

# DIGITAL WALLCOVERING CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS



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**Normal Cleaning:** The normal cleaning of digital wallcoverings should be done with mild ingredients such as soap, detergents, citrusbased cleaners, and water. If the wallcovering is stained and stronger cleaning is required, a stronger liquid household cleaner (such as Lestoil® \*), should be used. The method of cleaning should be as follows:

- A. Rub the area briskly with a cloth or sponge that contains a detergent solution.
- B. If the wallcovering pattern has a rough texture, a very soft bristle brush should be considered. When cleaning, do not use excessive
- C. pressure or a brush with hard bristles as that has the potential to burnish or abrade the surface of the wallcovering.
- D. Follow #1 or #2 above with a rinse of clean water.
- E. Gently towel the area dry.
- F. Examine the area and repeat the cleaning procedure if necessary.

Repeated use of stronger cleaners in the same area of the wallcovering can cause the wallcovering to lose its "homogeneous surface appearance" when viewed from different lighting conditions.

**Stain Removal:** Stains should be removed as quickly as possible to eliminate any possible reaction between the staining agent and the wallcovering. Time is especially important for removing materials containing colors or solvents such as ballpoint ink, markers, paint, and some foodstuffs.

Excess soiling materials, such as chewing gum, crayon, paint, or tar like substances should be carefully scraped off prior to the other cleaning attempts.

By carefully using a mild solvent such as Isopropyl Alcohol or Turpentine, some stains can be removed without damaging the print. However, before attempting this it is a good idea to evaluate how it affects the wallcovering by trying this in an inconspicuous spot on the wallcovering.

**NEVER MIX CLEANING REAGENTS TOGETHER - VIOLENT REACTIONS MAY OCCUR WHICH COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY.**

**OBSERVE ALL LABEL PRECAUTIONS WHEN USING THESE AND ANY CLEANING AGENTS**