove the decayed surface layer to allow penetration of **Boodge LS&D Oil** into the newly exposed, healthy wood cells. Grayed and some discolorations can also be removed through the use of wood cleaners, bleaches, and oxalic acid solutions, however, they don't remove the decayed surface layer unless the surface is thoroughly scrubbed or pressure washed. A skilled pressure washer operator can restore a new appearance to most natural wood surfaces.

**Preparing Previously Stained or Treated Surfaces:** Stripping previously applied products can be a difficult task. Consult your **Boodge LS&D Oil** representative or an experienced professional for specific advice and recommendations. You must apply **Boodge LS&D Oil** to an absorbing surface. It is absolutely necessary to remove any form of surface layer that may inhibit the ability of the oil to penetrate. Do not apply this product over another product.

#### Applying Boodge Log, Siding and Deck Oil

Apply **Boodge LS&D Oil** by spraying, brushing, rolling or sponging. Apply **Boodge LS&D Oil** to a clean, absorbing surface to achieve as much saturation as possible. Make sure you put plenty of oil on the surface and let it soak in. The surface should flash completely wet and look almost painted, while slightly cascading on the surface. In time, the wood will absorb the **Boodge LS&D Oil** and achieve an even, transparent look. Do not leave excess material puddled on surfaces for more than a couple of hours. Brush out excesses or soak up with a rag after allowing time to absorb to attain an even appearance. On deck floors, it is particularly important not to leave any excesses.

It is normal for **Boodge LS&D Oil** to appear very dark when initially applied. **Boodge LS&D Oil** has a relatively slow drying and curing time, so, please be patient as it lightens and cures over the course of several weeks. Also, allow **Boodge LS&D Oil** a couple of days to achieve an even and dry appearance.

**Boodge LS&D Oil** is intended as a one-coat application, however, if a more stained, less transparent appearance is desired, a second coat may be applied within four hours of the first application. Do not allow excess to remain on the surface if you apply a second coat. Always do a test sample to make sure you achieve the look that you want before applying a second coat.

- **For spray applications:** We recommend using an airless, variable-pressure sprayer with the pressure turned down and relatively large tip sizes. Tip sizes should be in the range of 10-15 inch fan width and between 21 and 35 thousandths orifice. Hand-held pump sprayers can be used but are difficult to control.
- **For hand applications:** The best applicator to use is a foam-staining pad(sponge) or 4 to 6" oil brushes. Get the type intended for exterior stains and rough wood. Spread Rates: 70-175sf/ga depending on porosity and texture of the wood. Typical spread rate is about 150sf/ga for most surfaces.
- Temperatures should exceed 40° F.
- Use proper precautions to avoid over-spraying adjacent surfaces and nearby plants. A good policy to help protect plants and other surfaces is to wet them with a garden hose (being careful not to get the wood wet), and then covering the surfaces with drop cloths or plastic sheeting until the spraying is complete.
- Thinning is not necessary and is not recommended.
- Stir or mix thoroughly before application as some settling can occur.
- Not recommended on outdoor furniture.
- Not suitable on all deck surfaces. Exotic woods tend not to absorb well and decks used for sitting or laying on may not be suitable as the color tends to oxidize over time and can rub off on clothes. **Boodge LS&D Oil** is a true penetrating oil that behaves much different than conventional products. Always test for suitability.

**CLEAN UP AND STORAGE:** Use mineral spirits for cleaning brushes, sprayers, etc. On non-absorbant surfaces, **Boodge LS&D Oil** may be cleaned up with a heavy, grease-emulsifying soap. For very stubborn clean-up, lacquer thinner will also work.

**STORAGE:** Store in container with as little air in it as possible. Do not let the resins solidify from oxidation. Avoid exposing the product to excessive heat.

**HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS:** Contains petroleum distillates.

Use only with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Excessive exposure can cause nervous system or brain damage. Use a NIOSH/MSHA approved respirator. Avoid contact with skin. Do not get in eyes. Wear goggles and rubber gloves when handling. Harmful if swallowed. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and discard or wash before reusing.

**WARNING! HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAUSES IRRITATION. COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID. ORM-D**  
Contains less than 250 gr/ltr VOCs.

#### Limitation of Liability

**Warning:** Make sure the surface on which you are applying this product is suitable for this product. Suitability of this product to the situation is strictly at the risk and the discretion of the applicator. Boodge Company claims absolutely no responsibility for the misuse of our products.

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