



## Maintenance - Spar & Bow

**\*Note: When performing any wet maintenance, always use wet floor signs or mats, in commercial settings.**

### Newly Installed Floor Care

1. Keep all the foot traffic off the floor for 12 hours. When using spray, material can be walked on immediately.
2. Keep furniture, fixtures, and heavy rolling loads off the floor for a minimum of 24 hours; if using spray adhesive avoid rolling traffic for 24 hours.
3. Remove adhesive residue with a clean white cloth dampened with mineral spirits.
4. Use or thicker plywood to protect the surface when moving heavy objects across new floor.
5. Lightly damp mop the floor as needed.
6. Wait 4 days before wet washing and scrubbing the new floor.

### Initial Maintenance Guidelines

1. Sweep, vacuum or dust mop to remove dirt and grit.
2. If needed, add neutral cleaner to cool water following the manufacturer's instructions.
3. Scrub with a low-rpm machine or auto scrubber. Use a red pad or brush.
4. Never use brown or black pads (too aggressive and can damage the product).
5. Remove the cleaning solution with a wet-dry vacuum or auto scrubber until the floor is dry.
6. Rinse the floor with clean water. Repeat the rinse process until all the haze is removed.

### Routine Maintenance

1. Sweep, vacuum or dust mop to remove dirt and grit.
2. Add neutral pH cleaner to cool water following the manufacturer's instructions.
3. As needed, scrub with a low-rpm machine or auto scrubber to retain appearance.
4. Use a red (light scrubbing) pad and neutral cleaner following the manufacturer's instructions.

### Preventative Floor Care

1. Use walk-off mats that are as wide as the doorway and long enough for soil load and weather conditions.
2. Use mats with a non-staining backing.
3. Floor protectors should be used on all furniture legs.