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GILDERS CUSHION - PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Product Description

A gilder's cushion is a traditional professional tool used to prepare, cut and handle loose metal leaf during gilding. The padded working surface provides a controlled area for laying out leaf before it is cut with a gilder's knife and lifted with a gilder's tip.

Typical Applications

• Handling and cutting loose genuine gold leaf, silver leaf and other loose metal leaf.

• Traditional oil gilding, water gilding, restoration, signwriting and decorative gilding.

• Suitable for workshop, studio and on-site gilding work.

Key Features

Construction	Padded cushion designed to provide a smooth, stable working surface for loose leaf.
Use with	Gilder's knife and gilder's tip.
Leaf types	Suitable for loose gold, silver and other loose metal leaf.
Variants	Wrights of Lymm supply standard and professional gilder's cushions; specifications may vary by model.

Care and Handling

• Keep the cushion clean, dry and free from dust, grease, size and paint contamination.

• Use only a clean, smooth gilder's knife on the working surface.

• Avoid cutting into or puncturing the cushion surface.

• Store flat in a clean, dry place and protect the surface when not in use.

• Loose leaf is extremely light; minimise draughts and sudden air movement while working.

Safety

The cushion itself is not classified as a hazardous product. Use care when working with sharp gilder's knives and follow normal workshop safety practices. Keep tools safely stored when not in use.

Product Information

Product dimensions, materials and construction can vary between cushion models. Please refer to the current Wrights of Lymm product listing or contact us for the specification of the exact cushion being supplied.

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