

### **GENERAL CARE AND CLEANING GUIDE F**

for PU and PVC faux leather fabrics - fixed upholstery



PLEASE NOTE THAT OUR FAUX LEATHERS ARE NOT MACHINE WASHABLE OR DRY-CLEANABLE.

Here are some general rules to follow for regular care:

1. In general this fabric requires little more than wiping down with a clean cloth.
2. Protect from excessive sunlight.
3. Avoid contact with strong heat.
4. Regularly brush using a soft-headed brush (non-abrasive) or gently vacuum to remove normal dust and loose dirt before it becomes embedded in the fabric.
6. Clean up spills and stains right away. The longer stains are allowed to remain the more difficult they are to remove and could stain. In most cases a clean absorbent cloth, facial tissue or sponge can be used to blot up spots and spills taking care not to rub the stain deeper into the fabric. Dry with an absorbent cloth.
7. **IMPORTANT:** When dealing with any stain it is important to always test an inconspicuous area of the fabric first to ensure the treatment will not permanently damage the fabric. If in any doubt and for serious soiling and staining specialist advice should be taken relating to the exact cause of staining.
8. **NEVER SOAK OR OVER-WET THE FABRIC.**
9. Never use polish, stain remover or solvent.

For specific spills/staining the following action can be taken:

Cosmetics: use very mild soapy water.

Chocolate, sweets etc: sponge with warm water maximum 40°C/104°F.

Grass: sponge with warm water followed by cleaning with mild soapy water maximum 40°C/104°F.

Alcohol, coffee, tea etc: dry with a clean white cloth, shampoo with mild soapy water.

Jam, syrup, fruit juice: remove solids with a spoon then clean with warm water maximum 40°C/104°F.

### **GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE**

It is important that all upholstery has sufficient padding to support the fabric, failure to do so can result in damage to the surface of the fabric when 'knocked'. No responsibility is taken when fabric is used for piping.