



## Care & Cleaning of Inside Out Performance Faux Leather

Inside Out Performance Fabrics® meet and exceed all testing requirements for durability and safety as it relates to industry standards. Fabrics are free of potentially harmful levels of chemicals and flame retardants such as PFOS, PFOA, formaldehyde, heavy metals, phenols and phthalates.

### **CLEANING CODE = S W B**

Fabrics are cleanable with water-based detergents and bleach.

### **GENERAL CLEANING FOR INSIDE OUT PERFORMANCE FAUX LEATHER**

Maintenance requires promptly treating spots and stains and should include routine, on-going care which reduces soil build-up on a fabric's surface. We recommend using a soft cloth to regularly wipe off any build-up of dust, dirt, and pollen.

### **SPOT CLEANING FOR EVERYDAY MESSSES**

The spot cleaning method of stain removal can be used for most light to medium stains. Only use non-abrasive cloths to prevent scratching the vinyl surface.

1. Blot up liquids on the surface with a clean, soft towel and brush off any loose debris.
2. Prepare a soap-based enzyme detergent solution of 1/4 tsp. standard dishwashing liquid per 1 cup of lukewarm water.
3. Apply the cleaning solution using a misting spray bottle.
4. Lightly wipe the affected area with a sponge or cloth, working from the outside of the stain inward so as not to spread the stain. Rinse sponge or cloth frequently.
5. Rinse thoroughly to remove all soap as residue will attract dirt. Blot excess moisture with a clean, soft towel or sponge.
6. Repeat as needed.
7. Allow fabric to air dry completely.

### **SPOT CLEANING FOR MOLD AND MILDEW GROWTH**

The use of bleach is recommended for mold and mildew caused by exposure to the outdoors. Inside Out Performance Fabrics do not promote the growth of mold and mildew, rather, it grows on the dirt particles that cling to the surface of fabrics. *NOTE: Always test in an inconspicuous area first to ensure cleaner doesn't affect the color of the fabric. Do not use bleach in proximity to any other textile.*

1. Remove any loose debris.
2. Prepare a bleach-based cleaning solution. Bleach should be diluted with water on a 1:4 ratio.
3. Apply the bleach based cleaning solution using a misting spray bottle.
4. Lightly wipe the affected area with a sponge or soft cloth. Make sure to work from the outside of the stain inward so as not to spread the stain. Rinse sponge or cloth frequently.
5. Blot and thoroughly rinse fabric with water until the stain is cleaned. *NOTE: Make sure that all bleach is rinsed off of the surface of the fabric.*
6. Allow fabric to air dry completely.

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