

DRIFTWOOD TEAK TABLES



PRODUCT OVERVIEW:

Our rustic driftwood-gray furniture offers a worn, distressed look made from solid, kiln-dried teak wood. We utilize most of the raw teak including knots, sap wood and other rustic features to recreate a natural character & antiqued feel of each finished piece of furniture.

Even though the teak has been kiln dried, it is solid wood. In an ever changing hot/cold environment with changes in humidity, expect modest splitting, checking and possibly lifting. This is all a natural thing that happens with solid rustic wood. When exposed to the elements, the water-based finish will eventually wear away and uncover the unfinished yellow natural teak underneath, which will then start its own 'natural' weathering process which over time will acquire the silvery-gray patina that is the characteristic of untreated teak when exposed to the outdoors. Please note, during this transition period, the appearance of the furniture will be uneven and blemished, but will develop a uniform silvery -gray patina, same as driftwood found on the beach or lakeside.

FINISH:

Our multi-step distressing & finish starts with a mold & mildew inhibitor, then water-based commercial grade paints and stains are applied to create the driftwood gray color. The wood is then sealed with Golden Care® Teak-Shield. While the furniture requires very little maintenance (see below) we recommend for the end-user to continue applying Teak-Shield to aid the longevity of the finish. To prolong the life of the applied finish even further, we recommend placing the furniture in a covered area. These are recommendations and not requirements.

CARE & MAINTENANCE:

Clean the furniture by adding dish soap to ¼ bucket of warm water and wipe along the grain with a soft cloth. Rinse with water using your garden hose (low pressure) and let dry.

**PLEASE NOTE: Do <u>not</u> apply teak oils, sealers or other products meant for treating raw yellow teak to this driftwood gray 'finished' teak product, as that will interfere with the factory finish.





