



Milgard Windows & Doors

Care of Premium Exterior Vinyl Finishes

CLEANING PROCESS AFTER INSTALLATION:

Remove any protective tape upon completion of window installation and prior to final cleaning. Using a soft wet brush or cloth, remove all debris from the exterior surfaces. Never wipe the exterior surfaces with a dry brush or cloth, as cement or sand deposits will abrade the coating. Any dry cement should be removed immediately with a soft brush, as it will corrode the finish when it becomes wet.

Wash finished surfaces using a mild detergent with a soft sponge, chamois or similar soft absorbent cloth, rinse and dry.

Never use solvent based cleaners on Milgard Premium Exterior Finishes. Use of solvents or solvent based cleaners will void the finish portion of the Milgard Full Lifetime Warranty. For complete warranty details visit milgard.com.

AFTERCARE:

Your Milgard windows and doors with Premium Exterior Finishes have been made with the finest raw materials and manufactured to the highest industry standards. As with all coatings, regular maintenance is necessary to maintain the beauty of the finish and give you years of trouble free performance. Contaminates such as bird droppings or sand from a coastal environment should be removed immediately using the following steps. First, remove any large particles with a soft bristle brush. Then wash the surface using warm water, a mild detergent and a soft absorbent cloth. Never use a dry cloth as hard particles will abrade the finish.

Periodic or seasonal cleaning using the steps above will maintain your premium finish for years to come.

TOUCH-UP:

Your Milgard window order featuring Premium Exterior Finishes comes with a complimentary bottle of touch up paint. This paint is designed to closely match the factory finish supplied on your Milgard windows and doors and is intended for covering small chips and minor scratches. Due to the differences in cure and application the touch up area may not perfectly match the factory finish. To ensure the best possible touch up follow these steps:

Shake bottle of touch up paint for 2 to 3 minutes. Apply 3 light coats using the brush supplied in the paint bottle making sure to avoid drips. Wait at least 15 minutes between coats in normal temperature and humidity (above 50 degrees F). Allow more time to dry in colder temperatures.

PAINT OVER SPRAY ON WINDOWS:

Paint over spray on windows can usually be removed with Windex or mild detergent.