

Cleaning Instructions for Ultrasuede®

Ultrasuede® is a natural for use as aircraft upholstery. Along with its luxurious appearance, it is extremely durable and washable. The following information is designed to provide an easy and effective cleaning overview.

Basic Cleaning Instructions:

- Machine wash using delicate cycle
- Mild detergent without bluing agents is recommended (i.e. Woolite, Ivory, etc.). Do not bleach.
- Tumble dry, low-temperature setting.

Cleaning of Stubborn or Heavily Soiled Material:

- Wash as above using liquid Tide. If possible, use Dow Stain Stick or Grease Relief prior to washing.

Instructions for Stain Removal:

- Most stains can be removed with detergents only. Some dry cleaning solvents can also be used.
- Recommended solvents are 1, 1, 1, Trichloroethane and Perchlorethane, contained in products like K2R, DiDi-7, and Miracle.
- For sticky stains or dirt, remove any free matter with a knife or spoon. Pat the stained area with water and mild detergent. Remove detergent solution with a clean cloth and water.
- Dry on a warm setting with a hairdryer or naturally in the air.
- For severe stains, such as automotive grease, use a mild solvent. Moisten a clean cloth with cleaning fluid.
- Pat the stained area until clean. Blot with a clean, dry cloth.

Cleaning Ballpoint Ink:

- Dissolve the ink by dabbing with an absorbent cotton cloth soaked in rubbing alcohol.
- Soak another clean cotton cloth in detergent and spread over the spoiled area. Rub vertically, horizontally, and circularly.
- Crumple and rub with a cotton cloth soaked in warm water to clean off the detergent.
- Dab the soiled area with a cotton soaked in a solution of 8 parts ethanol diluted in 2 parts water.
- Wipe off the ethanol with warm water again. Repeat several times.