

**General information of the Winsgate range:**

This piece of furniture was manufactured according to traditional methods out of solid oak wood and oak veneer. Oak wood is a particularly durable kind of foliage wood, which has had an age-long appeal in our interiors. In Particular, the thin grain, the flame design and the varied colour shades provide the furniture with a sound and warm appearance. The piece of furniture has been hand-made specifically to give it an authentic 'used' look. Sides and corners have been rounded and the surface is slightly bowed and irregular so a handcrafted effect is created. This treatment accentuates the unique character of the furniture.

**Characteristics of the Winsgate range:**

The wood, used for your furniture, is a unique product of nature that in the country of origin, after careful selection, is processed in a traditional way. Its characteristics are unique in every way: not one piece of wood is equal in shape, structure or colour. That is why variations in colour shade are inevitable within each piece of furniture. Wind cracks, hairline cracks, roughness and the presence of big and small knots are the result of years of growth and originality. In time the furniture will obtain a lighter and more warm colour through use and exposure to light. Colour differences in comparison to showroom models are therefore to be expected. Your piece of furniture has been finished with furniture oil. Furniture oil offers the wood a limited protection. It accentuates the grain and gives the furniture a richer appearance. Because the oil treatment provides limited protection, you are advised to remove any spillage immediately with a dry cloth or tissue until the surface is dry.

**Maintenance of the Winsgate range:**

For normal maintenance of your piece of furniture always use a soft cotton cloth. When necessary you can use a damp cloth to clean the furniture. Afterwards always dry the furniture with another cloth. To keep the finishing optimal, please oil the furniture twice a year. Always consult your store before treatment and follow the maintenance product instructions advised by your store.

**Recommendations for the Winsgate range:**

- Wood expands and shrinks under the influence of air humidity, the so-called "working of the wood". In order to prevent excessive shrinking and expanding of the wood, the air humidity should ideally be kept between 40% and 60%. Especially in the colder months the indoor air humidity decreases due to decreased ventilation and central heating. Therefore we advise you to fit your central heating radiators with filled water reservoirs.
- It is normal that through the working of wood discolored edges are visible on the side panels and tops. This is a direct result of the construction of the furniture and cannot be avoided. To fix/correct these discolored edges to the original color, you can contact the store to request a correction marker.
- To prevent unnecessary pressure on the connections of the furniture, please place the furniture on an even surface.
- Do not put the furniture near a heat source or in direct sunlight.
- We advise you not to put the furniture in the direct surroundings of an air-conditioning unit.
- When moving the furniture, it is advisable to empty units before lifting them. Dragging could cause damage to both furniture and floor.
- We recommend you use table mats and coasters made of cork or felt under pans, mugs, coffee pots, etc. to prevent damage caused by spills. Do not use table mats or coasters made of plastic, rubber or similar materials that contain plasticizers as this may attack the finish (or lacquer).
- Any spillages should be removed immediately with a dry cloth or tissue till the surface is dry.
- It is advisable to move any surface decoration, especially for the first
- year to prevent local discolouring. It is advisable to protect the surface of the furniture when writing, drawing etc. to prevent possible damage.
- To avoid possible damages to the floor, we advise you to put plastic caps or felt on the legs of the furniture.
- It is possible that the characteristic smell of the wood may be noticeable for a while,

especially in the first weeks. Additional ventilation can speed-up the process.

- Please note that our furniture is guaranteed for indoor domestic use only.
- Please clean your item of furniture with a clean, soft cloth before use. Be particularly thorough when cleaning the edge of the table top in order to remove dust and/or paint remnants that might damage your chairs or clothing.
- We advise you NOT to push chairs up against the table. Leave some space between the table and chairs to avoid creating unsightly depressions or discoloration in the chair backs or armrests.
- Your furniture has been treated with a normal protective coating that does not detract from its natural appearance. If you require better/ optimum protection for intensive daily use, we advise you to apply an extra layer of wood care product on the table tops before and during use. Your retailer stocks this product. Apply the product in accordance with the instructions.

**Recommendations for tables of Winsgate range:**

- We recommend using an extendable table in its extended position initially to avoid any color variations.
- Due to changes in humidity, especially during the winter months, it is possible that this particular table top construction (see picture) will show size differences near the corners. This is a naturally occurring phenomenon and is not due to poor construction quality.

**Recommendations for chests of the Winsgate range:**

- In most cases the force necessary to open chest doors with magnet catchers can be adjusted.
- We urgently recommend installing some type of 'fall' protection for all tall furniture for reasons of safety. This will prevent the furniture from tilting and/or falling forward. This can be done by installing 1 or 2 brackets above the furniture piece (available at any home improvement centre) by mounting them with a plug and screw of sufficient size onto the wall. Make sure to pre-drill the wood to prevent splitting.
- Standard weight indication (if needed): for equal weight (loads):  
Maximum allowable weight for wood shelves is 20 kg.  
Maximum allowable weight for glass shelves is 10 kg.  
Maximum allowable weight per drawer is 10 kg.

**Specific recommendations for furniture with (adjustable) sliding nails:**

Usually there are plastic caps fitted for the protection of the floor. Before putting the chairs on the floor, please check these caps. These caps are selected with great care, however, it occasionally happens that a nail has not sunk in deep enough. This can damage the floor. The quality of the caps has to be checked regularly. If you have any concerns after the checking, please contact your store.



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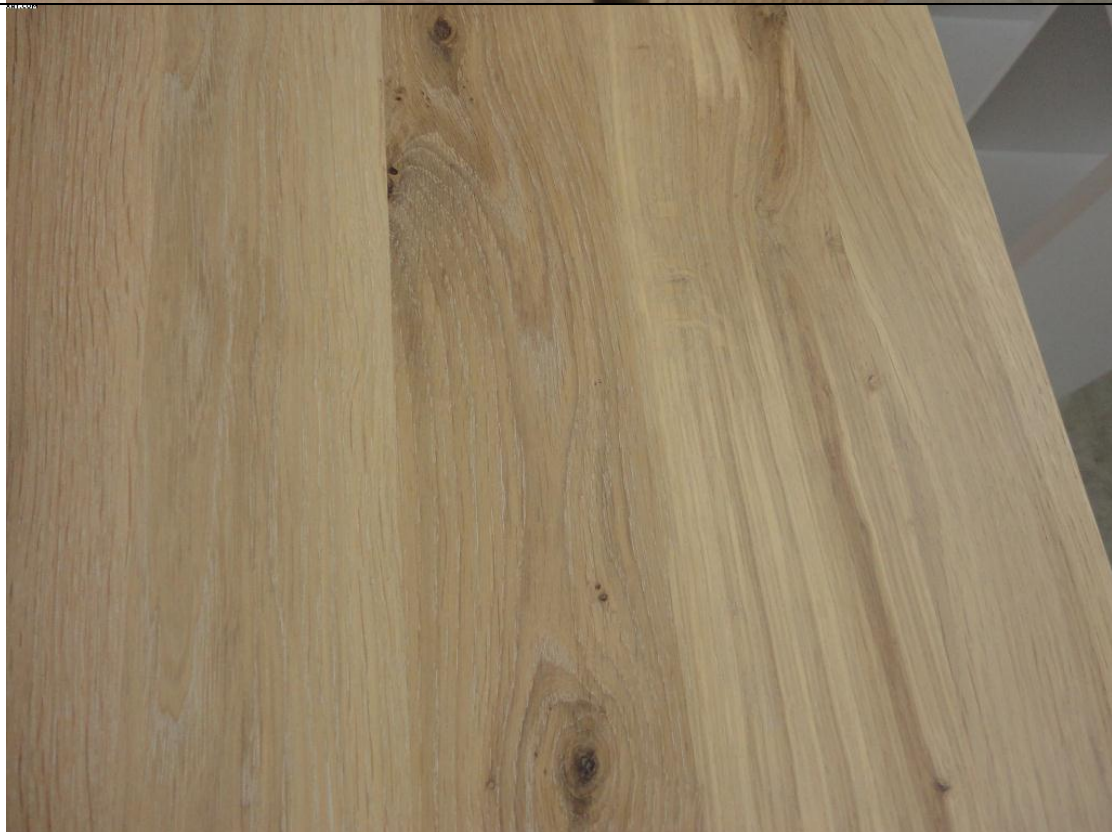
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Adjustable shelf support with silicon dampers to avoid damage to the glass shelf.



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Key plate

Key



Adjustable wheel for sliding door. By the use of this it can open and close more easy





Lock for taking door out of sliding rail, when pushed up it is fixed, when pushed down door can be removed. (this picture is down to remove door)



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Soft closing system for sliding doors.



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Halogen light



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On/Off switch