





# LEATHER MATE

## Award Winning Leather Cream

*(World's number one selling leather cream)*



**FIVE TIME WINNER**

**OF THE PRESTIGIOUS ITALIAN PRODUCT  
QUALITY AWARD**

Although leather is easy to care for, it is not indestructible. Factors such as age, sunlight, perspiration, environmental conditions and everyday wear and tear cause leather to dry out. To maintain its appearance and other desirable qualities, leather requires regular care. This is best accomplished by treating the leather as we would our own skin; taking care to keep it clean and moisturised.

Leather Mate cleans, nourishes, protects and shines all smooth leathers with no restriction on colour in a single, fast and easy application. Leather Mate dries quickly without leaving any sticky or greasy residue and will not mark your clothing or fabrics. Ideally, apply Leather Mate to newly purchased items before you begin using them and at regular intervals thereafter.

Leather Mate is suitable for an extremely wide range of applications including most finished leathers, vinyl, rubber, plastic and even unfinished woods. Due to the wide range of modern materials, manufacturing methods and chemicals used in producing leather and imitation leather goods, it is always wise to test Leather Mate on a small inconspicuous area.

### Instructions

1. Open the jar and remove the sponge.
2. Remove the inner seal and scrape any product off the seal back into the jar. Retain the inside clear plastic cover. If the oil and wax are separated replace the seal and shake the contents well. Note: Leather Mate only requires shaking if the contents have separated.
3. Touch the end of a clean, dry sponge into the Leather Mate. Scrape all of the excess back into the jar so that the sponge is moistened, but with no excess visible.
4. Using the moist end of the sponge apply sparingly. When more product is needed, repeat the above steps.
5. When you have finished using Leather Mate, wash the sponge under warm water (do not use any soap or chemicals as these may harm your leather goods). Replace the inner seal, put the top back onto the Leather Mate jar and seal tightly. Allow the sponge to air dry and return it to its position in the inner seal ready for future use. Let the sponge dry completely before using Leather Mate again.

### Important note on frequency of use:

In general, Leather Mate should not be needed any more than once every 1-2 weeks.

For furniture and car interiors, once every 6 months is usually sufficient.

In between applications, simply wipe with a damp cloth and the previous shine and finish should return. This gives a better result and increases product life.

### Leather Mate Applications

#### Footwear

Leather Mate's neutral leather cream is suitable for smooth finished leather or vinyl of any colour. One quick and easy application will clean and nourish your shoes, promote water resistance and protect against staining and scuffing, leaving a great shine without buffing-all with minimal effort and no mess. The sponge applicator makes it easy to treat the entire shoe, including the heel and rim.

#### Leather Furniture

Leather Mate was invented in Milan almost 40 years ago to meet the requirements of the Italian leather furniture industry. It nourishes and protects leather against colour fading, staining and scuffing. Leather Mate is suitable for most leather or vinyl furniture, is quick and easy to use and dries rapidly after application. Once dry, it will not rub off onto clothes or skin and will not become tacky due to body heat or warm climates. Always test light colours or very soft leathers on an inconspicuous spot before use.

#### Automotive

Leather Mate helps to protect against sun damage, colour fading, staining and general wear and tear. It can be used on leather or vinyl upholstery, dashboards, steering wheels, plastic and even car tyres. Dashboards will be left with a smooth dry protective finish that is not oily or sticky and will not attract dust.

#### Accessories - Handbags, Luggage, Briefcases etc.

Leather Mate prolongs the life of handbags by keeping the leather nourished so that the straps don't dry out or crack, bag bottoms resist scuffing and colour loss and leathers do not pick up dirt from regular use. In general, Leather Mate keeps accessories looking new and professional for longer.