

MAINTENANCE GUIDE

PRE-OILED FLOOR

To preserve the beauty of your floors over time, PG Flooring maintenance products are specially designed for hardwood flooring. Simple and quick to use, they are non-abrasive and clean effectively without leaving any marks or residue. Use of the following products is mandatory because they are specially designed and made for pre-oiled flooring. Use of commercial detergents or other products will damage your floor.

PG FLOORING MAINTENANCE ACCESSORIES

THE PG MAINTENANCE KIT CONTAINS:

- one mop
- one telescopic handle
- one washable cotton cover
- one bottle of spray cleaner ready-to-use (800 ml/28 oz)

It is also possible to make unit purchases of the 800 ml/28 oz and 3.78 L/1 gal bottles of cleaner and microfiber mop cover.

REFRESHER FOR SURFACES

The refreshers are available in 946 ml / 32 oz or 3.78 L / 1 gal formats.

REGULAR MAINTENANCE

- 1| Vacuum or sweep floor to remove dust and sand.
- 2| Spray cleaner on the floor and spread evenly in thin coats using a flat microfiber mop.
- 3| Allow to dry.

MAINTENANCE AS REQUIRED (MONTHLY)

- 1| Vacuum or sweep floor to remove dust and sand.
- 2| Spray the refresher on the floor and spread evenly in thin coats using a flat, microfiber mop.
- 3| Allow to dry.

Following the installation of the flooring, **wait 7 to 10 days** before cleaning the floor to ensure that hand-applied oil saturation was achieved.



REMINDER

- Never use wax, oil-based soap, vinegar or other household cleaners to clean flooring. These products can discolour flooring or leave greasy build-up.
- Machine wash the mop cover frequently, just as you would any cotton towel.

PREVENTIVE MEASURES

- Sweep or vacuum the floor often to eliminate abrasive dust that can scratch flooring.
- Place doormats at entrances to avoid tracking sand and dirt into the house.
- Protect flooring by installing felt runners under furniture or chair legs to avoid scratches when they are moved.
- When moving heavy furniture, lift it to prevent scratching the flooring.
- Place step-on mats in work areas in the kitchen where water or oily detergents may damage the flooring.
- Place waterproof plates under potted plants to prevent accidental spillage. Use flowerpots with a glazed surface rather than porous ceramic which can leak.
- Any spillage should be wiped up immediately before the wood fibres absorb it.
- Try to maintain house humidity levels as constant as possible (between 37% and 45%) by using a humidifier or dehumidifier, as needed.
- Ambient house temperatures should range between a comfortable 18°C and 22°C (65°F and 72°F).

Fading caused by exposure to the sunlight is a natural phenomenon. When possible, avoid exposing flooring to direct sunlight or bright lights.

Equilibrium moisture content based on ambient temperature and relative humidity

TEMPERATURE		RELATIVE HUMIDITY (%)										
F	°C	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65
32	0	3.8	4.7	5.6	6.4	7.2	7.9	8.7	9.5	10.3	11.2	12.2
41	5	3.8	4.7	5.6	6.3	7.1	7.8	8.6	9.4	10.2	11.1	12.1
50	10	3.8	4.6	5.6	6.3	7	7.8	8.5	9.3	10.1	11	12
59	15	3.7	4.6	5.5	6.2	6.9	7.7	8.4	9.2	10	10.9	11.9
68	20	3.6	4.5	5.4	6.1	6.8	7.6	8.3	9.1	9.9	10.8	11.8
77	25	3.5	4.4	5.2	6	6.7	7.5	8.2	9	9.8	10.6	11.6
86	30	3.5	4.3	5.1	5.9	6.6	7.3	8	8.8	9.6	10.5	11.4
95	35	3.4	4.2	5	5.7	6.4	7.1	7.9	8.6	9.4	10.3	11.2
104	40	3.2	4	4.8	5.5	6.2	6.9	7.7	8.4	9.2	10	11

 Target moisture values