

HOW TO

PREPARE WOOD FLOORS

Using the Auto-Scrubber Method (moderate finish buildup, some peeling, heavily soiled and marked)

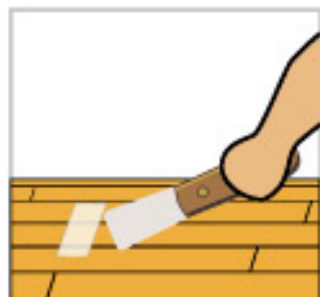
Most wood floors can be brought back to a like-new condition with a deep scrub and recoat process, eliminating the difficult and time consuming tasks of sanding, re-stripping, and applying multiple coats of seal and finish. On floors with moderate finish buildup, some peeling, and/or a heavily soiled or marked surface, the following Auto-scrubber method will be ideal.

ITEMS NEEDED

Scrapers and Knives
Dust Mop
Auto Scrubber
Pads
Floor Signs/Caution Tape
Rags
Buckets and Wringers

CHEMICALS NEEDED

Elky Pro® Maximum Orange Degreaser (SA-228)
Elky Pro® Kwik Kleen Neutral Cleaner (SA-185)
Elky Pro® Orange Clean N' Shine (SA-5251)



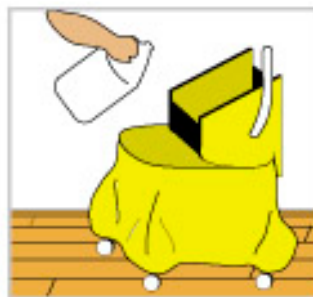
STEP 1

Remove tape, labels, and gum with a razor scraper or putty knife. Angle the blade so you do not damage the finish. Sticker and label residue can be removed with Elky Pro® Maximum Orange.



STEP 2

Dust mop the floor.



STEP 3

Fill Auto Scrubber reservoir or mop bucket with Elky Pro® Orange Clean N' Shine diluted 8 ounces per gallon.



STEP 4

Liberaly apply solution to floor through the auto scrubber (with brushes up and vacuum off) or with mop. Let the solution dwell for approximately five minutes. Keep solution area to about 1,000 square feet.



STEP 5

Double scrub the floor with auto-scrubber equipped with blue or black pads. Be sure to flip or change pads as they pick up soil.



STEP 6

When the entire floor is clean, double rinse the floor with the auto-scrubber equipped with red pads using Elky Pro® Kwik Clean Neutral Cleaner.



STEP 7

Inspect the floor. It should be dull and clean. Trace amounts of white residue from the previous finish are OK. If large amounts are present, rinse the floor again. Let the floor completely dry before finish application

