

Care & Maintenance of your Bamboo Wooden Flooring

Strand Woven Bamboo flooring is a natural product derived directly from the culm (stem) of the plant which grows wild in the mountainous regions of China.

- Environmentally sustainable – natural regeneration of the plant every 5 years.
- Dimensionally stable.
- Superior finish with 4 coats of aluminum oxide and 2 coats of polyurethane scratch resistant top coats.
- Formaldehyde Emission – Below recommended World Health Organization levels.

While your Bamboo flooring is highly resistant to stains and abrasions, it is not indestructible. In order to maximize the durability of your floor, we recommend the following as part of your floors normal care and maintenance.

- Place a doormat outside the exterior entrance to collect excess moisture, sand, grit etc. Spillage won't mark your floor provided that you wipe it up immediately. Don't allow water to lie on the floor.
- Blot up spills or water from wet feet or footwear
- Use protective felt pads under furniture legs and avoid sharp or pointed objects with concentrated weight on one spot.
- First sweep before you mop the floor – use 5 caps of **Loba Cleaner** diluted in a 5 liter bucket of water. Squeeze mop properly it must be just damp – mop towards yourself to avoid smearing dirt over clean areas. Ideally use 2 buckets – one with soap water & one with clean water for rinsing
- Dry floor with a soft clean cloth.
- Remove persistent stains with a mild detergent or methylated spirit
- After a few years dependent on wear & tear – **Loba Parquet Care** can be applied in conjunction with **Loba Care Remover** to refresh & bring your floor back to their original look.
- If the floor has been subjected to considerable wear, it can be renovated with a **Loba Floor Care Gloss or Loba Matt Finish**.

DON'T'S

Do not allow excess liquids to remain on the floors surface.

Do not use soap-based detergents, abrasive cleaners, or clean and shine products that wax or polish the floor.

Do not use steel wool other scouring pads that may scratch.

Do not steam clean or use chemicals that may damage the surface.

Loba products are highly concentrated strong acting cleaners especially for oiled wood floors. They can be obtained from Eurofloors Knysna. 044-3827876 showroom