

MATERIAL & MAINTENANCE

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BAMBOO

Bamboo is a durable grass species that has been used outdoors for centuries. Unlike wood, bamboo contains no natural oils and requires regular treatment to maintain its appearance. HOUÉ's bamboo is factory-treated with oil and fungicide. To preserve durability and visual appeal, apply HOUÉ OIL Bamboo before use and at regular intervals throughout the season.

MAINTENANCE

CLEANING

- Wipe Bamboo furniture parts regularly with a damp cloth.
- Use a mild soap solution for deeper cleaning, and dry immediately with a clean, soft cloth.
- Avoid using high-pressure washers, as they may damage the bamboo surface.

PRESERVE & PROTECT

- Apply HOUÉ OIL BAMBOO or a suitable wood oil/sealer 3-4 times a year to maintain the bamboo.
- If visible signs of weathering or fungi appear:
 - Make the bamboo surface wet, and scrub with a stiff brush. This cleans deep into the bamboo and removes grime and fungi. A small amount of soap can, if necessary, be used. Sand the surface before reapplying oil.
 - When the bamboo is dry, use a power sander to sand the bamboo, just like a solid wood treatment. Start with a medium-coarse sandpaper, and when the desired removal is achieved, step up to a fine sandpaper to finish the surface. Make sure to sand the bamboo evenly everywhere. Be sure to sand with the grain.
 - After cleaning and sanding, it is important that the surface of the bamboo is sealed immediately with oil again. Apply according to the instructions on the product label, making sure not to apply more than necessary.
 - Let the oil dry and enjoy your bamboo product.

STORAGE

- To extend the life of your furniture, clean and dry it before storing in a well-ventilated, dry location during the off-season or extended periods of non use.
- Ensure the furniture is completely dry before storing to prevent condensation damage.
- Do not cover the bamboo, as trapped condensation can damage the surface.
- Stack chairs gently to avoid scratching the bamboo surfaces.

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WARRANTY

2-YEAR WARRANTY on Bamboo covering structural integrity, and resistance to environmental factors under normal use, weather conditions and maintenance. See HOUÉ Warranty Terms for further information.

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