

Mat Cleaning Guidelines

For best results, mats should be cleaned regularly. Simply follow these instructions to keep your mats looking great and functioning effectively.

SpongeCote® Mats, PVC Sponges, and Urethane Mats (dry-area mats):

Sweep regularly or dry-mop the surface. These mats can be wet-mopped with mild soap or detergent. For best results, use a detergent like Ivory Liquid with a pH between 4 and 9.

Molded Rubber and PVC Anti-Fatigue Mats (those designed for wet areas):

Use a high-pressure hose (not to exceed 500 psi) and hot water (max 160°F) to rid the mats of oils. For best results use a mild soap or detergent like Ivory Liquid with a pH between 4 and 9, to clean the mats. Do not use steam (unless specifically recommended), degreasers, or caustic chemicals. Do not machine wash or mechanically scrub the mats.

ESD Mats:

When cleaning ESD mats, it is important to sweep or dry-mop the surface regularly. Also wet-mop or wipe off with mild soap or a static-control cleaning solution that will not leave a residue. This will allow the mat to continue to function efficiently.

Runner Mats:

Simply sweep the surface with a broom or vacuum. Our runners can also be wet-mopped with mild soap.

Outdoor Entrance Mats:

Take the mats outside and shake them to remove excess dirt and debris. If necessary, use a hose to wash them off.

Carpet Mats:

Our carpet and entrance mats are designed to lower your maintenance costs and still be easily maintained. Carpet mats can be cleaned the same way you maintain your carpeting. Vacuum them daily, and extract or shampoo them when dirt builds up.

PermaTack:

DO NOT USE SPIC AND SPAN OR ANY OTHER ABRASIVE CLEANERS OR OIL-BASED CLEANERS.

Recommended Cleaning Agent for Clean Room applications:

Novaclean™ Floor Cleaner.

Recommended Cleaning Agent for Sterile Applications:

IPA or STERIS cleaners. To maintain the functionality of the mat, the ratio of IPA or STERIS to water should not exceed 50%.

Recommended Cleaning Agent for General Applications:

Mix a 25% ammonia/75% water solution, or use Windex or Simple Green All-Purpose. Other options include non-abrasive, non-oil-based cleaners with pH levels between 4 and 8.

Pur-Comfort:

To clean, simply wipe down with a pre-moistened alcohol-based clean-room wipe. For use in sterile applications, Pur-Comfort can also be autoclaved (275°F for 20 minutes at 15 psi) or gamma sterilized.

Autoclavable Mat:

Autoclave– Lay flat in an autoclave. Clean for 20 minutes at 15 psi and 275°F Fahrenheit.

Manual Cleaning– Use a mixture of hot water and a mild soap (like Ivory Liquid) with a pH between 4 and 9 and wipe the mat down. Another option is to use a pre-moistened wipe such as Sani-Cloth® HB or Sani-Cloth® Plus, both of which have very low levels of alcohol.

1. GET MATERIALS



2. SPRAY MAT



3. WIPE CLEAN



4. SQUEEGEE

