

Melamine-coated surfaces



CLEANING AND CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Melamine-coated surfaces are particularly easy to clean, hygienic and durable. Nevertheless, the following applies: correct cleaning and handling extends the service life and maintains the attractive appearance.

General cleaning

A soft, slightly damp cloth in combination with a mild, commercially available cleaning agent is usually sufficient for regular cleaning. Make sure you use non-abrasive agents. After wiping with a damp cloth, the surfaces should always be wiped dry.

Suitable are for example:

- Washing-up liquid or mild liquid detergents based on surfactants
- Soap suds
- Soft sponges or cotton cloths

Please do not use microfiber cloths, as these can have a slightly abrasive effect, depending on their structure.

Heavy soiling

Stubborn stains such as ballpoint pen or felt-tip pen marks can be carefully treated with solvent-based cleaners. These are well suited:

- Spirit
- White spirit
- Nail polish remover (contains acetone)

Important: Clean the surface afterwards with a damp cloth and wipe dry. Ensure good ventilation when using volatile substances and always test cleaners on an inconspicuous area.

Attention: Edges made of ABS or PVC must not come into contact with solvents – only use mild cleaning agents without an abrasive effect.

What should be avoided

Some substances can permanently damage the surface. These cleaning agents and tools are not suitable:

- Abrasives, scouring powder, steel wool
- Waxes and furniture polishes
- Polishing agent
- Bleaching agent (e.g. hydrogen peroxide)
- Strong acids and descaling agents (e.g. formic or aminosulfonic acid)
- Oven cleaner, drain cleaner, silver cleaning agent

These agents either attack the decor surface, loosen edge gluing or form a dirt-binding layer on the surface.

Additional handling instructions

Melamine-coated surfaces are heat-resistant, but not heat-proof. Hot objects or heat sources should therefore never be placed directly on the surface. Repeated heavy mechanical stress such as knocks or blows should be avoided.

Basic rule

The faster soiling is removed, the easier it is to clean.

Test all cleaning agents and methods on an inconspicuous area, e.g. on the underside, before using them on large surfaces.

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