

MAINTENANCE



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MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION AND REPARATION

(Floors finished with lacquer)

This leaflet is intended to provide general comments and recommendations because of the wide variety of possible installation and/or wearing problems occurred. For any hesitations, a detailed report about the installation and it's required maintaining, repairing or renovating should be sent to our technical advisory service which will recommend the procedures to follow.

MAINTENANCE MATERIALS AVAILABLE AT VOLUNTA MARKET

- Maintenance oil
- Maintenance Paste
- Neutral soap
- Wood Cleaner (Intensive cleaner)

GENERAL NOTE

- Place door mats inside and outside the front door to stop dirt and grit being walked in, which can cause considerable wear.
- Put protective pads on furniture (not metal feet, which mark wood floors) to avoid unnecessary pressure marks and scratches on the floor.
- In case of heavy local wear and tear, e.g. by wheel chairs, it is recommended to lay a protective mat made of transparent plastic (e.g. PVC).
- Wood floors expand and contract depending on the ambient climate. To counteract excessive movement, and consequential damage to the floor, maintain a normal room temperature and a relative humidity of 40–60% and temperature between 18° and 24°.

MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Cleaning

- For daily cleaning, use dry methods such as vacuuming. When necessary, damp-clean the floor with a well wrung-out mop/floor cloth. The floor must only become slightly damp. The film of water formed in this way must dry within one minute.
- For the best cleaning results, use neutral soap. If you use another cleaner, ensure that it is pH neutral (maximum pH8). Do not allow spilt water to be left on the floor.
- The frequency of damp-cleaning depends on how much the floor is used and how soiled it gets. Regularly cleaning the floor prevents dirt from adhering to the oiled surface.

Removing marks

- Remove marks as soon as possible using the neutral soap or Intensive Cleaner or another neutral cleaner.

RENOVATION INSTRUCTIONS

Partial renovation

- If a small area has been damaged or worn through, or needs repair for any other reason, this is best achieved by replacing the damaged boards.

Total renovation of wood floors

- If the floor is worn and cannot be repaired, or needs renovation for some other reason, it can be machine-sanded to bare wood and treated again to give a new surface.
- The surface can be treated with lacquer or natural oil.



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