

Natchez 5.0mm SPC - US Maintenance Guide

Precautions: Always post “wet floor” signs and/or use “caution tape” when wet/damp maintenance is to be performed on light commercial installations. Remove all metal objects before wetting the flooring and prohibit foot traffic until the floor is dry. Follow the facility's Standard Operating Procedures (SOP). Use all machines following the product use and safety instructions.

Do not use dust mops treated with oils or silicones, acetone, strong alkaline cleaning agents, multi-surface cleaners, vinegar/ammonia/ citrus oil solutions, scouring powder, strong solvents, or abrasive cleaning pads, as these can damage the flooring. The application of a floor-finish is not usually recommended and will change the maintenance protocol.

Regular Cleaning: Dust-mop or vacuum (without a beater bar) the floor to remove any dirt or grit. Damp-mop the floor as often as required using a flat microfiber mop or a Swiffer type with water or a suitable diluted vinyl floor cleaning solution (neutral pH), changing the pad as often as required. Steam cleaners with a micro-fiber head may also be used, providing the steaming head is never stationary, as prolonged, excessive heat can damage any vinyl floor covering.

Deep Cleaning: This may be required when routine cleaning is not meeting expectations, typically for light commercial applications. Dust-mop or vacuum the floor to remove dirt or grit. Wet mop the entire floor using a suitable neutral pH cleaning solution. Allow the solution a dwell time of approximately 5-10 minutes. Scrub the floor using a suitable auto-scrubbing machine or single-disc, rotary floor scrubber (~ 175 RPM) with a white pad.