



## **HighTech Woods™ - Care and Maintenance**

### **After Installation (General)**

- Once the floor is installed, it is not recommended to place carpets on the floor for the first few months.
- If the floor has lighter colors from rugs or other covering, it will change color quickly when they are exposed to daylight.
- Use protective pads on the base of furniture legs and protective mats under caster chairs with hard wheels.
- Always use a protective mat at entrances.

### **Floor Treatment after Installation**

- Pre-lacquered Hardened Wood floors do not need any surface treatment after installation. Cleaning the floor before use is recommended — use a hardwood floor cleaner for lacquered floors, such as Bona Hardwood Floor Cleaner.
- **Important Note:** ALWAYS USE A DETERGENT SPECIFICALLY FOR UV ACRYLIC WEAR LAYER HARDWOOD FLOORS. NORMAL SOAP CAN LEAVE A FAT RESIDUE ON THE FLOOR SURFACE — MAKING IT DIFFICULT TO CLEAN.
- **Important Note:** IN COMMERCIAL AND HIGH-TRAFFIC AREAS SHOULD RECEIVE ADDITIONAL SURFACE TREATMENT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING INSTALLATION.
  - CLEAN THE FLOOR AND MAKE SURE IT IS DUST FREE
  - TREAT THE FLOOR WITH A HARDWAX OIL FROM OSMO

### **Daily cleaning**

- For daily cleaning use mainly dry methods, such as vacuum cleaner, dust mop or microfiber mop. Stains/dirt can easily be removed by using a magic melamine sponge.

### **Regular cleaning**

- Clean the surface with a microfiber cleaning pad and a Hardwood floor cleaner for lacquered wood floors or oiled wood floors (e.g Bona Hardwood Floor Cleaner) to clean the floor.

### **Maintenance**

- When needed, a hardwood floor refresher for lacquered wooden floors, such as Bona Hardwood Floor Refresher, can be used to freshen up the surface and remove micro- scratches.
- A floor refresher is suitable for restoring a worn lacquer — giving a protective layer for easier cleaning and maintenance. It is not, however, a substitute for a refinish.
- **Important Note:** USING A HARDWOOD FLOOR REFRESHER WILL MAKE A LACQUERED FLOORS GLOSS VALUE INCREASE. THE MORE USED, THE HIGHER GLOSSIER IT WILL BECOME MORE NOTICEABLE ON A MATTE LACQUERED FLOOR. MAKE SURE THAT THE FLOOR IS CLEAN FROM POLISH, WAX, AND GREASE STAINS BEFORE APPLYING THE REFRESHER.

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