

Maintenance Instructions

for varnished and oil-treated parquet floorings as per norm DIN 18356



General Information

The natural stature, the colour of the wood and its characteristic structure give a beautiful splendour to the parquet flooring. The specially treated surface protects the parquet against wetness and dirtiness, to the greatest possible extent. Immediately after the binding of the adhesive the parquet can be used.

Please take care that heavy furnishings are moved and pushed in a smooth manner. Tables and chairs should have felts under their legs. Carpets and other rugs should be suitable for parquet floorings.

Rollers of chairs and other casters should be soft enough - as per German Norm DIN EN 12529. Sharp-edged dust can damage the parquet, so please use doormats at the entrance. To maintain the beauty of the parquet, a regular cleaning is indispensable. Never use any scrubbing brushes or scouring powder/cloth or other strong/sharp polishing materials to clean the parquet flooring.

Recommended physical climatic conditions

To have a favourable well-being for man and the parquet a temperature of 20 °C and a relative humidity of 50-60% should be given. Higher humidity let the wood swell, lower humidity let the parquet swindle, so more or less joints can appear.

General details about the JASO cleaning and maintaining products

The products CLEAN & CARE and WISCH-FIX can be used for varnished and oil-treated parquet floorings. Contrary to other products, where the layer of the care products becomes more and more, which has been removed some time, our products cleans and maintains the parquet continuously. Please observe the cleaning and maintaining instructions carefully.

After the Laying

After the laying of varnished parquet floorings a general cleaning, as described under "current cleaning and care," has to be made. Fast damp-reacting woods like Beech should be first treated with the product FILL AND FINISH (from Berger-Seide). This product can be applied with a spatula (with rounded edges,) a rubber wiper or with a not fluffing cotton cloth. After the applying the whole surface should be polished (i.e. with a polishing machine, under the use of a white pad).

When oil-treated floorings had been laid a general cleaning, as also described under “current cleaning and care” should be made. Heavily frequented parquet floors should first be treated with JASO CLEAN & CARE. This basic care product has to be applied not-diluted, thinly and evenly onto the parquet under the use of a not fluffing cotton cloth, so that no mat places are coming into being.

Current cleaning and care

Regular cleaning provides a hygienic condition. Dirt, sand and allergy-releasing dust are removed. You should mostly clean the parquet dry with a floor-cloth, a broom or a vacuum cleaner.

Sometimes, you can add 2 caps of JASO WISCH-FIX into 5 litres of water to clean the parquet wet, but please wring out the floor-cloth until it is only “fog-moist”(as just having been taken out of the spin-drier).

Strong stains can be removed with JASO CLEAN & CARE.

Refreshing care

The frequency of cleaning and maintaining should be adapted to the respective requirements, as too much cleaning let the parquet degrease, too much maintenance let the parquet shine and increases the danger of accident.

Please follow the instructions as stated above concerning JASO CLEAN & CARE.

Additional Remarks

Should it happen that parts of the varnishing coats are worn out we are recommending to sand off the parquet surface and to varnish it again.

Oil-treated parquets can be renovated with colourless wax oil (resp. white-pigmented wax for white-oiled parquet). This product is not contained in the care-set.

These indications are based on the actual experiences we made in the past and are given without liability and subject to change. Any contractual obligations are not justified from the sales contract.