

LINOLEUM SURFACES

DRYING ROOM YELLOWING

A natural phenomenon occurs in linoleum products commonly referred to as "drying room yellowing." While the linoleum is curing in the drying room, a yellowish film/discoloration may appear on the surface. Note: This occurrence is not a product defect. The film/discoloration will disappear after the linoleum is exposed to either natural or artificial light. It can take from a few hours to a few weeks depending on the intensity of the light source. This phenomenon may likely occur again if areas of the linoleum surface are covered by items (books, monitors, etc.) for extended periods. As with drying room yellowing, this will disappear once the surface is exposed to light.

ROUTINE CLEANING OF LINOLEUM SURFACES

Clean daily/weekly with a damp cloth, or if necessary, with a neutral detergent (pH 7) diluted in water, according to manufacturer's recommendations (Johnson Wax Stride Citrus Neutral Cleaner or similar). **Fingerprints:** Remove fingerprints with a damp cloth, or, if necessary, with a neutral detergent (pH 7) diluted in water, according to manufacturer's recommendations (Johnson Wax Stride Citrus Neutral Cleaner or similar). **Coffee, tea and alcohol:** Spilled coffee, tea or alcohol should be removed immediately from the surface to prevent these substances from marking and penetrating into the material. Take precautionary measures by putting coasters and tablemats under glasses, cups, plates etc. **Ink:** Remove ink stains immediately with a neutral detergent (pH 7) diluted in water. **Water:** Sweating flowerpots and vases and spilled water may cause lime deposit stains. Therefore, use protective mats.

INTENSIVE CLEANING OF LINOLEUM SURFACES

Strip: Apply Johnson Wax Professional LinoSafe Stripper diluted 1:6 to the entire surface using a green pad or soft brush. Rinse the surface with cool clean water and allow to dry thoroughly. **Seal:** When dry, apply one coat of Johnson Wax Professional LinoBase sealer and allow to dry completely (+/- 30 minutes) **Finish:** When dry, apply finish using a lamb's wool applicator to prevent streaking. For a matte finish, apply one coat of Johnson Wax Professional CareFree matte finish. For a gloss finish, apply one coat of Johnson Wax Professional CareFree or Vectra finish. For further technical information about the Johnson Wax Professional products and their proper use, contact your Johnson Wax Professional representative at 1-800-558-2332. **For Added Protection and Gloss:** For added protection, use Johnson Wax Professional Linobase and/or two coats of Johnson Wax Professional CareFree Matte. For added gloss, use Johnson Wax Professional CareFree High Gloss.