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Your Essential Cleaning Guide

Fabrics Don't Look After Themselves...





Tips for Cleaning Fabric

Guidelines on how to clean fabric that has been treated with Teflon™ fabric protector:

1. Always treat stains promptly.
2. Sponge the stain, never rub. A gentle blotting action with an absorbent cloth or sponge is most effective. Work inwards from the outside edges to avoid spreading the stain.
3. Blot up the wet or oil-based spills quickly with an absorbent cloth, tissue or sponge. For solid or semi-solid spills, lift off excess before treating, using a dull knife or spatula.
4. If the stain has already dried, gently brush off any excess material, then dab gently with a damp cloth or sponge until it disappears.
5. Never try to remove the stain with household detergents.

Important! Before cleaning or treating stains, see manufacturer's care instructions.

When removing a stain, test any stain-removing product (including water) on a hidden part of the furnishing to ensure fabric and/or colour is not affected. For large serious stains, consult a professional upholstery cleaner.





Stain Removal Guide

Cleaning Method A:

Use only water-based commercial cleaning agents. Alternatively, mix 2 tablespoons of ammonia with 1 litre of water. Blot the stain gently with a cloth dampened with this solution, turning continually so that only the clean part of the cloth is in contact with the stain:

Wine, Milk Soft Drinks

Blood: Treat with a mixture of 2 table-spoons of salt to 1 litre of water. Rinse and blot with a dry cloth. For persistent stains, sponge with ammonia solution described in Method A.

Ballpoint Pen / Ink: Treat with rubbing alcohol using Method A

Mud: Gently lift off as much soil as possible with a dull knife or spatula. Allow to dry, then vacuum. For persistent stains, use ammonia solution described in Method A.

Vomit: Gently lift off vomit and sponge thoroughly with cold water, then use Method A.

Cleaning Method B:

Use only mild, pure, water-free dry-cleaning solvents. Dampen a cloth with the solution and follow the procedure described in method B:

Grease & Oil

Wax / Candle: Gently scrap off wax with a dull knife or spatula. Use Method B or cover the spot with several layers of absorbent paper and apply a warm iron.

Pencil: Use method B, followed by a small amount of ammoniated liquid detergent. Rinse thoroughly.

