

# Oil and lacquered finishes

## Top-up refresher for oiled floors

### TOP-UP OIL – Magic Oil Care

Available in 0.75 Litre or 5 Litre

Over time the floor will tone down after use. To give the floor a fresh lift it is best to apply a coating of Pallmann Magic Oil Care to the floor after a clean (as described above). Use the flat microfiber mop in your care kit (or similar) and apply a very thin layer of Magic oil care evenly to the floor (even sheen to the surface only). This should be done when the floor appears a bit dry or every 3-6 months depending on use.

## Top-up refresher for lacquered floors

### Finish Care Stop

Available in 0.75 Litre

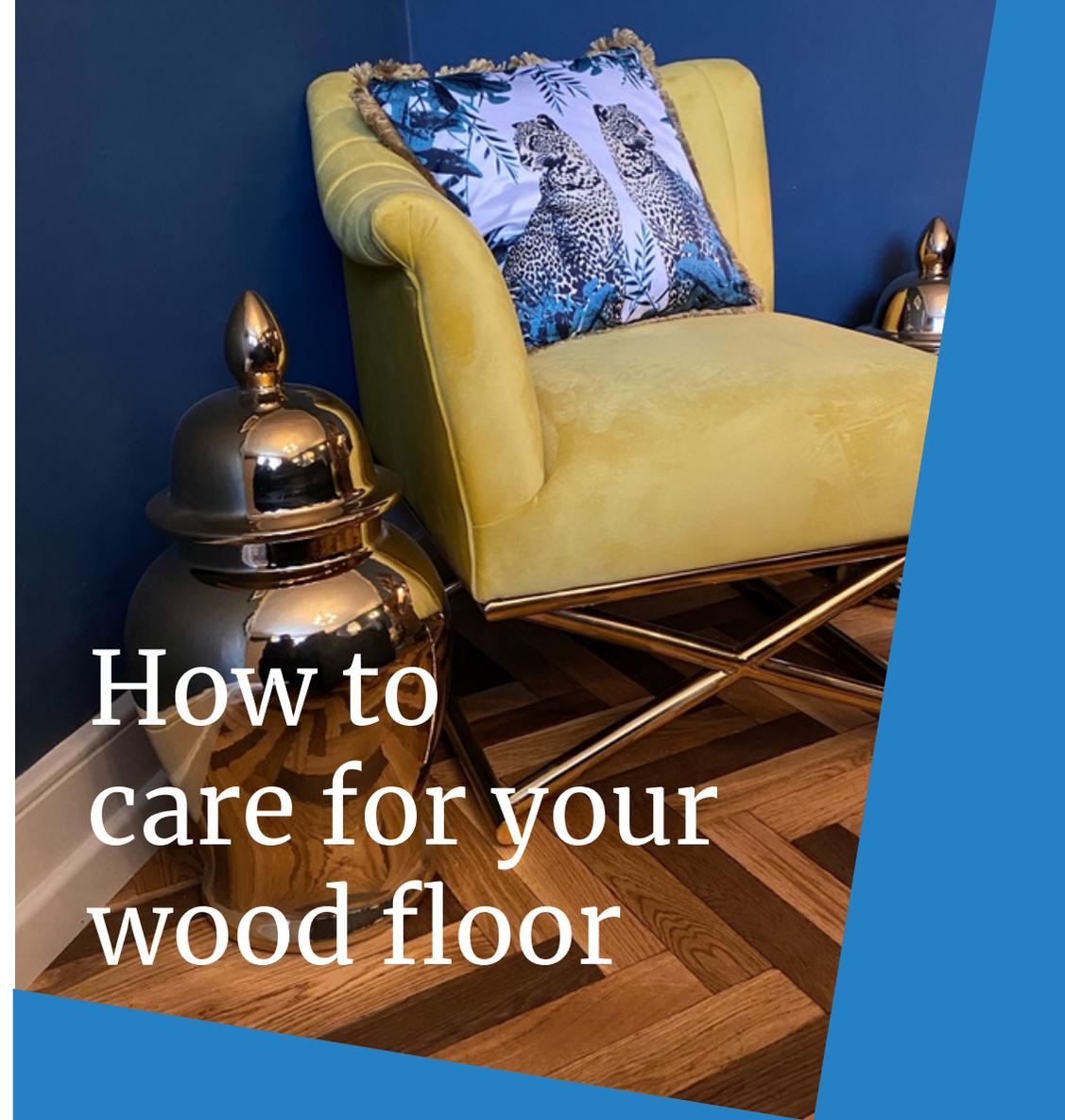
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# How to care for your wood floor



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You just had a new wood floor installed by us OR we have just restored your wood floor – this guide will help you care for your wood floors in the correct way helping them last for many years to come.

Let's face it – it will get dirty! Your cleaning regime is the only weapon you have.



#### PLEASE NOTE

DO NOT PLACE METAL FURNITURE IN DIRECT CONTACT WITH A WET WOOD FLOOR AS THIS CAN CAUSE MARKS OR STAINS. FLOOR PROTECTORS IS STRONGLY ADVISED.



### Here are a few tips on keeping your wood floor clean:

#### Regular dry soil removal

The big enemy of wood floors and the finish on them is dry soil and grit wearing the finish off the floor. To keep your floor free from dry soil you can use a good quality soft broom or floor duster (in the clean and go kit) or you can use a vacuum cleaner with a special soft floor attachment.

#### Walk off and entrance mats

Grit and dry soil tracked in from outside will wear your floor out very fast. We advise larger clean and secure walk of mats at all entrances to your home.

Your furniture is yet another consideration. We strongly recommend Felt pad protectors under all your furniture. These are not just ordinary pads – they come with replacement pads that can easily be clipped out to be renewed. They also screw in thus last much longer and are much safer for your floor.

# Cleaning routine

It is crucial your daily or weekly cleaning of your wood floor is done correctly.

## Maintenance clean

For this we recommend the Pallmann Clean and Go Care Kit, consisting of:

- Flat mop and handle
- Duster pad
- Microfiber cleaning pad

Dust the floor using the duster in the kit. Then use the spray cleaner and microfiber pad on the mop to spray and mop your wood floor. This method is for daily maintenance or cleaning up spills and marks.



## Standard clean

Mix your cleaning solution in a mop bucket as directed. Wet your mop in the cleaning solution and wring it out. Depending on the soiling on the floor clean about 3-5 sq meters rinse the mop

and wring out and repeat as above. Let the floor dry and return to normal use. If it is a large area replace the rinse water as required.

## Deep clean

It is advised to use a 2 bucket cleaning system for heavily soiled floors.

Wet the mop into the cleaning solution and wring your mop out well. After cleaning about 3-5 sq meters rinse the mop in the clean water of the rinse bucket and wring it out well. Ensure it is rinsed clean. Place into the Cleaning solution and wring out well. Repeat the cleaning as in step 1 onto the next 3-5 sq meters of floor. Let the floor dry and return to normal use

If it is a large area replace the rinse water when dirty.

### Why do we advise the 2-bucket cleaning system?

Simple – if you clean a badly soiled floor using a single compartment mop bucket you will collect the dirt on the floor and contaminate your cleaning solution with this. You will then keep spreading this onto the floor every time you rinse your mop in the solution.