

Floor Care — Cleaning and Maintenance

What is Best Type of Cleaner?

Use a general or heavy-duty, non-hazardous, pH neutral, floor cleaner/degreaser, if possible, specially formulated to handle tough industrial cleaning jobs as well as everyday cleaning and degreasing.

5-STEP CLEANING

REMOVE DEBRIS

Depending upon size of area and surface texture, use a broom, dust or micro-fiber mop, or floor sweeper to remove all dust and debris from the floor.



MIX CLEANER

Mix cleaning concentrate with water according to manufacturer's instructions.



APPLY

Depending upon size of area, apply and agitate floor cleaner using a short bristle (medium stiffness) deck brush, automatic floor scrubber, or mop (smooth floors only).



DWELL TIME

Allow the cleaner to remain on the floor surface for 10-15 minutes.



REMOVE AND RINSE

Remove cleaner first, then rinse with clean water using a soft neoprene rubber squeegee to a drain, wet vacuum or automatic floor scrubber depending upon size of area.

A mop should only be used on smooth floors.

How Often Should Treated Floors Be Cleaned?

The cleaning schedule will depend on floor usage. Light service areas may only need to be swept daily. Heavily used and soiled floors could require more frequent service.

DO'S AND DON'TS

CLEAN SPILLS RIGHT AWAY

Leaving spills can cause the floor to discolor or damage the sealer or coating.



AVOID AGGRESSIVE BRUSHES AND PADS

Avoid use of very stiff floor brushes or darker colored cleaning pads as they can dull out the floor finish.

NO HARSH CHEMICALS

When in doubt, please confer with an ProREZ technician about chemical exposures.



DO NOT DRAG OBJECTS

Avoid dragging heavy or sharp objects on floor, including pallets. Use a hand truck. Keep forklift tines slightly raised.



USE FURNITURE PADS

Place pads on legs of chairs, tables, and other furniture to prevent marks and scratches.



MAINTAIN EQUIPMENT

Wheels on fork and hand trucks should be maintained to avoid scratches and gouges. Use non-marking tires.

