



**Restore..Protect
and Beautify...**
your furniture and woodwork



Restor-A-Finish®

Restore it - Don't Strip It!

With an easy one step process, most finished wood surfaces that may seem to need a complete refinishing job can be restored in a few minutes. White rings, haze, water stains, sun fade, oxidation, smoke damage and most other blemishes can be quickly blended away. Don't strip, re-stain or re-polish it, just Restor-A-Finish it in minutes.

- Eliminates white cup rings
- Blends away water and heat damage
- Removes haze and dullness
- Blends out minor scratches
- Preserves original patination
- Does not dissolve the original finish



How does it work?

Restor-A-Finish has a unique finish-penetrating formula which contains a small amount of stain combined with a precise blend of natural mineral solvents and special restorative oils, giving it the ability to permanently restore the existing finish without removing or stripping it. Restor-A-Finish penetrates shellac, varnished and lacquered finishes to correct fade and return the original colour, lustre, and depth of grain to the surface. Temporary "scratch cover" products cannot achieve the same result....Restor-A-Finish works best when applied with a clean cotton cloth. For severe white rings, haze or oxidation use superfine Howard #0000 Steel Wool. For carved surfaces, we suggest using a small angled paint brush or a soft toothbrush. Avoid pouring Restor-A-Finish directly onto the finish. Apply with a cloth partly saturated with Restor-A-Finish at first, then if necessary, change to Howard Superfine Steel Wool saturated with Restor-A-Finish. Always wipe dry after you've finished. The colour chart on the back of this brochure will give you an indication of which Restor-A-Finish colour to use. The chart is a guide only, an exact match is not necessary. Restor-A-Finish comes in eight wood colours plus Neutral: Maple-Pine, Golden Oak, Cherry, Walnut, Mahogany, Dark Walnut, Dark Oak, Ebony Brown. Neutral is clear. Walnut and Golden Oak are great all-purpose colours which complement many tonal ranges.

Precautions:

Do not apply polyurethane over Restor-A-Finish.
Do not apply Restor-A-Finish to imitation wood finishes or use as a wood stain.
Be careful to protect fabric, carpets, or linoleum when applying Restor-A-Finish, as it may leave a permanent stain. If spilling does occur, immediately scrub area with soap and water or Howard Clean-A-Finish and wipe dry.

We also offer Restor-A-Finish in a small kit complete with Orange Oil, Feed-N-Wax, Steel Wool and one FixStix (wood filling wax stick).

Superfine Steel Wool #0000

Super fine yet tough.

- We supply only the best quality ultra-fine #0000 steel wool
- Will not score wood when used as directed
- Assists penetration of Restor-A-Finish into varnished surfaces
- Smooths the surface of wood when saturated with a Howard wax
- 8 pad bags or individual pads if required



Feed-N-Wax®



Feed-N-Wax utilises the power of essential orange oil blended with carnauba wax (durable) and beeswax (enriching) to beautify and protect all furniture finishes.

Use Feed-N-Wax whenever a varnished or raw wood finish looks faded or dry. It enhances the natural beauty and depth of grain in all woods, finished or unfinished. Feed-N-Wax was developed to be the perfect follow-up to Restor-A-Finish. Safe for the finest antique furniture finishes.

Prevent Drying and Cracking

Feed-N-Wax is a wood preserver, designed to keep wood and wood finishes from drying out and cracking. Over time, wood furniture, and especially antique furniture, tend to "dry out" and fade. Feed-N-Wax contains nourishing oils that "feed" the wood, while creating a protective coating of durable carnauba wax and enriching beeswax.

- Beeswax nourishes wood as it has done for centuries
- Carnauba wax is hard and incredibly durable
- Orange oil liquefies the blend and aids penetration
- Protects and beautifies wood and furniture surfaces
- Delivers a rich lustre and reveals beautiful grain
- Preserves sensitive antique finishes
- Replenishes lost essential oils
- Prevents drying and cracking
- Maintains the restored finish after using Restor-A-Finish



Orange Oil™

Howard Orange Oil, was the first orange oil for furniture and wood ever to be produced. It is the original and is still the best by far, ask anyone who uses it. The little pointing colonial boy in a hat on the label of any Howard Product is your guarantee of quality. With Howard Orange Oil you get the cleaning power of pure cold pressed orange oil and the protection of specialised high grade mineral oil, every time you dust and polish. These oils help remove dirt and grimy build-up on all your wood furniture without drying out the finish.

- Superior furniture polish, gentle yet highly effective
- Nourishes and seals raw wood naturally
- Enhances the beauty of natural grain in all wood finishes
- Trusted on all antique French polished surfaces
- Safe to use on all wood surfaces interior and exterior
- Leaves no wax build-up, only a nice shine and a fresh citrus scent
- Does not contain silicone, toxic chemicals or "fillers" such as linseed oil



Restor-A-Finish® Colour Guide

Please use the colour chart as a guide only. Printers ink cannot replicate the exact colour of wood and always remember all wood has many colours in the complexity of the grain.

Neutral (Colourless):

When colour boost is not required



Maple-Pine:

For all light wood finishes



Golden Oak:

To enhance all mellow golden hues



Cherry:

For rosewood & lighter shades of red



Walnut:

For all medium brown tones



Mahogany:

For mahogany, red cedar, jarrah, etc



Dark Walnut:

For medium-dark to dark tones



Dark Oak:

For darker tones



Ebony Brown:

For very dark to black tones



These tints don't change colour dramatically like wood stains. They "boost" the existing colour.



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Note: Howard Products Australia has a range of local products on a separate brochure.

Available at:

Citrus Shield™

Citrus-Shield Premium Paste Wax is excellent for polishing and protecting wood finishes on antiques, furniture, cabinets, panelling, wood floors, painted surfaces, concrete, marble and metal. Can also be used on unfinished wood where an easy application and a beautiful, natural-looking finish is desired. Citrus-Shield is a great follow-up to Howard Restor-A-Finish and Restor-A-Shine products.



- Provides a hard protective coat of carnauba and beeswax.
- Perfect on all high quality varnished surfaces especially French polished.
- Enhances the natural beauty of the wood grain, and buffs to a brilliant, long-lasting shine.

Restor-A-Shine™

Restor-A-Shine Polishing Compound is specially formulated for restoring the high gloss shine to wood finishes. Use on wood floors, furniture, tabletops, even pianos to buff away fine scratches and dullness, returning clear coat finishes to a high shine. Restor-A-Shine contains extremely fine micro polishing powders, blended together with select oils and waxes to produce this unique wood finish polishing compound.



- Revives shine to dull areas, eliminates steel wool swirl marks, and most other minor surface blemishes
- Use as the final step in rubbing out a new high gloss wood finish to achieve a mirror like finish
- Creamy formula that can be used with a cloth or an electric buffer (especially when used on floors)
- Does not contain silicone or linseed oil

Clean-A-Finish™

The cleaner that gives dirt a lift. The safe way to clean wood, upholstery, leather and more.



- Safely removes dirt, unwanted oils and resins from wood
- Easily removes wax build-up on furniture and antiques
- Gentle yet powerful cleaner on all upholstery
- Spot cleans rugs, carpets and clothing
- Breaks down grease and grime on kitchen cabinets
- Soap-based formula, no bleach, ammonia or chemicals
- Does not contain detergents or solvents
- Child and pet safe

Lemon Oil™

Lemon Oil offers some subtle differences to Orange Oil.



- Lemon oil is more acidic than orange oil and is tougher on grime
- Used for centuries as a trusted household polish
- Removes wax build-up, fingerprints, and grime
- Tutors recommend lemon oil for maintaining violins and guitars
- Wonderful for natural wood oiled finishes
- Helps maintain metal surfaces like copper and brass
- Helps keep bugs and mould at bay
- Does not contain silicone, toxic chemicals or useless fillers
- Fresh, subtle, citrus aroma

Cutting Board Cleaner™

Howard Cutting Board Cleaner thoroughly cleans food-prep surfaces including utensils and eliminates odours in already used chopping blocks or cutting board surfaces. The natural cleaning properties of lemon oil and coconut soap safely clean any wood surface, leaving it smelling fresh.



- Lathering action washes away bacteria and unpleasant odours.
- Specially designed to clean wood cutting boards - No harsh chemicals that can weaken wood fibres
- Great for cleaning and preparing wood surfaces before applying Cutting Board Oil or Butcher Block Conditioner

Cutting Board Oil™

Howard Cutting Board Oil is made with clear, odourless, pure food-grade mineral oil. Cutting Board Oil is perfect for the initial "oiling" or "seasoning" of cutting boards. The mineral oil used in Cutting Board Oil is from virgin mineral oils and has no contact with nuts, gluten or other potentially allergenic materials either in production, storage, or transport.



- Prepares wood prior to application of Butcher Block Conditioner
- Can be used on its own for refreshing food prep boards during meals
- Tasteless, odourless, colourless, and will never go rancid
- Cutting Board Oil rejuvenates dry wood, including cutting boards, butcher blocks, countertops, wooden bowls and utensils

Butcher Block Conditioner™

Howard Butcher Block Conditioner protects and beautifies butcher blocks, cutting boards, wooden bowls and utensils, in fact any item made of wood which is used for the preparation or serving of food. The penetrating quality of food-grade mineral oil along with the water-resistant traits of beeswax and carnauba wax helps to rejuvenate the wood, prevent drying, and even repair knife marks in the wood. Keeps wood grain vibrant and rich, and will never go rancid like some plant based oils.



- Protects and beautifies all wood, including bamboo
- Never goes rancid like canola oil, linseed oil and olive oil
- Helps prevent splitting and cracking, repairs minor cuts

Wax-It-All™

Howard Wax-It-All food-grade paste wax is 100% guaranteed food safe for any surface where food contact may occur. This thick, smooth blend of beeswax, carnauba wax, and food grade mineral oil revives faded surfaces and helps protect wood from drying out and cracking. Use Wax-It-All on wood countertop surfaces, concrete, stainless steel, granite, marble, soapstone, slate, laminate, painted furniture and more.



- Easy to Use - simply rub the wax on, let it absorb and buff off any excess
- Safe for indoor and outdoor countertop surfaces
- Helps delay tarnishing and oxidation of bronze, copper, brass, and even wrought iron
- Does not contain: Silicone, linseed oil, solvents, or VOC's
- 100% guaranteed food safe wax
- Recommended for use on cutting boards where long-term durability is required

Chalk-Tique®

Powder Additive for Paint.

Why buy expensive Chalk-Style paint when you can easily make your own? Just add it to any water based paint in the colour of your choice and with minimal prep work it will deliver a durable matte finish helping to create a beautiful distressed antique look. It works on glass, ceramics, laminates, metal, fabric and finished or unfinished wood.



- Adds new life to worn out furniture be it antique, retro or modern.
- Gives paint a thick creamy chalk-style texture which covers easily
- Use with any paint colour of your choosing to create a truly unique look.

Chalk-Tique® Finishing Wax

Light and Dark Paste Wax

This easy to apply paste wax comes in Light and Dark and is the perfect follow-up treatment for any chalk-style painted surface. Light Wax creates a soft lustre and rich glow. Dark wax shadows detailed areas creating that distressed antique patina look. Chalk-Tique Paste Wax is a blend of Brazilian carnauba wax, beeswax and orange oil.



- Creates a wonderful 'distressed' antique look on chalk painted finishes
- Paste Wax formula which helps seal, finish, and protect the newly painted surface
- Chalk-Tique Paste Wax helps protect chalk painted items exposed to the sun with a specially blended UV inhibitor

SunShield™

Formulated to keep tropical hardwoods from cracking, drying and oxidising due to exposure to sun, temperature variations or light moisture. During extended exposure to the elements such as heavy rain and sunshine, the wax may need to be topped up at regular intervals. SunShield combines UV inhibitors along with a unique blend of carnauba wax, beeswax and orange oil to protect the natural beauty and depth of grain in outdoor wooden furniture.



- Protects against sun damage and light moisture
- Lessens impact of temperature variations
- Maintains the natural beauty and depth of grain
- Easy to apply, gel-like consistency
- Polishes outdoor furniture to a soft lustre
- Does not contain silicone or linseed oil

Stainless Steel Cleaner & Polish™

This unique streak-free formula easily cleans food grime, oily fingerprints, and even kitchen grime. It produces a beautiful shine on stainless steel surfaces including: refrigerators, range hoods, stoves, ovens microwaves, dishwashers, sinks, countertops, tapware and other stainless steel appliances.



- Is excellent for outdoor stainless steel BBQs and appliances
- Cleans residential and commercial stainless steel kitchen surfaces
- Leaves stainless steel streak free, clean and with a beautiful shine

Leather Cleaner

Howard Leather Cleaner contains mild, biodegradable soaps and surfactants that gently remove dirt, grime and other stains. Use on leather furniture, automotive leather, luggage, shoes and accessories. Can also be used on vinyl and plastic.



- pH Balanced
- Alkaline free - all natural ingredients
- Environmentally friendly
- Safe on stitching

Leather Conditioner

A creamy conditioner that softens, new or old leather, penetrates, preserves and protects all smooth leather. Use on leather lounges, shoes, handbags, riding tack and leather automotive interiors.



- Relaxes old and dried-out leather
- Restores sun-faded leather
- Contains no harmful solvents or silicones
- Not suitable for Suede or Nubuck

Leather Salve

Howard Premium Leather Salve is a deep conditioning treatment that keeps leather soft and supple by using only the finest natural waxes and refined oils. It restores the lost suppleness to dehydrated leather, reduces scratches, and helps to preserve leather from future decay. No artificial dyes or chemicals. Safe to use on all types and colours of smooth leather.



- Easily restores dry leather back to its soft, natural condition
- Prolongs the life of leather furniture, purses, boots, bags, hats, shoes, gloves, apparel, autos, tack, saddles, and more
- A little goes a long way

Pine-Ola™ Silver Polish

Known to generations of Silversmiths as "the silver saver". Pine-Ola Silver Polish quickly cleans and polishes all silver on antiques, jewellery, silver plating, cookware, appliances and chrome fittings.



- Cleans and polishes all silver and silver plate, even chrome
- Instant action!! Amazingly fast and easy to use
- No harsh chemicals or abrasives
- Even good for polishing appliances
- Retards tarnish and keeps silver bright

Pine-Ola™ Copper & Brass Polish

Instant action – Beautifies your brass and cleans your copper. Pine-Ola Copper & Brass Polish quickly removes tarnish while it cleans and polishes ornamental copper, brass, and bronze.



- Amazingly fast and easy to use
- Cleans and polishes all ornamental copper, brass and bronze
- Safely restores all copper and brass on antiques, jewellery and cookware
- Pine Oil blend retards the tarnish for a long-lasting shine
- No harsh chemicals or abrasive powders in formula