



## Care of your HAYMAC Tanalised Timber Product

At HAYMAC, we recommend the staining or painting, to properly weatherproof your new, fencing, gate and timber building as Tanalised timber offers no water repellent qualities, the treatment you apply needs to be applied on installation and then undertaken annually for the best results. Always pay particular attention to the end grain of the timbers, joints and nail or screw fixing holes which are more susceptible to moisture absorption.

### Fencing

Although your new fence does not need to be waterproof the application of a suitable exterior timber care product such as a good quality fence paint from the Cuprinol or Protek range of paints, which have various tints and colours that are brush or spray applied, will help prolong the life of your new fencing. Please download our care sheet for your new fencing from our website. [FENCE PANEL CARE SHEET LINK](#)



Cuprinol Fence Treatment Products

We recommend:



Protek Fence Paint

### Premium Range Gates

Your new Premium Range gate will need to be waterproofed, the application of a suitable exterior timber care product such as a good quality exterior timber joinery paint from the Sadolins range of paints, which have various tints and colours that are brush or spray applied, will help prolong the life of your new gate. Your gate will require annual treatment to ensure water does not ingress to any joints or timber end grain over time.

Please download our care sheet for your new gate from our website. [PREMIUM RANGE GATE CARE SHEET](#)

Sadolin Extra Durable  
Woodstain

We recommend:



Sadolins Extra Durable Woodstain

### Decking

Suitable exterior timber decking care products are available on the market with various tints and colours that are brushed, or spray applied. **Please download our care sheet for your new decking from our website.**

To ensure your deck has a long life span we recommend that you apply a good quality preservative which is water repellent and U.V stable to your new deck as soon as is possible after installation.

We recommend:



OSMO Decking Oil



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### Timber Buildings

Suitable exterior timber care products are available on the market with various tints and colours that are brush or spray applied.

For timber buildings HAYMAC recommends products from the Cuprinol, Sadolins & Protek range of exterior timber building treatments. The Protek Timber Eco Shield in Pale Green is great if you like the natural look of Tanalised timber. The Protek Royal Exterior range of paints are exceptionally good and provide a nice durable finish with a vast range of colours.

We recommend



Protek- Royal Exterior  
Protek- Timber Eco Shield

Timber buildings should be painted and waterproofed as soon as is possible after installation, a double coat is good, but a 3<sup>rd</sup> is recommended, for the first application. Avoid painting if the external timbers are wet, wait for the timber to air dry and then paint and waterproof and then repeat annually thereafter.

When painting your timber building please give extra attention to the nail and screw fixing holes and timber end grain. The nails where the cladding is fixed to the framework are often driven below the surface of the timber cladding and therefore open the smooth surface to present the grain of the timber, these nail hole penetrations must be adequately sealed with waterproof paint to avoid water penetration into the grain of the timber and possible moisture transfer through to the timber framework.

Please download our information on how to weatherproof and paint your new timber building from our website. [TIMBER BUILDING CARE SHEET](#)

### Garden Seats & Tables

Although your new garden timber furniture does not need to be waterproof the application of a suitable exterior timber care product such as a good quality paint from the Cuprinol or Protek range of paints, which have various tints and colours that are brush or spray applied, will help prolong the life of your new timber garden furniture.



Cuprinol Timber Furniture Treatment Products

We recommend:

CUPRINOL GARDEN SHADES

CUPRINOL GARDEN FURNITURE STAIN



Protek Paint

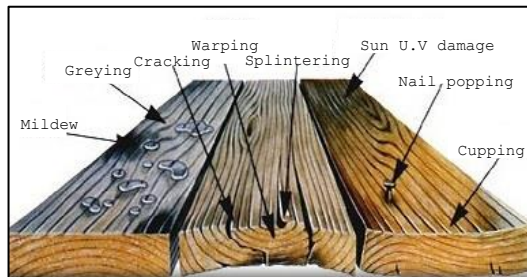


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### Information about Tanalised timber:

1. Tanalised® E pressure treated timber has been impregnated with Tanalith® E wood preservative under controlled conditions in a vacuum pressure impregnation plant.
2. Tanalised® E pressure treated timber is protected against fungal decay (rot) and insect attack to ensure an extended service life to the timber/timber components, when treated to the appropriate specification.
3. Following impregnation, the preservative bonds with the wood structure such that it cannot easily be removed from the timber and is inert having no impact upon the direct environment. Tanalith® E wood preservative is registered and cleared for use under the UK Control of Pesticides Regulations.
4. The preservative contains copper and triazole biocides.
5. Typical uses for Tanalised® E pressure treated timber include general construction, cladding, garden and leisure wood structures, fencing and playground equipment, all within British Standards User Classes 1, 2, 3 and 4.
6. Tanalised timber without further treatment will naturally weather over the months, finally mellowing to a grey colour and does not necessarily require any additional treatment in certain situations, fence panels for example, if kept off the ground, do not require treatment as they do not need to be waterproof.

### General Maintenance of your HAYMAC Timber Product



Adequately weatherproofing your new timber product will help to prevent these naturally occurring and unavoidable timber issues.

If your timber product is located under trees or does not enjoy full sun, it may be subject to a build-up of green algae, surface mould, mildew and or general grime. Remove algae, surface mould and mildew as soon as you start to see it appear use one of the following methods:

1. Using a stiff brush, scrub affected timber with warm water with diluted detergent. Rinse thoroughly with clean water and allow to dry.
2. Or, following manufacturer's instructions, use a diluted standard garden fungicide.

### Use of a Pressure Washer

A pressure washer, used with care, can be used to clean the surface of the timber but may cause the grain to "lift" and remove previously applied paint treatments and thus require light sanding, re-painting and re-waterproofing.

Should you choose to use a pressure washer, great care should be taken to ensure the nozzle is not too close to the surface – follow manufacturer's instructions to prevent damage to the timber.

### Life Expectancy of Tanalised Timber

Tanalith E treated timber is expected to last in excess of 10 years where the product is above ground and clear of ground moisture but exterior conditions and general maintenance (or the lack of) can affect and reduce this period. Timbers treated correctly and annually re-treated can last for many more years.