

# nora® MAINTENANCE GUIDE

noraplan® Products

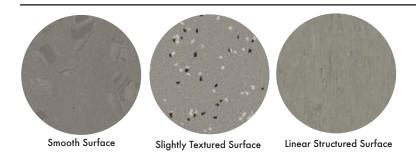


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# MAINTENANCE GUIDE: noraplan® PRODUCTS (EXCLUDING noraplan® lona)

#### Surface Textures



#### General Remarks

nora® floor coverings have a natural luster and do not require any artificial coatings.

# General Precautions

- 1. Always use "wet floor" signs and/or caution tape when performing any wet cleaning.
- 2. Refer to SDS for personal protective equipment requirements before using cleaning products.
- 3. The floor will be slippery when wet or contaminated with foreign materials. Promptly clean up spills and any foreign materials to maintain the flooring's slip-resistant properties.
- 4. Never use grit brushes, or black, brown or 3M™ diamond cleaning pads.
- 5. Use a 3M<sup>™</sup> #5100 (red), #5000 (light green) or #5300 (blue) cleaning pad (depending on the amount of soil) for all noraplan® surfaces (excluding noraplan lona), unless a different pad is specified in this guide.
- 6. To reduce dirt, debris and moisture coming into the facility, maintain walk-off mats at all exterior entry points.
- 7. Spots from petroleum-based products such as grease and tar must be removed with spotting agents containing solvents. Immediately rinse with water after spot removing and allow to dry.
- 8. Do not allow any metal furniture or trash cans to be in contact with the wet floor.
- 9. For areas with construction damage, please contact the nora® Technical Department.
- 10. Follow facility's Standard Operating Procedures (SOP).
- 11. For specific written cleaning protocols, please contact the nora Technical Department.

#### Post-Installation Maintenance

A general cleaning must be performed before the area is occupied. Wet adhesives must be allowed to cure for 72 hours post-installation. If nora® nTx or nora® dryfix 750 adhesives were used, the general cleaning can be performed immediately. If joints/seams are cold welded, flooring can be wet mopped after 8 hours, machine scrubbed after 24 hours and, if required, burnished after 72 hours.

- 1. Dust mop or vacuum the floor to remove dirt or grit.
- 2. Wet mop the floor using a neutral cleaner solution diluted as per the manufacturer's mixing instructions.

- 3. Scrub the floor thoroughly with a floor scrubber using a 3M™ #5100 (red) or #5000 (light green) cleaning pad (depending on the amount of soil). Use DoodleBug™ pad holder with a red pad for wall base cleaning and in areas where floor scrubbing machines do not reach.
- 4. Wet vacuum the soiled solution. Rinse the floor with clean water and allow to dry.

# Daily Maintenance

- 1. Dust mop or vacuum the floor to remove dust and dirt.
- 2. Damp mop or auto scrub the floor using a 3M<sup>™</sup> #5100 (red) or #5000 (light green) cleaning pad with a neutral cleaner diluted as per the manufacturer's mixing instructions. Use DoodleBug<sup>™</sup> pad holder with a red pad for wall base cleaning and in areas where floor scrubbing machines do not reach.

Note: Mopping with microfiber mops promotes better dirt removal.

#### Periodic Maintenance

- 1. Dust mop or vacuum the floor to remove dust and dirt.
- 2. Wet mop the floor using a pH-neutral cleaner solution as per the manufacturer's mixing instructions. Allow the solution a minimum dwell time of 10 minutes
- 3. Scrub the floor thoroughly with a floor scrubber using a 3M™ #5000 (light green) or #5300 (blue) cleaning pad (depending on the amount of soil). Use DoodleBug™ pad holder with a red pad for wall base cleaning and in areas where floor scrubbing machines do not reach.
- 4. Wet vacuum the soiled solution, rinse the floor with clean water and allow to dry.

# Acceptable Pads

Post installation maintenance	3M™ #5000 (light green), 3M™ #5100 (red), DoodleBug™ red pad
Daily maintenance	3M™ #5000 (light green), 3M™ #5100 (red), DoodleBug™ red pad
Periodic maintenance	3M™ #5000 (light green), 3M™ #5300 (blue), DoodleBug™ red pad

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# MAINTENANCE GUIDE: noraplan® lona

# Surface Texture



#### General Precautions

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- Use a 3M<sup>™</sup> #5100 (red) or #5000 (light green) (depending on the amount of soil) for the noraplan<sup>®</sup> lona surface, unless a different pad is specified in this guide.
- 6. To reduce dirt, debris and moisture coming into the facility, maintain walk-off mats at all exterior entry points.
- 7. Spots from petroleum-based products such as grease and tar must be removed with spotting agents containing solvents. Immediately rinse with water after spot removing and allow to dry.
- 8. Do not allow any metal furniture or trash cans to be in contact with the wet floor.
- 9. For areas with construction damage, please contact the nora® Technical Department.
- 10. Follow facility's Standard Operating Procedures (SOP).
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The following procedures should be performed by the facility:

- 1. Dust mop or vacuum the floor to remove dirt or grit.
- 2. Wet mop the floor using a neutral cleaner solution diluted as per the manufacturer's mixing instructions.
- 3. Scrub the floor thoroughly with a floor scrubber using a 3M™ #5100 (red) or #5000 (light green) for heavier soiled areas. Use DoodleBug™ pad holder with a red pad for wall base cleaning and in areas where floor scrubbing machines do not reach.
- 4. Wet vacuum the soiled solution. Rinse the floor with clean water and allow to dry.

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