

Fancy fencing

Mark Rayner breathes new life into old trellis with a thorough clean and a simple paint job.

YOU WILL NEED:

- Resene Moss & Mould Killer
- Garden sprayer
 - Old trellis
- · Resene Paint Prep and Housewash
 - Bucket
- Stiff-bristled brush
- · Hose (access to clean running water)
 - Sandpaper
- Resene Rust-Arrest
- Resene Quick Dry
- Resene Lumbersider
- tinted to Resene Alabaster
- Drill with 4mm drill bit · 100mm galvanised timber
- screws with washers
- · Ratchet (or small spanner) for fixing screws
 - Paintbrushes
 - · Resene Mineral Turpentine



STEP 1

Mix one part Resene Moss & Mould Killer to five parts clean water and fill the garden sprayer with the diluted solution.



Generously soak the wooden trellis with the solution and leave for 48 hours.



STEP 3

Mix one part Resene Paint Prep and Housewash to three parts water.



STEP 4

Scrub the solution vigorously into the trellis using a stiff-bristled brush.



STEP 7

Spot prime any areas of bare wood with one coat of Resene Quick Dry and allow two hours to dry.



STEP 10

Fix the trellis in place with 100mm galvanised screws and washers, as shown.



STEP 5

Allow the trellis to remain wet for 10 to 15 minutes and then rinse thoroughly with clean water. Allow to dry.



STEP 8

Apply two coats of Resene Alabaster to the trellis, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.



STEP 11

Paint the screw heads with two coats of Resene Alabaster, allowing two hours for each coat to dry.



STEP 6

If necessary, sand any areas of rust and spot prime any metal nail heads with Resene Rust-Arrest. Allow to dry for 24 hours.



STEP 9

Place the trellis in position and drill several pilot holes, as shown, along the edge and base of the trellis.

Other ideas:

For a warm green effect, paint the trellis with Resene Lumbersider tinted to Resene Clover.



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