s19ms bench



Above, *s*19*ms* in painted mild steel with oiled finish to wood.

description

Powder coated galvanized mild steel frame with extended tubes for root fixing. Seat surface in iroko hardwood.

dimensions

Length 1800mm, width 617mm, height 500mm.

options

Unfinished timber or micro porous stain.





s19ms Fixing Instructions

(for areas already paved)

- 1 Determine the location for the bench. Remove the pavers and excavate two holes at centres 1500mm to minimum dimensions of L400 x W400 x D550mm. The size of the foundations may vary depending on the ground conditions.
- 2 Place the bench into the holes and position the bench in the holes at the correct height above ground level. Ensure the bench is level and then prop securely.
- 3 Back fill holes with concrete (35N20) leaving sufficient depth for paving slabs and bedding.
- 4 Once set remove props.
- 5 Where necessary cut the paving slabs and reinstate ensuring that they are well bedded in.
- 6 Render neatly around legs with non shrink grout, removing any grout residue.

Foundations

Foundations must be to engineers specification.



Above, fixing details.

s19ms Care and Maintenance Guidelines

The s19ms bench is constructed from painted galvanized mild steel and iroko hardwood. The materials have been selected for their excellent outdoor durability as well as their aesthetic properties. The timber components have had a micro porous woodstain factory applied as a means of preserving the rich colour of the timber and maximising longevity.

Some care is required to maintain the product's original appearance. The extent to which maintenance is required will depend on a number of factors including environmental conditions, construction activity and level of use.

Maintaining the painted galvanized steel frame

The s19 frame is finished in polyester powder, a plastic coating which is baked onto the components prior to assembly. This is a highly durable finish which will last for many years. To maintain the original appearance of the metalwork it should be cleaned regularly using warm soapy water. Avoid the use of abrasive cleaners as they may damage the surface finish.

Should the paint become chipped or scratched it can be touched up using acrylic based paint. If the damage has penetrated the galvanized coating the area should be cleaned with a wire brush and a zinc rich primer should be applied prior to the top coat. For further advice contact Omos on + 353 45 899802.

Maintaining the timber

Sikkens woodstain coatings have been factory applied to this product to preserve the timber's rich colour. Dirt can be removed using mild detergents. In time re-coating will be required to maintain the original colour of the timber. Omos recommends the use of Sikkens products if and when re-coating is necessary.

If the timber is left untreated, over time it will gradually change to a silvery grey colour. The timber will remain structurally sound without further maintenance.

Wood Finishes

Below shows Iroko timber with factory applied micro-porous stain. This finish offers very good resistance to UV rays and provided the coating surface does not become broken the colour will not fade for several years. The coating is however vulnerable to conditions where high moisture and severe cold persist. Such conditions can cause the coating to blister and lift. Where maintenance is required the surface can be re-coated using a brush on version of the coating. Omos provide maintenance instructions for all products.



Below shows Iroko timber untreated and freshly sanded. The inset image to the right shows untreated Iroko after seven years exposure and no maintenance. When untreated the timber beings to fade within weeks of being exposed to sunlight. After a time it goes silvery grey. Despite the difference in appearance, the timber remains structurally sound. If desired the surface can be 'cut' back' using sand paper to reveal the original colour of the timber.

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