

Maintenance Manual

Directions of PVC Leather Maintenance

You can enjoy best of both worlds with our PVC leather: a sense of luxury from faux leather and outstanding weathering performance. Follow below steps to prolong life of sigarten furniture.

1. We recommend warm water with some washing up liquid and a non-abrasive cloth.
2. Wring the cloth out so that it's not dripping wet and wipe over.
3. Follow up by drying off with a soft cloth such as a microfiber cloth. This stops general wear and tear and everyday marks from building up and making the surface look grubby.

General

1. These are only general recommendations that cannot ensure unreservedly 100% removal of stains or any other kind. We recommend in all cases that you consult a local professional cleaner if possible.
2. You can have peace of mind that your patio furniture is in tip-top shape with patio protective covers from sigarten.

Directions of Teak Maintenance

1. Clean teak gently using water and mild detergent for regular cleaning.
2. Clean using cloth, sponge or soft brush.
3. Use abrasive paper to remove and surface scratches or marks that otherwise cannot be cleaned.
4. Do always sand in the same direction as the timber grain, never across the timber grain.
5. Don't use a pressure washer on teak furniture.
6. Don't use stiff or wire brush, or steel wool. This may remove the softer part of the grain, and leave unwanted textured surface.
7. Don't use bleach as this will dis-color the timber.
8. Don't apply paints, oils, varnishes or stains other than teak protector to be acquired by you locally.



For a thorough cleaning

(fabric without water-proof treatment only, and possibly open-cell foam as well)

1. Use the high-pressure pump to wash the dirty stain, just like washing the car. When using the high-pressure pump, please mind the distance from the furniture, in case of fabric damage.
2. Mix the professional disinfectant with the water as 1:100, using the soft brush to remove the stain gently.
3. Mix one-fourth cup of mild soap per gallon of lukewarm water. Use a sponge or very soft bristle brush to lightly agitate the stain. Then rinse thoroughly to remove all soap residues, and allow fabric to air dry.

Directions of Fabric Maintenance

One of the best ways to keep sigarten fabric looking good is to brush off dirt before it becomes embedded in the fabric and wipe up spills or clean soon after a stain occurs. The quicker you clean spills and stains, the more easily they can be removed.

For easy day-to-day maintenance of sigarten fabric:

1. Brush off loose dirt.
2. Spray on a cleaning solution of water and mild soap.
3. Use a soft bristle brush to clean.
4. Allow cleaning solution to soak into the fabric.
5. Rinse thoroughly until all soap residue is removed.
6. Air-dry.
7. Do not dry-clean.
8. Do not wash the fabric with washing machine.
9. Use our water-repellent protective cover to protect the furniture.

Mold and Mildew Stains

Always brush off dirt before it becomes embedded in the fabric and wipe up spills or clean soon after a stain esp. a wet stain from swimming/any liquid occurs. The quicker you clean spills and stains, the more easily they can be removed.

sigarten fabric does not promote mildew growth. However, mildew may grow on dirt and other foreign substances if not removed from the fabric. To remove mold or mildew:

1. Prepare a solution: 1 cup of bleach and one -fourth cup of mild soap per gallon of water.
2. Spray on entire area and allow soaking into the fabric for 15 minutes.
3. Clean entire surface area with a sponge, clean towel or very soft bristle brush.
4. Rinse thoroughly to remove all soap residues.
5. Air-dry under the sunlight.

