

# Maintenance Guides

## Rigid Core Vinyl (SPC)

There are two basic maintenance options on rigid core vinyl flooring:

### Domestic maintenance

The floor should be swept or vacuumed on a regular basis. Dirt spots and liquids should be cleaned up as soon as possible with water. For a complete clean, use a PU cleaner with damp mop and a neutral detergent. Follow this by rinsing with clean water.

The use of residential steam mops on this product is allowed. Use at the lowest power setting with a suitable soft pad, and do not hold a steam mop on one spot for an extended period (longer than 5 minutes). Refer to your steam mop's manufacturer instructions for recommended usage.

### Commercial Maintenance

The domestic maintenance can also be used in commercial spaces but, for larger areas, a spray and floor buffer can be used. After an initial clean, apply two light coats of a high-quality commercial floor finish. The floor can then be spray buffed using a polishing machine at low settings.

### Preventative measures

We encourage the use of protective door mats to prevent the entry of grit and sand. We also recommend you use floor protectors on the bottom of furniture to prevent scratching or marking. Do not drag or slide heavy objects across your floor.

Place a mat at outside entrances to reduce the amount of dirt brought into your home. Do not use mats with a latex or rubber backing as these can cause permanent discoloration to your floor.

**N.B.** Do not use abrasive cleaners, bleach, or wax to maintain your floor.

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