



**Damp sweeping equipment**

Flexible mop preferably fitted with disposable, antistatic and/or pre-impregnated gauze strips



**Mechanical cleaning equipment**

Auto scrubber, rotocleaner or single-brush machine


















**Mechanical cleaning disk**

3M (or equivalent) colour disks



**Single disk machine**

	Equipment used	Cleaning products	Cleaning methods
<p><b>Initial treatment</b></p> <p>Manual cleaning <b>OR</b> Mechanical cleaning</p>	  	Neutral (pH 6-8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Damp sweeping</li> <li>Mechanical washing with red disk at 160 - 180 rpm (with water recovery)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rinsing</li> </ul> </li> <li>Application of redispersible detergent               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acrylic Emulsion polishing (300 - 1000 rpm)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Daily cleaning</b></p> <p>Manual cleaning <b>OR</b> Mechanical cleaning</p>	  	<p>Neutral</p> <p>Floor maintainer</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Damp sweeping</li> <li>Mechanical washing with red disk at 160 - 180 rpm (with water recovery)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Weekly cleaning</b></p> <p>Mechanical cleaning</p>	  	Spray cleaner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spray buffing with a beige or red disk at 300 - 1.000 rpm</li> </ul>
<p><b>Deep cleaning</b></p> <p>Manual cleaning <b>OR</b> Mechanical cleaning</p>	  	Intensive clean agent (pH <9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Damp sweeping</li> <li>Mechanical washing with red disk at 160 - 180 rpm (with water recovery)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rinsing</li> <li>Dry polishing</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Reconditioning</b></p> <p>Acrylic Emulsions Floors</p>	  	<p>Stripper (pH &gt;9)</p> <p>Acrylic emulsion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Damp sweeping               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stripping</li> <li>Rinsing</li> </ul> </li> <li>Application of acrylic emulsion in 2 crossed layers, respecting the drying time between each layers</li> </ul>

*These cleaning instructions have to be adapted depending on traffic and location of the area.*

## PRECAUTIONS FOR USE



- Never use abrasive disks or any procedure that risks damaging the surface treatment (abrasive products, solvents, etc.).
- Never use rubber caps (for chair legs or other furniture); instead, use PVC or Polyethylene caps.

## STAIN REMOVAL DURING WORKS

### Paint mark removal

- Do not use abrasive cleaning equipment (e.g. Scotch Brite, scouring pads, steel wool, etc.).
- Use the solvent for the paint if known. If the solvent is not known, start with solvents such as Essence C, White Spirit, etc. before trying stronger solvents such as Taraclean spray. If the stain proves hard to remove, do not persist.
- Wipe and rinse the floor thoroughly after applying the solvent.

### On paint drips

A freeze spray will yield excellent results when paint has formed a drip on the material (freeze sprays can be bought from cleaning product manufacturers or in pharmacies).

### On adhesive marks

- Fresh acrylic adhesive marks (< 1 month)  
Apply a water-based solution with added cleaning product, leave to act and mechanically clean and rinse the floor.
- Dried acrylic adhesive marks (> 1 month)  
Use Essence C or White Spirit. Wipe and rinse the floor thoroughly after applying the solvent.
- Solvent adhesive marks  
Use strong solvents (such as Taraclean spray), but do not persist if the adhesive marks are difficult to remove (as may happen with solvent-resistant cross-linked adhesives).

## TIPS AND ADVICE FOR STAIN REMOVAL

### Rust

Apply an anti-rust product or oxalic acid. Rinse thoroughly.

### Food grease/paint/ballpoint pen/felt-tip pen/heavy grease (tar)

Apply a solvent such as Essence C or White Spirit. Rub with undiluted product and rinse with plenty of water.

### Rubber marks/Shoe marks

Apply an alkaline detergent (such as Dynatech Trophy) to shoe marks. Leave to act for 5 minutes. Rub.

### Chewing-gum

Use a freeze spray to harden the chewing gum, and then remove it with a plastic spatula (freeze sprays can be bought from cleaning product manufacturers or in pharmacies).