

CLEANING GUIDE

GENERAL CARE & MAINTENANCE

Sound Zero's PET is extremely durable and requires little attention to maintain its good looks. Light vacuuming on a regular basis will prevent dust build up and most marks can be cleaned with a mild detergent solution followed by rinsing and blotting. Stains should be dealt with according to the chart below. Before carrying out a proposed cleaning method, apply to a concealed section to ensure it will not affect the adhesive or product. Avoid severe abrasion. Spot clean only. Vacuum to restore pile, but do not use a stiff brush

CONTAMINANT	GUIDE			
Blood	A	C		
Burn/Scorch Mark	J			
Chewing Gum	B	C	D	H
Chocolate	B	C	D	
Cooking Oils	B	C	D	
Crayon/Colour Markers	B	C	D	
Drinks (cola, tea, juices, beer etc.)	A	C		
Dust/Dirt	Vacuum, Try I or C			
Excrement	B	C		
Grease	C			
Ink (ballpoint)	B	C	D	
Ink (fountain)	D			
Lipstick	A	C		
Mildew	B	C	D	
Milk	C			
Mud	A			
Nail Polish	B	C		
Oil	A	F		
Paint (water based)	B	C	D	
Paint (oil based)	A	C	E	
Sauces	A	C	D	G
Shoe Polish	B	D	D	
Urine	A	C		
Vomit	A	C	D	
Wine	A	Add Salt		C

KEY

- A - Mop up excess as soon as possible with a sponge or cloth.
- B - Remove surplus with a knife edge or appropriate Instrument.
- C - Sponge with a solution of carpet shampoo working from well outside the stain in a circular motion towards the centre (this avoids spreading the stain). Sponge afterwards with clean warm water and mop excess moisture with a clean dry cloth or sponge. Allow to dry then brush gently with a soft brush. If any stain remains, sponge with a solution of one part household bleach to six parts clear water. Thoroughly rinse after treatment.
- D - Lightly sponge with household dry cleaning fluid and blot. Apply sparingly, as the substance may have an adverse effect on the adhesive.
- E - Lubricate the stain with glycerine or petroleum jelly.
- F - Apply nail polish remover. The nail polish remover should not include lanolin or be of a greasy nature.
- G - Sponge with turpentine (or substitute).
- H - Freeze with ice cubes and scrape away while cold.
- I - Clean with regular extractive carpet cleaner (if possible).
- J - Use circular cutter and remove damaged portion.