

HARO

GERMAN QUALITY FLOORING

Cleaning Instructions for floors with an oiled surface



Initial care following Installation - then Annually

We recommend you apply **HARO Intensive Care Maintenance Treatment** (Clean & Green **Aqua Oil**) to your floor soon after installation. This acts as a moisturiser for the timber and protects it from spills and marking. Simply apply a thin and even coat of Aqua Oil (undiluted) using an Oil Applicator Pad on your mop. Work in parallel lines following the grain of the wood. The floor can be walked on again after approximately 2x hours.



Thereafter, we recommend applying **HARO Intensive Care Maintenance Treatment** (Clean & Green **Aqua Oil**) at least **once a year**. The floor should first be cleaned thoroughly and be free of dust (use **HARO Basic Cleaner** [Clean & Green Intense for **Occasional Deep Cleaning**] for this).

Regular Cleaning

Firstly, vacuum the floor to ensure removal of grit and loose dirt (ensure the wheels of the vacuum do not have grit on them and move freely).

Then mop the floor with a Bona Spray mop. When the reservoir on the mop is empty of cleaning liquid, refill with ½ **teaspoon** of **HARO Cleaning Parquet** (Clean & Green Natural) and fill to the marked level with COLD water. Always mop the floor following the direction of the grain (length wise).



Occasional Deep Cleaning

Occasionally you will need to give your floor a more intensive / deeper clean, or your floor may have a spill or mark that needs extra attention. For this use **HARO Basic Cleaner** (Clean & Green Intense for **Occasional Deep Cleaning**). Apply this in the same way as Clean & Green Natural.

If required, repeat the process. For extra difficult spots or marks, use 'neat' on a microfibre cloth but rub very gently for a short time, then leave to dry.



Care Tips for Timber Floors

- DO NOT USE HOT/WARM WATER (COLD WATER ONLY).
- DO NOT USE A WET MOP – Damp only is sufficient.
- DO NOT USE A STEAM CLEANER.
- AVOID LETTING WATER STAND ON YOUR FLOOR.
- PLACE FELT PADS under furniture e.g. bar stools, chairs, tables, etc.
- USE MATS for entry points – small stones caught under shoe soles can scratch your floor.
- CHECK pet water bowls and pot plants have protection underneath.
- MOVE rugs / mats around especially during the first 12 months so your whole floor has an equal exposure to natural light.

To purchase these products and for more information see: www.haro.co.nz