

## SPC Cleaning Instructions

### Cleaning & Maintenance Post Installation:

- Floors should only be swept or vacuumed and not wet cleaned until adhesive has fully cured – Refer adhesive manufacturers advisory.
- Do not place heavy items on floor until adhesive has fully cured. Protective non-staining wide bearing casters or felt pads should be placed underneath all furniture and floor protector mats should be used at major work zones.
- Place walk-off mats at all external entrances to reduce grit and particle transfer onto vinyl floors. Note: rubber based products can stain.
- Provide responsible cleaning person/s with correct tools and methods for daily vinyl floor care: Micro-fibre broom, vacuum, brush, vinyl floor cleaning solution.
- Secure a few spare planks in a safe and flat location in case damaged planks needs to be replaced in years to come.

### Daily, Weekly Cleaning Programme

- Sweep or vacuum daily to remove dust and grit from the surface.
- When required complete a wet clean using your micro-fibre broom, dedicated vinyl floor cleaner and a bucket of room temperature water to rinse.

With a slightly damp micro-fibre broom, brush the floor from one corner to the next regularly checking the broom for uplifted dirt. As soon as dirt is transferred to the brooms cleaning pad, it is time to rinse. DO NOT CONTINUE to brush the floor with a dirty pad as this will just move the dirt from one side to the next causing streaks and a grey build-up of dirt around the peripheral of the room.

DO NOT USE EXCESSIVE WATER as this can result in a floor failure. DO NOT USE any harsh / abrasive cleaners, chemicals, dish washing liquid or waxes as these will negatively impact your vinyl floor and possibly ruin the surface.

- Maintain pet nails to minimise surface scratching.
- Rugs should be moved around from time to time to prevent fade patterns occurring.
- Clean floor protectors and casters regularly to prevent capture of sand particles and other such debris that can cause scratching.

## General Care & Maintenance

- Sweep or vacuum daily using soft bristle attachments.
- Clean up spills and excessive liquids immediately.
- Damp mop as needed and use cleaners recommended for non-wax vinyl floors.
- Protect floor from constant direct sunlight.
- Use proper floor protection devices such as felt protectors under furniture and a mat at entrance way
- Make sure pets have nails clipped regularly.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners, bleach or wax to maintain floor.
- Do not drag or slide heavy objects across the floor

## Suggested Tools For The Job



### Microfiber Dust Broom

The perfect broom to clean most hard surface floors applying minimal moisture and relying on the unique cleaning attributes of the microfiber. Easy manoeuvrability under low lying furniture with its swivel head. The perfect support tool in cleaning and maintaining hard surface floors.



### Karcher Hard Floor Cleaner FC5

Premium residential Floor Cleaner FC 5 you can mop effortlessly without the hassle of vacuuming in advance: It has a convenient two-in-one function, wet and dry dirt can be mopped and suctioned in a single step. The rotating and automatically dampened microfiber rollers always remain fresh and ready to use, because the self-cleaning function continuously suctions the water-dirt mixture from the rollers as it is taken up from the floor. The FC 5 can be used on any hard floor made of wood, stone or plastic.



### Karcher BR 30/4 C Professional Compact Scrubber Drier

For residential or smaller commercial areas this unit is manoeuvrable like an upright-vacuum. Compared to a mop it has much more cleaning effort due to 10-times more contact pressure to the floor. The machine is drying forward and backwards. Unit has options for various types of roller brushes especially effective in cleaning floor types with deep grooves or wire-brush textures.