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# EPOXY CLEANING GUIDE





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# WARNING:

avoid using abrasive or corrosive cleaners on epoxy surfaces, as they can cause discoloration or damage. Always use appropriate tools and cleaners.





# Ensure your new epoxy floor's longevity.

Epoxy is easy to clean and designed for minimal maintenance. It stays durable and retains its functional integrity with regular care and a simple cleaning routine

## Post-Installation care

Allowing epoxy to fully cure is crucial for its performance and durability. The surface curing time can depend on a number of factors including the chosen epoxy system, the usage of the system, as well as ambient temperatures. Talk to your First Floors installer about manufacturer recommendations before walking, driving or filling your new epoxy system.

## Routine Maintenance Guide

Regular maintenance is key to preserving the longevity and performance of your epoxy surface. Different systems can have distinct needs. Adopting a tailored approach ensures that each surface, be it high gloss or high grip, receives the specific care it requires. This optimizes the functionality and aesthetics while minimising the risk of damage.

## Particle Removal

Regular sweeping or vacuuming is vital to prevent debris build up on your epoxy surfaces. This maintenance routine not only enhances the overall cleanliness but also safeguards against potential scratches or damage caused by particles.

Utilize a vacuum, brooms or brushes for general cleaning. For smooth high gloss surfaces you can incorporate a microfiber cloth or mop. Hard bristle brushes are not recommended for high gloss surfaces as these may scratch the surface of the coating.

## Cleaning

Epoxy cleaning with a pH-neutral cleaner is essential because it ensures effective cleaning without compromising the integrity of the epoxy surface. Whether employing a microfiber mop, floor mop, hose, broom or brush, choose tools appropriate to your specific epoxy system. Always adhere to the directions of your chosen cleaner to optimize results. For textured surfaces a stiff brush proves beneficial in tackling more stubborn residues while maintaining the surface's quality.

Cleaning up spills promptly on epoxy surfaces is crucial to prevent staining and avoid extended exposure to chemicals and contaminants. Regular and immediate cleanup contributes significantly to maintaining the longevity and performance of your epoxy system.

If desired applying an epoxy suitable floor polish serves to minimize scratching resulting from normal wear and tear. Polish can act as a protective barrier, enhancing the surfaces's resilience.



# High Gloss and High Grip Cleaning

## High Gloss Surface

Maintain high-gloss epoxy surfaces by cleaning regularly to avoid grit, dirt and debris scratching the surface. Avoid dragging furniture and use protection such as felt on furniture feet to minimize scuff marks. Clean with a PH neutral cleaner and consider periodic floor polishing for added protection against scuffing and scratching .

## High Grip Surfaces

Cleaning high-grip epoxy surfaces with a P4-P5 slip rating is simple. A soft bristle brush, warm water and a pH neutral cleaner works well. For stubborn stains a hard bristle brush is suitable. Additionally, hosing down the surface is an effective cleaning option





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