



UV-CURED ALUMINUM OXIDE COATINGS

As taken from manufacturer's maintenance information

As with any wood flooring or paneling product:

- Keep interior living temperature 60–80°F and humidity levels between 40–60%
- High heels, dog claws, and dirt/sand on the bottom of shoes damages hardwood floors
- Use mats at exterior doors to collect dirt and grit
- Area rugs may be used in locations with excessive and continuous high traffic
- Protective pads should be used under all furniture where it contacts the floor

To maximize protection and sustain the beauty of the surface, it is imperative that the appropriate products be used to maintain the finish. Below are the manufacturer's recommendations which apply to flooring and paneling.

CLEANING:

DO NOT USE ANY CLEANING SOLUTIONS, SOAPS, OR CHEMICALS TO MAINTAIN THIS FINISH OTHER THAN THOSE LISTED HERE.

- Remove spills promptly with a damp sponge and a dry towel.
- Sweep, dust mop, or vacuum regularly—daily for commercial or high-traffic residential floors.
- Clean with **Bona Hardwood Floor Cleaner** using a damp cloth or towel. For stubborn areas or stains, allow wood cleaner to stand for up to five minutes.
- Avoid over-washing floors. DO NOT use wax-based or mineral oil-based products. DO NOT use excessive amounts of water. Surface can be maintained with a damp sponge and then toweled dry.
- Avoid leaving any object with a wet bottom layer such as shoes, plants, or mats on the wood surface.

OXIDATION:

All wood oxidizes over time. This will change the color or patina of the floor and eventually give it the natural or aged look that most people favor. Almost all of this oxidation is caused by ultraviolet rays from the sun; therefore direct sunlight onto the floor surface will greatly accelerate this process.

RESTORATION OR REJUVENATION:

If dulling in the finish occurs in high-traffic areas, use **Basic Coating Refresher** from a flooring retailer. No waxes or polishes should ever be applied to the floor.

Slight marring or shallow scratches can be repaired by replacing the board.

Deep gouges or full refinishing will require a flooring professional.

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