# CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Every Woodline shade solution is meticulously engineered to maximize not just their form and functions, but also to make sure that they outlast even the harshest conditions. Each item is crafted from the finest marine grade weather-resistant materials, specifically selected for their ability to endure. Though our shade solutions are built to last, the relentless and extreme nature of the outdoors dictates that proper care and maintenance will always extend the lifespan of any item.

#### **FRAMES**

Constructed from the finest quality aluminum, high grade stainless steel and durable and sustainable eucalyptus timber. Our frames have been tested in some of the world's most inhospitable environments and have only ever benefited from the appropriate application of caution and common sense in excessive wind conditions.

We advocate the use of our cover bags to prolong the life of the canopy frames and their covering fabrics. We recommend the closure and safe storage of any collapsible and removable components when the parasol is not in use or when winds are expected to exceed 24.8 mph (40 km/h).

## WOODEN COMPONENTS

We only use sustainable eucalyptus timber hand-picked for its strength, weath-er-resistance, and replenishment efficiency from the world's finest FSC-accredited plantations and timber mills. Our wooden components are treated with marine yacht varnish to fortify them for outdoor living.

We recommend the periodic care of wooden components with a light sanding and reapplication of the varnish coating once a year to maintain the natural beauty of the wood.

### **FITTINGS**

All fittings, nuts, bolts, pulleys and cleat components are made with high grade stainless steel and weatherproof nylon. Maintaining these fittings and components is imperative to the longevity and the proper operation of the shade system. A simple occasional fresh water rinsing will help keep them working well and looking good.

## **BASES**

It is essential to pick the right base for your parasol, talk to our sales team to ensure that the parasol you choose has the appropriate base to keep it anchored properly.

### **FABRICS**

Our canopies and fabric covers are made from the most durable, colorfast, and dirt-repellent fabrics in the world. That said, proper care such as storage when not in use and cleaning from time to time will undoubtedly extend their lifespan.













WIND GUIDELINES

\*The umbrella should always be closed during very windy conditions. As with all umbrellas, common sense wind guidelines prevail: if it is too windy to enjoy sitting outside under the umbrella, the umbrella structure should be lowered, folded and secured with the strap.

\*When unattended, the umbrella structure should always be left in the closed position with the canopy folded properly, securely strapped with the cover bag placed over the umbrella.

\*The umbrella structure must always be lowered, properly folded and strapped during heavy rains, thunderstorms, hail or any other severe weather conditions. Always anticipate to give time to properly fold the canopy, as during severe conditions if not folded properly, the fabric may become damaged.

\*If very extreme weather conditions are anticipated, the umbrella structure should first be lowered, folded properly, strapped and placed in the cover bag. Then the entire umbrella structure should be removed from the base and stored in a clean, dry location.

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