

Maintenance Manual

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GB ACOUSTICS products are extremely durable and require little attention to maintain their good looks. Light dusting on a regular basis will prevent dust build up and most marks can be cleaned with a mild detergent solution followed by rinsing and blotting. Stains should be dealt with according to the chart below.

Before carrying out a proposed cleaning method, apply to a concealed section to ensure it will not affect the product or adhesive. Avoid cleaning methods that create severe abrasion.

NB: Solvent and mineral based cleaners should be used sparingly to avoid possible degradation of the adhesive adhering the product to the substrate.

professional cleaning methods

Stain	Treatment Guide
Blood	A C
Burn/Scorch Mark	K
Chewing Gum	I B D C
Chocolate	B D C
Cooking Oils	B D C
Crayon/Colour Markers	B D C
Drinks	A C
Dust/Dirt	Vacuum, then J or C
Excrement	B C
Grass	C
Grease	B D C
Ink (ballpoint)	D E
Ink (fountain)	A C
Lipstick	B E C D
Mildew	C
Milk	A E
Mud	B C
Nail Polish	A G
Oil	B D C
Paint (water based)	A F C
Paint (oil based)	A H D C
Sauces	B C D
Shoe Polish	B C D
Urine	A C
Vomit	A C D
Wine	A, Add Salt, C

Key

- A Mop up excess as soon as possible with a sponge or cloth.
- B Remove surplus with a knife edge or appropriate instrument.
- C Sponge with a solution of carpet shampoo working from well outside the stain in a circular motion towards the centre (this avoids spreading the stain). Sponge afterwards with clean warm water and mop excess moisture with a clean dry cloth or sponge. Allow to dry then brush gently with a soft brush. If any stain remains, sponge with a solution of one part household bleach to six parts clear water. Thoroughly rinse after treatment.
- D Lightly sponge with household dry cleaning fluid and blot. Apply sparingly, as the substance may have an adverse effect on the adhesive.
- E Sponge with methylated spirits and blot dry.
- F Lubricate the stain with glycerine or petroleum jelly.
- G Apply nail polish remover. The nail polish remover should not include lanolin or be of a greasy nature.
- H Sponge with turpentine (or substitute).
- I Freeze with ice cubes and scrape away while cold.
- J Clean with regular extractive carpet cleaner (if possible).
- K Use circular cutter and remover damaged portion. Re-glue new piece into place.