



# SPORTS FLOOR MAINTENANCE

## Daily

### Tack Cleaning

Dry-dust mop with microfiber mops regularly.

For wet-tacking, combine a diluted solution of GT / Game Time Cleaner with microfiber mops or white cotton bath towels. GT / Game Time Cleaner are excellent choices for streak-free routine cleaning of dirt, grease and scuffs.

- Soak several large bath towels in the solution. Wring them out until damp.
- Wrap a damp towel around the head of a push broom and push across the floor. To prevent redeposit of dirt and oil, refold towel using clean sides. Clean the entire floor using a clean, damp towel as needed.



## Periodically

### Maintenance Cleaning with an Autoscrubber

\*Always dust mop before autoscrubbing to prevent grinding dirt into the floor.

GT / Game Time Cleaner will remove dirt and body oils without leaving a residue.

- Use a clean microfiber buffing pad with a light head pressure.
- Scrub the floor with GT / Game Time Cleaner solution.

### Autoscrubber Tips

- Do not use excessive cleaning fluid (no puddling).
- Check for good operating squeegees to minimize excess moisture left behind.
- Do not use a pad that has been used on other floors in the facility.
- Thoroughly rinse out the solution tank before adding cleaning solution.
- If you notice crowning or cupping, stop autoscrubbing the floor.



## Recoating

Most sports floors should be recoated on an annual basis. Recoat when the original film is showing signs of wear but before the finish has worn down to the bare wood. The Sports Zone™ CGC™ system may be used annually to recoat your sports floor.



### Cleaning Solution Ratios

	Tacking / Spot Cleaning Ratio	Auto Scrubber Ratio
<b>Game Time Cleaner</b>	Automatically dilutes at 2 oz. per gallon through the FastDraw® system	
<b>GT Cleaner</b>	1 : 4 water	2 – 4 oz. per gallon of water
<b>PK Cleaner</b>	1 : 4 water	2 – 4 oz. per gallon of water



### General Maintenance Tips

- DO NOT USE CLEANERS ON NEWLY FINISHED FLOORS FOR AT LEAST 30 DAYS.
- Always clean up any liquid spills immediately.
- Use entrance matting at all doorways and keep vacuumed.
- Avoid scratching the floor when moving equipment.
- Only clean athletic shoes should be allowed on the floor.
- Maintain indoor relative humidity between 35 and 50 percent.

### Eliminate Slippery Floors

If your floor seems slippery, check for the source of the dust. Low humidity, space under outside doors, dirty vents or furnace filters and tracked-in mud can all create dust. Oily residue can be tracked in from hallways or walk-off mats. Improperly used dust mops treatments can also cause a floor to become slippery.

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