

Maintenance & Handling of AVL Wood Products

1. Allowing moisture to accumulate on or stay in contact with any wood surface, regardless of how well finished, will cause damage.
2. Prevent direct contact with moisture and wipe dry immediately should any occur.
3. Use a soft, lint-free white cloth lightly dampened for removing dirt, fingerprints, etc.
4. Remove oil or grease deposits with a mild flax soap, following its directions for dilution.
5. Do not use abrasives, chemical or ammonia cleaners on fine architectural woodwork surfaces.
6. Light Marks/scratches: Use Acetone and a small white rag. Rub gently over the scratched area. Do NOT rub intensely in one small area as this will cause a shiny spot.
7. Avoid excessive or repetitive impact.
8. Avoid localized high heat, such as a hot pan or plate, or a hot light source, close to or in contact with the finished surface.
9. Protect panels from direct sunlight. If installing panels in areas of heavy sun (ie: lobby or entryway with windows) protect the panels by using filtering shades or film on windows.
10. Maintain the temperature between 60°F and 90°F and relative humidity between 35% and 45% around the woodwork in accordance with the guidelines set in the “Handling of AVL Wood Products” document, every hour of every day, to minimize wood movement.
11. Do not apply masking tape or other adhesive products to the face of finished woodwork.