

Durcon SPC Care & Maintenance

Solid Phenolic Compact (SPC) has superior resistance to scratches, harsh chemicals, extreme temperatures and impact, making it ideal for horizontal and vertical laboratory applications. While extremely durable, a regimen of general maintenance is recommended in order to ensure surfaces remain safe and attractive.

SPC is non-porous and does not support bacterial growth, making it easy to clean in most cases. The chart below describes recommended methods for keeping your SPC looking new for the life of the installation. Note: Always start with the mildest cleaning method and progress to more stringent methods if required.

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Periodic Maintenance, Light Staining	Wipe down surface with a damp cloth and mild soap, followed by a wet cloth. Dry with paper towels to prevent streaks.
Normal Staining, Prolonged Exposure	Wipe surface using a clean cloth and hot water. For persistent stains, a soft sponge or nylon brush and a non-abrasive household cleaning solution may be used.
Heavy Staining	Apply a cleaning detergent to the stain and leave overnight, removing with a wet cloth the following day. If stain persists, a light-abrasive cleaning solution may be used with great care to not damage the surface.
Residue Build-up	For residue such as wax or paraffin, use a plastic or wooden spatula to carefully remove the material, and clean the remaining stain using a method described above.
Physical Damage	If the top is physically damaged, such as a scratch that penetrates the surface, Durcon recommends replacing the top.

Thank you for purchasing Solid Phenolic Compact surfaces by Durcon. We hope you are completely satisfied with this product and its ease of cleaning, long-term performance and aesthetic appeal. For further information or questions, please contact a Customer Service Representative by email at sales@durcon.com or by phone at +1 (512) 595-8000.