



## Maintenance Guide

You have just installed SPC Floor. Your new resilient floor was produced under the highest quality standards and will provide you with a lifetime of enjoyment. Although the SPC floor is one of the easiest floors to maintain, please follow the recommendations in this guide to retain the fresh look and protect the factory finish.

- After installing the floor, we recommend a first cleaning to remove any loose dirt or debris that may have been introduced during the installation process. Please avoid using harsh cleaners or alcohol ammonia-based cleaning products.
- First sweep and vacuum (without beater brush) the floor surface to ensure removal of all loose dust, dirt, and debris. Use a damp cloth or mop to clean up any dirt and footprints but avoid using excessive moisture.
- All spills should be cleaned immediately.
- Do not allow pets with unclipped nails to damage your SPC floor. It may result in severe scratching to the surface. The same is true for any high-heeled shoes that do not have proper tips on the heels which are not covered by the warranty.
- Use protective pads under heavy furniture.
- Avoid exposure to direct sunlight for prolonged periods of time. During peak sunlight hours, use drapes or blinds to minimize the direct sunlight on the SPC floor.
- Do not use a wet spray microfiber mop.
- Never use wax, polish, abrasive cleaners, or scouring agents as they may dull or distort the finish.
- Use doormats at entrance ways to protect the floor from discoloring. Avoid using rubber-backed rugs, as they may stain or discolor the vinyl flooring.
- DO NOT WAX YOUR SPC floor! The surface of your floor is very dense and non-porous, which prevents wax from penetrating and thus builds up a bed for yellowing and dirt collection.
- Never use a hammer or tapping block on click SPC. This will damage the click and keep the joint from engaging properly to hold the floor together. Tapping the SPC edges to install the product will void the warranty.
- These products are floating SPC floors. They will expand and contract with changes in room temperature. Space of 5/16" should be left around the floor at all and post abutments to allow the floor to naturally expand and contract.



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- SPC products should be installed in indoor climate-controlled rooms that are typically between 60-85 degrees F. SPC floors should never be installed outdoors.
- Do not use a steam mop to clean the SPC floor. The high steam heat will deform the wear layer surface and result in voiding the warranty.
- Subfloors should be flat within a tolerance of 1/8"(3mm) over a span of 6 feet. It's a good idea to save a few planks in case of accidental damage. Planks can be replaced or repaired by a flooring professional.