

# RESTORATION HARDWARE

## TEAK CARE



Natural Teak



Weathered Teak

### ABOUT TEAK

Teak furniture is an excellent choice for outdoor living and, if properly maintained, will last a lifetime. While teak is virtually impervious to the elements, promising years of loyal service, it does require some maintenance. If you are unable to perform regular maintenance, contact a professional refinisher in your area for assistance.

### CHARACTERISTICS OF TEAK

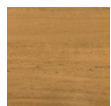
- New natural teak will experience natural oil surfacing. These areas, which look like a watermark, can be removed by gentle washing
- Fabric cushions stained by the natural surfacing of teak oil can be cleaned following the instructions on the Detailed Product Information sheet for each collection.
- Avoid letting water stand on the surface of your furniture and cushions
- Protect your furniture with our custom-fit covers when not in use. Allow furniture to completely air-dry before covering

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- Use a dry, clean cloth to dust your furniture weekly and help maintain its luster
- Thoroughly clean your furniture twice a year
- To clean furniture, spray off any dirt or debris with a hose and wipe dry. Using your garden hose will help to loosen most dirt and debris that has accumulated in corners and crevices. Adjust the nozzle to a fan pattern (as opposed to a small jet stream), and maintain 6"-10" between the nozzle and the surface of the furniture
- For tougher stains, clean with a warm water and mild dishwashing-soap solution. Gently scrub the wood with a soft-bristle brush in the direction of the grain. Rinse thoroughly with water and dry with a soft, clean cloth, making sure all surface water is removed to avoid damage and mildew. Always wipe wood furniture dry after cleaning with water, or any time it gets wet
- Stains, small marks or surface imperfections can be removed from teak by lightly sanding with a fine sandpaper (no less than P120 grit)

*Natural Teak* – Our Natural finish highlights the beauty and grain of solid teak. Due to natural variations in the wood, each product and finish may vary slightly. When exposed to sun and rain, the color of natural teak will soften to a handsome silvery-grey shade within about 1 year. To keep furniture clean and mold-free, and prolong teak's original color, protect pieces with our custom-fit covers when not in use.

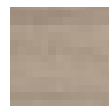
*Teak with a Weathered Grey Finish* – Our Weathered finish is created using a wire brush and pigment applied to the surface of teak, achieving the look of wood exposed to the elements over time. Imperfections such as hairline cracks may be present. If left uncovered, the weathered grey finish will fade away after a season of use. Once the weathered finish fades, exposing unfinished teak to the elements, the furniture will begin to acquire the beautiful silvery-grey patina that is typical of untreated teak. To keep clean and mold-free, and prolong its soft, weathered finish, protect your furniture with our custom-fit covers when not in use.



Natural Teak (New)



Natural Teak (6 months)



Natural Teak (1 year)



Weathered Teak (New)

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### NATURAL TEAK

Antigua Rectangular Teak Dining Table  
Belvedere Collection  
Costa Collection  
Santa Barbara Collection  
Santa Monica Collection

### WEATHERED TEAK

18th C. Teak Wingback Chair  
18th C. English Hall Bench  
19th C. Chippendale Bench  
Early 20th C. Trolley Car Bench  
Suffolk Bench  
Belgian Trestle Concrete & Teak Side Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Concrete & Teak Coffee Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Concrete & Teak Side Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Concrete & Teak Coffee Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Teak Dining Table  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Teak Side Table  
Belgian Trestle Weathered Teak Coffee Table  
English Trestle Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
English Trestle Weathered Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
English Trestle Weathered Teak Dining Table

French Beam Weathered Teak Side Table  
French Beam Weathered Teak Coffee Table  
French Beam Weathered Teak Console  
French Beam Weathered Teak Dining Table  
French Beam Weathered Teak Bar & Counter Tables  
French Beam Concrete & Teak Side Table (base only)  
French Beam Concrete & Teak Coffee Table (base only)  
French Beam Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
French Beam Concrete & Teak Bar & Counter Tables (base only)  
French Beam Weathered Concrete & Teak Side Table (base only)  
French Beam Weathered Concrete & Teak Coffee Table (base only)  
French Beam Weathered Concrete & Teak Dining Table (base only)  
French Beam Weathered Concrete & Teak Bar & Counter Tables (base only)  
Parsons Table  
Weathered Teak Metal Basket Dining Table (tabletop only)  
Belvedere Collection  
Costa Collection  
Kingston Collection  
Leagrave Collection  
Lutyens Bench  
Saltram Collection  
Santa Barbara Collection  
Santa Monica Collection