

## SLIP RESISTANT SAFETY RANGES HETEROGENEOUS AND HOMOGENEOUS VINYL

Modern day cleaning aims at a reduction of wet cleaning procedures and replacing this with drier cleaning techniques. For example the use of pre-impregnated mops or machine pads. This makes work easier for the cleaning staff, is more effective and influences the environment as little as possible as less cleaning chemicals and less fresh water are used.

**Polish or maintainers should never be applied to Tarkett safety flooring, as this would reduce the effectiveness of the surface profile and slip resistance. The unique PUR factory applied surface treatment assists with the ease of maintenance.**

For commercial to heavy commercial applications mechanical maintenance is considered essential on a regular ongoing basis.

### PREVENTIVE CARE

To help protect your floorcovering from varying levels of traffic and also as the first defence against the weather, we strongly recommend that barrier mats be installed at entry points to the building to limit the amount of wet and dry soiling.

### INITIAL TREATMENT

- Allow at least 5 days for tiles, 2 days for sheet from the completion of the installation of the vinyl, prior to carrying out any wet cleaning.
- Ensure that all trace of adhesive is removed from the surface of the floorcovering.
- Sweep floor area with a soft broom or a V Sweep
- Depending on the level of site soiling after the installation is complete, it may be necessary to scrub the floor clean, prior to adopting the daily maintenance regime (see the following options).
  - a) Mop clean using a flat head microfiber mop and pH neutral detergent\*.
  - Or
  - b) Scrub the surface of the safety flooring using a contra rotating cylindrical machine, rotary scrubber or a scrubber-dryer standard speed machine fitted with a melamine cleaning pad.

If the flooring is laid in a high risk area e.g. healthcare applications with risk of infection, standard infection control agents such as Chlorclean or Actichlor can be used prior to standard cleaning fluid.

### GENERAL ADVICE

- Resilient floors are damaged by solvents.
- Wipe up any spilt oil immediately because it may damage the surface.
- Black rubber wheels and rubber feet can discolour.
- All chair legs must have protective feet.
- Remember that light colours need more frequent cleaning.

### DAILY CLEANING MANUAL



- Sweep floor area with a soft broom or V sweep.
- Mop clean using a flat head microfiber mop and pH neutral detergent\*.

It is important to ensure that only the smallest amount of moisture is deposited onto the floorcovering that will dry within 15 – 20 seconds.

### DAILY CLEANING MACHINE



- Sweep floor area with a soft broom or V sweep.
- Spray apply a solution of pH neutral detergent\*, diluted as per the manufactures recommendation. A pump-up spray will allow for even distribution and economy of the cleaning solution.
- Scrub the surface of the vinyl using a contra rotating cylindrical machine, rotary scrubber or a scrubber-dryer standard speed machine fitted with a medium brush.
- Mop dry or allow the surface to dry before trafficking occurs.

Lime scale may form occasionally in wet areas. These deposits can be easily removed by using detergent and Pal-O-Mine Range (hand held melamine pad), rinse thoroughly after use with clean water.

### PERIODICAL CLEANING



- Sweep floor area with a soft broom or V sweep.
- Spray apply a solution of pH neutral detergent\*, diluted as per the manufactures recommendation. A pump-up spray will allow for even distribution and economy of the cleaning solution.
- Scrub the surface of the safety flooring using a contra rotating cylindrical machine, rotary scrubber or a scrubber-dryer standard speed machine fitted with a **melamine cleaning pad**.
- Mop dry or allow the surface to dry before trafficking occurs.
- **Do Not** dry burnish safety flooring.

### DETERGENT

\*pH Neutral Detergent Johnson Diversey Stride 1000