

QUANTUM

RECOMMENDED MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

Initial Care:

After installation is completed:

1. Remove all debris (electrostatic mop or vacuum).

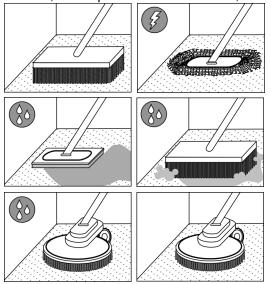
2. Damp mop using Armstrong Flooring **Once 'n Done** Floor Cleaner (*or similar pH 7.0-8.5 neutral cleaner). Allow 48 hours before carrying out the following:

- 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 <a>600RPM and Armstrong Flooring **Once 'n Done*** Floor Cleaner.
- 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 Armstrong Flooring **Once 'n Done*** 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 **Once 'n Done** Floor Cleaner (*or similar 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 colours** can require more maintenance, where practical choose darker, more camouflaging colours.



Daily:

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

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FLOORING

Daily / Regular:

• Damp Mop (Nylon/Rayon/Microfibre)

Regular:

• Spot scrub edges & fixtures using soft bristled broom and **Once 'n Done** Floor Cleaner *.

Regular: Large & unobstructed areas,

- Wet Scrub using automatic scrubbing machine or single disc polisher <a>600RPM (use medium nylon brush, red or blue pad) and Once 'n Done Floor Cleaner *.
- Dry Burnish clean floor using a single disc straight line polisher up to 1700 RPM (Spray burnish if desired using **Once 'n Done** Floor Cleaner. Use white pad only (3M[™] TopLine Speed Burnish Pad 3200 or similar).

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 chair feet, tyres & mats can stain flooring, <u>do not</u> leave these in contact with flooring. **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.

Warnings & General Hints

- 1. DO NOT USE: Highly acidic, alkali, caustic or solvent agents such as hydrochloric/sulfamic acid, toilet bowl cleaner, paint stripper, benzine, toluol, acetone or strong scouring powders, as these will damage the floor.
- 2. All vinyl flooring should be protected during the construction period.
- 3. 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)
- 4. Auto scrubbing in unobstructed areas takes approximately 20% of the time of damp mopping. For maximum efficiency use damp mopping in obstructed areas only.
- 5. Spot mopping / spot scrubbing should be used when necessary. **Spillages** post wet floor signs and wipe up immediately. Allow to dry and remove signs.