

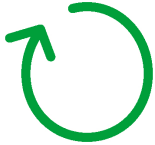


General conditions of storage, installation, use and maintenance of the product

The delivered product must be stored, installed, used and maintained in dry and protected place, with temperature between 5°C and 35°C and relative humidity between 40% and 70%.

We don't accept any liability arising from non-compliance with this recommendation.

In particular for cleaning and maintenance we advise to rely on specialized firms.



Panel cleaning

Once the floor panels have been laid, pay particular attention to the initial cleaning depending on the properties of the finishing. If the finishing is supplied with a polyurethane protective finish (each manufacturer uses its own terminology), in order to avoid damaging its upper layer, neither an initial de-wax nor successive waxings are necessary. The initial clean should be carried out as follows:

- remove any remaining dirt or dust left from the building work by using a vacuum cleaner, broom or dry cloth;
- if the dirt is not excessive, use a mop (well wrung-out) which has been soaked in a solution of water and small amount of neutral product. If the dirt is substantial it is advisable to contact the manufacturer of the finishing.

If the finishing is not supplied with a polyurethane protective finish, the cleaning should be carried out as follows:

- de-wax the surface, this is necessary in order to remove the protective layer applied by the manufacturer. This should be carried out by using single brush floor polisher at 150 turns/min with the red or blue disc and a specific de-waxer. Leave the solution to act for a short time on the surface and then remove it with a liquid vacuum (making sure to clean the disc frequently during this operation);
- carefully rinse the surface with a liquid vacuum;
- apply a layer of sealing wax, spreading it with a single brush wax applicator with a black disc;
- apply a layer of protective acrylic wax (metalizing wax) in two light coats, allow at least two hours between each coat.

When waxing, pay particular attention to the choice of wax since it can significantly influence the properties of the vinyl finishing. There are specific products on the market which do not change the electrical properties of the finishing if static dissipative. If conductive it is highly inadvisable to use any type of wax product. In the event of use in the health sector, there are products available which are resistant to disinfectants. In any case, it is good practice to refer to or directly contact the manufacturer of the finishing for advice.

Normal every day cleaning of waxed surfaces consists of passing a vacuum cleaner over the floor's surface. Normal cleaning of surfaces that are not protected by wax consists of cleaning the floor with a mop (well wrung-out) which has been soaked in a solution of water and small amount of neutral product.



Maintenance tips

The following are generally recommended:

- avoid continuous concentrated weights on the same area (rubber wheels of furniture, seats, cars) which may leave permanent marks on the floor;
- remove as soon as possible any stains to avoid discoloration over time and any dirt to avoid abrasive scratches on the surface;
- do not use sponges or abrasive additives during the clearing process;
- for excessive dirt it is advisable to consult the finishing manufacturer;
- after cleaning always avoid leaving water or other liquids on the surface and/or between the joints in the panels that, if absorbed, may damage the floor.