

Professional tip

Partial renovation of oiled surfaces

Wooden surfaces that need to be renovated only in parts, because they were damaged by deep scratches or severe abrasion (for example in case of walkways), can be adjusted in color and gloss to their surrounding areas with help of LIVOS products.

Scratches and small damaged areas

Colorless surfaces

Firstly, grind the area with sandpaper grain size 240 and then 400. After that, polish in the product that you have used initially on the damaged areas and allow to dry for 16 hours. This process is repeated until reaching the gloss level and color shade of the surrounding area. Usually one to three applications are sufficient. The wood changes its color under the influence of light and receives the so called "ageing tone", even when treated with colorless oils. Color deviations in repaired areas adjust relatively quickly.

Colored surfaces

Demarcate damaged areas with tape and then apply the initial product thinly. After 16 hours of drying repeat the treatment if necessary, until obtaining the color shade of the surrounding area. Then polish in KUNOS Floor Maintenance N° 1862 or N° 1893 on the parts that need to be repaired. After 5 hours repeat the treatment if necessary, until obtaining to the gloss level of the surrounding area. Wait 16 hours before mechanically stressing the area.

Scratches on surfaces treated with a water-repellent finish and KUNOS Finishing Oil N° 240

The procedure depends on whether the surface was treated with a colored or colorless product. Depending on the existing coat, treat as described above.

Renovation of big damaged areas

Colorless surfaces

In case of bigger surfaces that need to be renovated, for example walkways, please observe the following instructions:

Gradual roughing with sandpaper grain size 180. As an alternative: Start with grain size 120 or 100, then switch to grain size 120 (150) and then to grain size 180. Before changing to a higher grain size, check the surface carefully against the light on any grinding marks. Pay special attention to edge areas!

Use light abrasive grain for light wood types.

Grinding residues must be thoroughly removed from the repair site after completion of the grinding work.

Apply the product that you used initially. Hereby observe the information on drying times and grain size for the intermediate sanding!

Colored surfaces

Repair walkways etc. with the initial product.

Pre-sanding: Sand the affected area with sandpaper grain size 120.

Coating: Apply the colored product thinly and distribute evenly. After 16 hours drying time repeat the procedure if necessary, until obtaining the color shade of the surrounding area.

Intermediate sanding: Smooth out the surface with sandpaper grain size 320.

Post-treatment: Finally treat the repaired area with KUNOS Floor Maintenance N° 1862 or N° 1893. Repeat treatment until obtaining the gloss level of the surrounding area. Wait 16 hours before mechanically stressing the area.

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