

Care Instructions

Laminex™ laminates do not easily scratch or chip and will withstand normal wear and tear. They are also stain resistant therefore the best cleaning agent for laminate surfaces is clean water and mild detergent. It is also recommended that you rinse detergent off with a clean, damp cloth and polish the surface dry with a soft cloth.

Metallic

Laminex™ metallic are intended for interior use in vertical decorative applications. The lacquered surface of Laminex™ metallic has similar properties to a high quality wood lacquer, thus the surface could be damaged by hard objects and some solvents.

The metallic surfaces have low resistance to impacts and low resistance to abrasions. Avoid the use of solvents for cleaning purposes. Any spillage of liquids should be removed as soon as possible. Avoid the use of abrasive cleaners, even those in liquid form. Laminex™ metallic should only be cleaned with a soft, moist cloth or moist chamois leather and then dried with a soft, dry cloth. A mild cleaning agent such as glasscleaner can be used to remove smudges and smears. Do not place hot objects on the surface.

Magnetic & Writable

Laminex™ magnetic/writeable laminate can be cleaned with non-abrasive or non-harsh alkaline cleaning agents. Do not use abrasive scourers and cleaners, even those in liquid form, as these may permanently reduce the stain resistance of the surface. These laminates should only be cleaned using a soft, moist cloth or moist chamois and then dried with a soft dry cloth.

Gloss finishes suitable for marking with whiteboard markers (not permanent markers). Once dry, these markings can be wiped off using a clean soft dryboard eraser or clean soft cloth, such as a microfibre cloth. If the cloth or the eraser is not clean the ink will be pushed across the surface rather then removed.

There is no guarantee that Laminex™ magnetic/ writeable laminate can always be cleaned so that they are completely free of residue or markings, because the use and quality of marker pen is beyond our control. The age, operating time and storage of board markers have a big impact on the cleaning result. Please check the

recommendations by the manufacturers of the marker pen before use.

For a thorough cleaning, we recommend the use of Isopropyl Alcohol (IPA) and a soft cloth or microfibre cloth

Quick reference

Care and maintenance for individual Laminex™ Laminate finishes

Metallic

Clean these items with a soft, damp, non-abrasive cotton cloth and a mild liquid detergent. Do not use solvents, abrasive cleaners or waxes on metallic laminates. Mild glass cleaners may

Magnetic/Writeable

If used as a whiteboard surface then only whiteboard markers with the brand Artline or Staedtler should be used. The use of permanent markers is not recommended as while it is possible to clean off, they may leave ghosting or non-removable marks over time. A a clean soft or microfiber cloth (no wetting) should remove whiteboard marker pens. If necessary, a soft cloth made damp with water can also be used. For a thorough cleaning we recommend the use of Isopropyl Alcohol (IPA) and a soft cloth.

