

Maintenance Instructions Heterogeneous Vinyl Sheet with PUR

Initial Care

After installation is completed:

1. Remove all debris (electrostatic mop or vacuum)
2. Damp mop using pH 7.0-8.5 neutral cleaner

Allow 48 hours before carrying out the following:

1. Mop using electrostatic dust mop or vacuum
2. Damp mop or light scrub if necessary. Wet scrub using automatic scrubbing machine or single disc polisher ≤ 600 RPM (use bassine brush, red or blue pad) and neutral floor cleaner. Rinse clean.
3. Dry burnish – burnishing should only be carried out on a clean floor using a single disc straight line polisher up to 1700RPM, use white pad only (this process enhances floor protection).
4. Spray burnish if desired using neutral floor cleaner.

Dilute chemicals to appropriate levels for each application as per instructions on container.

Routine Care

Daily: Sweep, vacuum, static mop. Regularly damp mop, wet scrub and burnish; use pH 7.0-8.5 neutral cleaner. Frequency and type of maintenance required depends on traffic flow, application, environmental conditions and customer requirements. **Light** and **accent colors** can require more maintenance, where practical choose darker, more camouflaging colors.

Daily

- Sweep, static dust/microfibre mop, vacuum thoroughly to remove all dirt and dust.

Daily / Regular:

- Damp Mop (Nylon/Rayon/Microfibre)

Regular:

- Spot scrub edges & fixtures using soft bristled broom and neutral floor cleaner.

Regular: Large & unobstructed areas

- Wet scrub using automatic scrubbing machine or single disc polisher ≤ 600 RPM (use medium/soft nylon bristle brush, red or blue pad) and neutral floor cleaner. Rinse clean.
- Dry burnish clean floor using a single disc straight line polisher up to 1700RPM (spray burnish if desired using neutral floor cleaner.). Use white pad only.

Protection:

Use walk-off mats that are as wide as the doorway entrances and long enough (min 3 average paces) to trap dirt before reaching the resilient floor. Ensure that walk-off mats are cleaned frequently.

Sand and grit are abrasive and can damage floors; stopping dirt at the entrance means less dirt trafficked through the building, protecting your investment and helping keep maintenance costs down.

Ensure all furniture legs have well maintained non-abrasive feet. Exposed metal legs can damage flooring.

Rubber products such as tyres and mats can stain flooring, do not leave these items sitting on the floor.

Stain Removal:

Treatment should be carried out when stains are fresh, immediately remove contaminant. Spot clean with a neutral floor cleaner using soft nylon brush. After stains have been removed, rinse floor with clean water and allow to dry.

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General Hints

1. DO NOT USE: Acidic, caustic or solvent agents such as toilet bowl cleaner, paint stripper, benzene, toluol, acetone or strong scouring powders, as these will damage the floor. Use pH 7.0-8.5 neutral cleaner) only.
2. Adhesive residue may be removed using a clean white cloth dampened with small amounts of mineral turps, carefully following warnings on container, immediately rinse with clean water (test in inconspicuous area first)
3. Auto scrubbing in unobstructed areas takes approximately 20% of the time of damp mopping. For maximum efficiency use damp mopping in obstructed areas only.
4. Spot mopping / spot scrubbing should be used when necessary. **Spillages** – post wet floor signs and wipe up immediately. Allow to dry and remove signs.

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