# Decking maintenance

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#### CLEANING All decks will benefit from regular brushing with a good stiff broom on a regular basis.

Once a year we recommend you give your deck a thorough cleaning using a gentle pressure spray or a purpose made deck cleaning product which is formulated to remove grease and discolouration. This will remove surface algae which may make the deck more slippery.

#### SPILLS

## Liquid spills should be removed immediately to minimise staining.

If stains occur these can be allowed to gradually fade or they may be minimised with diluted household bleach.



FURNITURE The deck surface will undergo physical wear and tear over time.

To minimise any damage it is recommended that rubber feet should be used on any deck furniture. In addition, any planters, tubs or plant pots should be raised on blocks to allow air circulation and avoid mould growth. The use of metal or plastic trays is recommended to catch and retain any excess liquid when watering plants.

### **CRACKS & AGEING**

Timber is a natural product and the colour will eventually fade to an attractive silver grey.

As deck timbers weather, small cracks are likely to appear on the surface of the boards. These are caused by the intermittent wetting and drying of the wood. This is quite normal and does not affect the structural integrity of the deck.



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