

RE-TIRE RECYCLED RUBBER ROLLS AND TILES CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

POST INSTALLATION

INITIAL CLEANING: Do not wash the floor for at least 5 days after installation. Protect the floor until cleaning can be done. The initial cleaning of the new floor is very important. This cleaning is done to remove any dirt and grit from job site conditions prior to applying a sealer or finish.

To avoid possible damage to the flooring, the following should never be used on the floor: steel wool or abrasive brushes; abrasive or alkaline cleaners; solvents of any type.

Thoroughly sweep or vacuum flooring to remove all loose dirt and grit. Floor should be scrubbed with an all purpose cleaner, Johnson Wax Professional's *GPF*Forward.

1. Apply the cleaning solution and allow to stand approximately 10 minutes. The cleaner can be applied with a nylon or rayon mop.
2. Scrub the flooring product. For small areas a deck brush can be used; for large areas use a soft nylon brush or white pad on a scrubbing machine (150-300 rpm).
3. Wet vacuum, or mop up the cleaning solution. Rinse with clean cold water and then remove all water by vacuum or mop.

Allow the floor to dry thoroughly.

APPLICATION OF FLOOR FINISH:

The application of *U2001* acrylic emulsion floor finish (available from Capri) should be applied to Re-tire.

In order to protect the floor and reduce the amount of maintenance, apply 2-4 coats according to the instructions listed on the container.

It is recommended that protective glasses and gloves are worn when using this product.

APPLICATION OF U2001 FINISH/SEALER:

Temperature of the floor and finish should be over 60° F. Using a roller or a sponge type mop, apply finish/sealer to floor in medium coats. For easier application, pour finish into tray. After there is no tackiness to the touch, allow finish to dry an additional 10 minutes before applying the next coat. After applying the final coat, allow to dry at least 30 minutes before traffic is allowed on surface. The longer the cure before traffic is allowed on floor, the better the wear resistance will be. A minimum of 2 and maximum of 4 coats should be applied. If more than 4 coats are applied, allow 48 minutes between coats.

Coverage per gallon is 700 sq ft.

NOTE: To avoid product contamination, do not return any unused material to original container.

Sealer Restoration: When sealer is worn, scrub thoroughly with a neutral cleaner; add one or two more coats of sealer over worn areas. If the sealer is kept clean and build-up is avoided, no stripping of the sealer will be necessary.

REGULAR MAINTENANCE PROGRAM:

A regular maintenance program is extremely important and will increase the life of the floor and finish. The frequency of cleaning will depend on the amount of traffic on the floor.

Sweep or vacuum the floor to remove dirt and grit.

Spot clean or mop the floor if necessary with a neutral cleaner or Taski's "*Profi*" or Johnson Wax Professional's "*Stride*". If the entire floor requires a deeper clean follow the initial cleaning instructions.

Stripping of finish may be necessary if the floor is not cared for properly. All the finish needs to be removed. Using a stripper from Johnson Wax Professional, follow the manufacturer's instructions. Once stripping is complete, proceed with reapplying 2-4 coats of finish.