



**ACOUSTICAL**  
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## **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS - FABRICS**

Most acoustical panel fabric is produced from 100% polyester fiber. This man-made fiber is not adversely affected by standard water-based or organic-based cleaning solutions. When proper techniques and normal precautions are followed, the material will be readily cleansed of stains and soil without a resultant “ring” forming.

### **LIST OF ACCEPTABLE CLEANING SOLUTIONS**

<u>Organic Based</u>	<u>Water Based</u>
Trichloroethylene	“Top. Job.”
Naphtha	“Tide” solution
Carbontetrachloride	“Mr. Clean”
(and similar commercial products)	

### **PROCEDURES**

Primary consideration in spot removal is prompt attention. Act quickly to minimize damage. Determine nature of stain before attempting treatment.

Examine above guide for list of acceptable cleaning solutions.

If stain is fluid, soak up with clean tissue or cloth. Take care not to rub or press soil into fabric. If stain is semi-solid, scrape off excess with knife or spoon. Lightly blot residue with clean tissue or cloth. While treating, confine area of spill by working from edges toward center.

### **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS**

**A. WATER-BORNE STAINS** - Sponge off with clear water (use only cold water for blood stains). If a stain persists, sponge or brush (with soft brush) with water and detergent. Rinse or sponge well with clear water. During treatment, apply solutions sparingly.

**B. OIL-BORNE STAINS** - Sponge off with spot remover or solvent. Never apply solvent directly to fabric. Apply with clean cloth or sponge. Remove excess solvent with blotter.

**COMBINATION STAINS** (water-borne and oil-borne) - Sponge off with clear water. If stain remains, sponge with mild water-detergent solution. If stain still persists, treat with spot remover.

### **CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS - VINYL**

### **PROCEDURES**

Common dirt and stains may be removed from products by rubbing lightly with a moistened cloth, sponge, or stiff bristle brush using a mild soap, detergent, or non-abrasive cleanser. It is important that clean water be used on a constant basis and that the material be towel dried.

**CAUTION!** Strong organic solvents (such as Ketones) and harsh abrasive cleaners are not recommended. These materials will cause dulling, discoloration, or softening of the vinyl, thus causing permanent damage.