

# **CASE STUDY**







## **A Satin Finish for Blackbutt**

## Taking care of your timber

Blackbutt is a beautiful native Australian hardwood with an appealing colour palette from cream to pale brown with a hint of pink and a relatively straight and uniform grain pattern. It is commonly used for both structural and exterior applications as well as timber flooring.

Blackbutt is not only appealing to designers and home owners for its aesthetics and incredible durability, it is also a good plantation timber as it is quick to grow and is readily available in New South Wales and Southern Queensland.

This home had 200m<sup>2</sup> of Blackbutt timber flooring that needed protecting, the owner wanted to retain the natural beauty of the wood while achieving a soft silky finish that would work with their contemporary styling.

The contractor chose

Urethane Coatings

Waterkote® Sealer in order
to maintain natural colour
of the timber and finished
with Waterkote® 2K Satin

with **Waterkote® 2K Satin** ensuring the finish the home owner desired.

Once prepared the timber was sealed with WaterKote® Sealer a primer and sealing coat which ensures that subsequent coats remain on the surface therefore maximising the wear layer. The seal coat was followed with 2 coats of WaterKote® 2K Satin resulting in a natural Satin finish.



**WaterKote®** - An effective & durable non-hazardous alternative whilst retaining the hard wearing benefits of a solvent based system



#### WaterKote®- SEALER

### 1 component primer/ first (sealing) coat

- Reduces the risk of edge bonding & tannin bleed
- Retains the natural colour of timber
- Subsequent coats remain on the surface maximising the wear layer

A NEW generation 2 Component water borne polyurethane



# Exceptional flow & levelling

Full cure: 5-7 days after application. Return to service



