

TuffTurf Cleaning & Maintenance Guide Interlocking

A) Post Installation Cleaning

- When installation is complete and adhesive is fully cured (at least 72-hours)
- Vacuum or rotary sweep floor to remove any debris.
- Do not use any oil base cleaners as they will deteriorate the mats.
- Cross brush seams once installation is complete.

B) General Cleaning

- Dust pollen and airborne pollutants.
- DinoClean is the best cleanser.
- Routinely vacuum your turf area using a standard & non-abrasive upright vacuum to remove debris.

C) Stains and Other Blemishes

- Some cleaning agents may be safe for the face fibers but can be harmful to other components of the turf system.
- For lightly soiled areas, it may be necessary to sponge mop with a three (3) percent solution of DInoClean in warm water followed by a thorough rinsing with clean, warm water.
- For heavily soiled areas, sponge mop using a five (5) percent solution of DinoClean in warm water followed by a thorough rinsing with warm water.
- Remove any solid or paste-like deposit with a spatula or table knife.
- Blot up excess liquids with paper towels, a clean cloth, or a dry absorbent.
- Dry absorbents can then be swept or vacuumed up afterwards.

D) To Remove the Following:

- Coffee, Ketchup, Tea, Butter, Fruit Juices, Alcohol, Vegetable Juices, Cola, Milk, Watercolors, Cocoa, Latex Paint, Ice Cream, Blood, Mustard, Urine, Glue or Dye:
- Use approximately one teaspoon of DinoClean to one pint of water.
- Soak a cloth in the above mixture and gently rub the stain.
- Rinse area thoroughly with clean water to remove any traces of soap.
- Blot up excessive liquid
- Do not use cleaners that contain chlorine bleaches or caustic cleaners (PH above 9) or highly acidic cleansers (PH below 5).



E) Periodic Brushing

- Matting of fibers may occur in areas of high foot traffic or if the fibers have become soiled.
- Periodic "cross brushing" of the turf can help restore the aesthetic appearance of the turf.
- "Cross brushing" means all brushing activity takes place against the grain, nap, or sweep of the turf fibers.
- By brushing against the turf, the fibers are "fluffed up"
- A brush with synthetic bristles should be used.
 - o Never use a brush with metal or wire bristles as these will change the turf fibers.

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