

Easy Care for Home Furnishing Fabrics/Upholstery treated with TEFLON[®] Fabric Protector

General Tips

- Always treat stains **promptly**.
- **Sponge** the stain, **never rub**. A gentle blotting action with an absorbent cloth or sponge is most effective. Work inwards from the outside edges to avoid spreading the stain.
- Blot up wet or oil-based spills quickly with an absorbent cloth, tissue or sponge. For solid or semi-solid spills, lift off excess before treating using a dull knife or spatula.
- If the stain has already dried, gently brush off any excess material, then dab gently with a damp cloth or sponge until it disappears.
- **Never** try to remove the stain with household detergents such as washing-up liquid.
- Vacuum carpets and upholstery regularly to remove accumulated dirt, which can fade colours and accelerate wear. When vacuuming upholstery, use special brushes and nozzles provided for more effective cleaning.
- It is recommended to have carpets and furnishings professionally cleaned from time to time.
- Never use water or liquid detergents on velvets

Important! Before cleaning or treating stains, see manufacturer's care instructions. When removing a stain, test any stain-removing product (including water) on a hidden part of the furnishing to ensure fabric and/or colour is not affected. For large or serious stains, DuPont recommends you consult a professional upholstery cleaner.

N.B.: TEFLON[®] treatment is durable to washing and dry cleaning. Warm ironing improves performance of TEFLON[®].

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Easy Stain Removal Guide

Grease, oil

Follow method **B** described below.

Chocolate, coffee

Sponge with lukewarm water.

Wine, milk, soft drinks

Follow method **A** described below.

Blood

Treat with a mixture of 2 tablespoons of salt to 1 litre of water. Rinse and blot with dry cloth. For persistent stains, sponge with ammonia solution described in method **A**.

Wax, candle

Gently scrape off wax with dull knife or spatula. Use method **B** or cover spot with several layers of absorbent paper and apply a warm iron.

Fruit

Sponge with cold water.

Ballpoint pen, ink

Treat with rubbing alcohol using method **A**.

Mud

Gently lift off as much as soil as possible with dull knife or spatula. Allow to dry, then vacuum. For persistent stains, use ammonia solution described in method **A**.

Pencil

Use method **B**, followed by a small amount of ammoniated liquid detergent. Rinse thoroughly.

Urine, sweat

Use method **A**, followed by a small amount of ammoniated liquid detergent.

Vomit

Gently lift off vomit and sponge thoroughly with cold water, then use method **A**.

Cleaning Methods

A Use only water-based commercial cleaning agents. Alternatively, mix 2 tablespoons of ammonia with 1 litre of water. Blot the stain gently with a cloth dampened with this solution, turning continually so that only the clean part of the cloth is in contact with the stain.

B Use only mild, pure, water-free dry-cleaning solvents. Dampen a cloth with the solution and follow the procedure described in **A**.