TIMBER AND LAMINATE CARE GUIDE

To ensure the longevity and beauty of your flooring investment, there are several maintenance procedures that you should follow. These procedures differ depending on the type of flooring you have, Timber, Laminate, or Vinyl Planks.

Timber Floors

To keep your timber floors looking new, we recommend using Pure Clean regularly. This will help keep your floors free from dirt and grime. Additionally, it is important to place protective pads under furniture or appliances. High heel shoes can also cause indentations, so it's best to avoid wearing them on your timber floors.

Our stylish and functional selection of Blinds, Shutters and Curtains can help protect and enhance your newly installed flooring. These options are designed to block harmful UV rays and reduce heat and moisture build-up, while adding both protection and aesthetic appeal to your space.

Exposure to sunlight can cause staining or colour changes in your timber floors. We suggest repositioning rugs and furniture periodically to ensure your floors age evenly. Excessive sunlight can also cause discoloration and surface damage, so ensuring your windows have sufficient curtains or blinds is recommended. Additionally, maintaining a constant indoor humidity level of about 50 - 65% relative air humidity is best to preserve the value of and to care for your floor.

Laminate Floors

To remove stains from your laminate floors, use acetone or methylated spirits with a cloth on the affected area. Allow it to stand for a few minutes, then rub dry. Repeat the process if necessary, and wipe with a well-rung damp cloth.

Vinyl Floors

When it comes to vinyl flooring, maintaining the protective coating is crucial to preserving its appearance and durability. To keep your vinyl floors looking their best, it's important to avoid abrasive cleaners or products that contain harsh chemicals like ammonia or animal fat. Instead, use a mild floor cleaner like Pure Clean, which is specially formulated to clean vinyl floors without damaging their protective finish.

In addition to regular cleaning, it's important to protect your vinyl floors from harmful UV rays. Vinyl planks, in particular, are vulnerable to fading or discoloration when exposed to sunlight, especially in areas with high levels of sun exposure. That's why we recommend investing in stylish and functional Blinds, Shutters, or Curtains that are designed to block harmful UV rays and reduce heat and moisture build-up. Not only will this add protection and aesthetic appeal to your space, but it will also safeguard your flooring investment.

At our stores, we offer a wide selection of Blinds, Shutters, and Curtains in a variety of colours and styles, so you can easily find a set that complements your interior decor. Don't miss out on this opportunity to elevate the beauty of your home or office while also protecting your vinyl floors from sun damage. Remember, a little prevention can go a long way in extending the life of your flooring investment.

General Floor Care

When cleaning any type of floor, it's important to use a minimum amount of moisture. We recommend using a well-rung damp mop, which is then left to stand for ten minutes, to clean your floors. It's also important to use a high-quality mopping system that is well designed for your particular flooring.

The use of Pure Clean on all floors, diluted to the recommended strength (3 caps per 1 litre of water), is recommended. Avoid using abrasive cleaners or detergents on your floors as they can cause damage. When spills occur, it's important to clean them up immediately to avoid damage.

If your floors suffer minor damage, most hardware stores sell repair kits for both timber and laminate floors. Additionally, using door mats can help prevent damage from abrasive particles that are walked in onto the floor.

Lastly, we highly recommend that you never use a steam mop on wooden floors or micro fibre mop as it can cause moisture damage. Follow these tips to keep your floors in great condition for years to come.