

CARE + MAINTENANCE

Additional Instructions for ALLWOOD Bamtastic Flooring

Bamtastic products are made exclusively from technologically advanced composite materials designed to provide years of low maintenance use and enjoyment. Allwood guarantees Bamtastic against checking, splitting, decay, rot and splintering. With proper installation and care, Bamtastic will provide years of living pleasure.

Basic Cleaning Recommendations: Although Bamtastic is a low maintenance product, Allwood recommends periodic cleaning to help maintain the beauty of the product.

- Initial care: Following installation, clean with water. **Only Bamtastic flooring can be cleaned with water.**
- Routine Care: Frequently sweep or vacuum the floor to remove loose dirt before it can scratch or be ground into the floor's surface. Vacuum only with brush or felt type attachments. Never use a vacuum with a beater bar head.
- For spot cleaning, apply floor cleaner, or eco-friendly surface cleaner to a cloth and rub or pat onto the spot.
- Periodic Care: Follow sweeping and vacuuming instructions for routine care. Spread water or cleaner directly onto the floor and wipe with a sponge mop or appropriate cleaning applicator.

Scratches, Nicks, Cuts and Grooves:

- Light scratches and scuffs will usually blend in over time with normal wear of everyday foot traffic. A soft plastic bristle deck brush can be used on light scratches and scuffs to blend in. Do not use aggressively . . . just enough to blend into the surrounding area.
- Medium depth scratches, grooves and nicks can be treated with a wire brush to the immediate damaged area. NOTE: Wire brushing can and will remove the embossing, and is to be used only to abrade the damaged area to match the look of the floor. BRUSH IN THE DIRECTION OF THE GRAIN. Once wire brushed, normal use will blend the brushed area with the surrounding areas.
- Heavy scratches, gouges and cuts, can be repaired using a soldering gun with a rounded tip. By applying heat to the scratch with a soldering gun, the scratched surface will melt and return to the original color and the damaged area will be less visible. Experiment on a piece of scrap material to determine the optimal heat range. The scratch will blend in over time with normal foot traffic and cleaning.

Enjoy your new Bamtastic floor and feel free to call Allwood with any questions pertaining to the maintenance of your floor at 503-255-7976 or email care@allwoodgrp.com.