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Triton supplied:

Tripaste 'mayonnaise' wood preservative



TRIPASTE RESTORES ANNE OF CLEVES' HOUSE

Archers Specialist Treatments used Triton's Tripaste to treat original roof rafters in the historic Anne of Cleves House in Lewes, Sussex. The house is a 15th Century timber-framed Wealden hall house that formed part of Anne's divorce settlement from Henry VIII in 1541.

The treatment was specified by architects, Carden & Godfrey as part of extensive repairs to the roof of the property to halt water ingress. Archers worked in just one elevation of the roof where there were areas of wet rot as well as evidence of active Death Watch Beetle infestation. Because the architect wanted to avoid removal of the original timbers, Archers bolted new timbers alongside those damaged by the rot and infestation and carefully defrassed the originals before treatment.





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Triton Tripaste is a deep penetrating, heavy bodied "mayonnaise" wood preservative which gives long term protection against wood destroying wet rot fungi and dry rot and eradicates and protects against common furniture beetle, house longhorn beetle and death watch beetle. It is particularly suitable for the treatment of wood which is difficult to penetrate by conventional spraying, and for when deep penetration is required (as is for the eradication of death watch beetle or house longhorn beetle attack).

Tripaste contains two of the most widely used materials for wood preservation, namely Permethrin as the insecticide and tri-hexylene glycol biborate as the fungicide. It is supplied ready for use.

Archers Specialist Treatments have been established for 25 years and specialise in all types of damp proofing and timber treatment as well as basement waterproofing. They are based in East Sussex but work throughout London and the South East.

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The house was part of Anne of Cleves's divorce settlement from Henry VIII in 1541

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