

Instruction of massive parquet installation and maintenance

Massive parquet has to be protected from humidity

- Before installation, it is required a period of product acclimatization for at least 48 hours, at a temperature of 18 – 21 degrees Celsius and a humidity of 50 – 60%.
- The parquet will be installed immediately after the package is opened.
- The parquet has to be installed only after a previous close analysis of the surface on which it will be installed.
- The floor has to be perfectly flat, smooth and dry. Any eventual defect has to be eliminated before the installation.
- Massive parquet can not be installed in rooms with high humidity (bathrooms, saunas, kitchens).
- Massive parquet can not be installed in rooms where exists a floor heating system.

The less dirt will get in contact with your floor the better will last in time its brilliance and initial aspect. Because dust, sand and pebbles damage parquet surface, it is recommended that to be installed at the home entrance a grated for shoes in order to eliminate any possible dirt.

Correct maintenance of massive parquet

Cleaning: Dust and other light dirt will be removed with the help of a vacuum cleaner or a well squeezed mop, after it was introduced in a special detergent solution for parquet or other cleaning products that do not contain ammonia.

Stain removal: Stains are best removed as soon as they were produced, then wipe the place with a soft, well squeezed cloth.

For stain removal, use:

Synthetic solutions – in the case of fruit, milk, tea, bear, wine, sauce stains

Alcohol – if the stains are made of ink, pen or lipstick

Gasoline – for chocolate, grease, shoe cream, traces of heels stains

Warm water – for blood stains

Re-varnishing and re-oiling of massive parquet

After a long period of use, massive parquet loses its shine, but may be re-varnished or oiled again, quite easy, after a previous polish of the floor, the polish is made until it reaches pure wood, then the dust is vacuumed and cleaned with a clean cloth. It is indicated that all stains to be removed. The polishing is made with a flint paper, with a granulation between 120 and 180. It will be vacuumed again and will be cleaned with a soft, clean cloth. For varnishing or oiling it has to be used a varnish or oil especially for wood, best one recommended by a specialist. The indication of varnishes producer must be followed.