

Maintenance guide

1. Treatment after installation

Your composite decking requires no special treatment after installation. Small marks may be visible here and there; these are remnants of protection and dust stuck to the boards. A simple brushing will remove them, along with dust and small cutting debris from installation.

2. Maintenance and cleaning of your deck

Maintaining and cleaning composite wood is very simple.

You can simply scrub the boards with a stiff brush in the direction of the fibres (of the board). Or use a pressure washer at a distance of 50 cm and with the lowest pressure. Direct the **wide** jet in the direction of the boards **at the lowest power (max 80 bar)**. Avoid circular movements.

If your deck shows green or brown marks from organic debris, simply clean it with lukewarm soapy water at neutral pH, using WOCA WOOD CLEANER soap, applied with a brush.

For a more stubborn stain (wine, coffee, fruit juice...), use a scouring sponge and a mild soap (WOCA WOOD CLEANER soap). **Caution: rub gradually while rinsing regularly, as aggressive scouring could leave a mark in the board.** Always rub in the direction of the boards.

As the deck board is 60 % bamboo fibre, the stain will gradually be absorbed and disappear over time.

For rust stains, use a special stain remover intended for this purpose and follow the manufacturer's instructions.

For an oil stain, use a degreasing product diluted in lukewarm water, rub lightly and let it work.

More pronounced marks (cigarettes, charcoal...) or scratches can be attenuated with a light sanding (very fine sandpaper 180-200), always in the direction of the fibres. Sanding may cause a difference in shade that fades over time.

Treating a stain quickly gives better results.

Your composite deck is not the best place for a barbecue area.

In all cases, clean your deck in the shade. Indeed, rapid drying in the sun could cause marks to appear.

Caution: never use black soap, very hot water, acid, acetone, thinner, caustic soda or any other aggressive product. The boards are not resistant to acetone, strong acids, silicone...