

Home Owner Instructions for Intensive Wood Floor Cleaning

Please read and follow these steps carefully. This is a strong cleaning agent that if improperly used, may damage the finish of your floor. If used properly, it should help to remove the cloudiness/haziness or streaks on your hardwood floor.

Follow ALL steps of this process in order and do not skip steps.

Supplies needed

- Basic Coatings Intensive Floor Treatment (I.F.T.)
- Basic Coatings Squeaky Cleaner
- Spray bottle (optional)
- Scotch-Brite™ abrasive pad (green scrub pad with yellow sponge)
- Basic Coatings microfiber mop
- Rubber/latex gloves and safety glasses

Process

It's best to begin with a test section in an inconspicuous area (i.e. behind a door). We recommend working in small sections as you complete this process. Complete all steps before moving onto another section of the floor.

1. Apply a SMALL amount of the IFT solution to a section of the floor. Use a spray bottle to mist the floor or squirt a small amount and spread it with a soft cloth. Apply only enough cleaner to wet the floor.
2. Use the abrasive pad and scrub the area. This should remove the soap buildup.
3. After scrubbing the area, wipe the section with a water dampened cloth.
4. The final step is to apply Squeaky Cleaner with a microfiber mop. No water rinse is necessary after this cleaner is applied. Wipe/mop the floor until it is dry - do not leave the floor wet.

If this is successful in removing the contaminant, proceed with the rest of the floor, following all steps. You may need to repeat steps 1 & 2 more than once.

If you are not successful in removing the contaminant with this process, you need to remove the remaining product by abrading the floor (screening or sanding). It is recommended to hire a professional flooring contractor if abrasion techniques are required.

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