
How To Spray Buff Floors

Purpose

To maintain the floor's appearance and cleanliness without the need to wet scrub or wet strip. Spray buffing picks up oxidized finish and soil, replacing it with Spray Buff solution. It also levels and fills scratches and reduces the need for stripping.

Supplies & Equipment

- Dust Mop (handle, head & frame)
- Putty Knife.

- Floor machine, 175-1000 RPM
- Red floor pad (175-900 RPM)
or
- Natural fiber pad (175-1000 RPM)
- Quart bottle of "Flashback Spray Buff" with trigger sprayer

- Double bucket mop system.
- Wet floor signs.
- Neutral pH floor cleaner; "Rinse-Free" or "Blue Lightning"

Procedure

Prepare the area for spray buffing;

1. Place "Wet Floor" signs at easy-to-see locations near the entrances into the area being spray buffed.
2. Use a putty knife to remove gum and other foreign matter.
3. Use the dust mop outfit to remove dust and surface soil.
4. Damp mop using the "double bucket system" or use an automatic scrubber with a "Red" or "PT-3000" cleaning pad.

Prepare Machine

1. Attach the proper floor pad to the floor machine.
2. Inspect the area to be spray buffed to determine where attention is needed

Prepare

1. Starting at the farthest corner from the entrance "**MIST**" an area in front of the machine approximately 12"

wide and 3' forward. Buff in a left to right motion while moving forward. As you move forward the Spray Buff spreads and buffs in evenly. After you have applied the spray buff in a forward motion, continue to dry buff moving in a reverse pattern. This is the final process which produces the luster.

8. *When high speed buffing (1000 RPM) apply spray buff directly in front of machine, **MIST** in a left to right pattern. Spray a pattern approximately 12" forward and 4' wide. Buff in a forward and back motion. Do not use spray buff on machines over 1200 rpm.
9. When finished, remove the wet floor signs.
10. Clean your floor pads by removing the center die cut piece and brush the surface of the pad. Do not wash Natural fiber floor pads with water.
11. Clean the equipment.

Result

By using this spray buffing procedure, the floor's attractive appearance can be maintained for longer periods without the need of costly stripping and recoating.

The Choices

RPM & Type	SSS Floor Pad
175-350 RPM Standard Floor Machine.	Red Spray Buff Natural Fiber
1000-2500 RPM Electric Burnisher	Natural Fiber Poly Thermal PT 3000 (ice blue)
2000 RPM Battery Powered	Natural Fiber Poly Thermal PT 3000 (ice blue)
Propane Powered	Poly Thermal PT 3000 (ice blue)

RPM & Type	Product
175-400 RPM	Flashback "Spray Buff"
1000-1600 RPM Electric	Top Guard Restorer Topaz Mop-On Restorer
1000-2500 RPM Electric, Battery	Top Guard Restorer Topaz Mop-On Restorer
1000-2500 RPM, Battery, Propane	Top Guard Restorer Topaz Mop-On Restorer

RPM & Type	Floor Finish
175-400 RPM, Spray Buffing	Omega 20 Finish All American Finish Classic 180
1000-2500 RPM Electric, Battery	Defiant Finish Flex Floor Finish Ultimate II Finish
1500-2000 RPM Propane	Defiant Finish Flex Floor Finish Ultimate II Finish

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