



Commercial Resilient Homogeneous Sheet Flooring

CARE & MAINTENANCE

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ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

Mohawk Group homogeneous resilient sheet flooring is designed for Light Commercial and Commercial use. As such, care and maintenance options may range depending upon the end-use. Carefully determine what your floor's end-use and traffic conditions will be to help you select which care and maintenance practice is best for your floor.

Please Note: Before performing Initial Cleaning, please refer to the chart below and wait accordingly based on the adhesive used during installation.

ADHESIVE	INITIAL MAINTENANCE TIMELINE
M95	Wet Maintenance can be performed after 48 hours
MS160	Wet Maintenance can be performed after 48 hours
Total Bond	Wet Maintenance can be performed after 6 hours

INITIAL CLEANING

It is necessary to protect newly installed floors from construction soil, traffic and damage until they are ready for initial cleaning.

1. Remove all surface soil, debris, sand and grit by dust mopping the floor, sweeping or vacuuming with a wet/dry vacuum. Vacuum must be suction only with no beater bar.
2. Mix a neutral pH cleaning solution according to the label directions. The pH of the cleaner solution must be between 6.0 – 8.5 pH.
3. Apply the solution to the floor. Do NOT flood the floor. The solution can be applied with either a mop or an auto scrubber. Allow the solution to dwell on the floor for 5-10 minutes. Additional dwell time may be necessary for heavily soiled areas.
4. Scrub the floor with either a low speed rotary machine or an auto scrubber using a 3M™ Red Buffer Pad #5100 or equivalent.
5. Pick up the scrubbing solution with a wet vacuum or an auto scrubber.
6. Rinse the entire floor surface with a clean mop using clean, cool water. Pick up rinse water with wet vacuum or an auto scrubber.
7. Allow the floor to dry thoroughly before allowing traffic.



ROUTINE CLEANING

Cleaning should be performed a minimum of once a day, depending on the application, type of traffic and hours of operation.

1. Stains and spills should be wiped or mopped up immediately with a damp mop using a neutral pH cleaning solution. Rinse the affected area with clean, cool water. Be sure to allow the floor to dry thoroughly before allowing traffic.
2. Remove all surface soil, debris, sand and grit by dust mopping the floor, sweeping or vacuuming with a wet/dry vacuum. Vacuum must be suction only with no beater bar.
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