



General care instructions for our textile cleaning products.

Care label:   

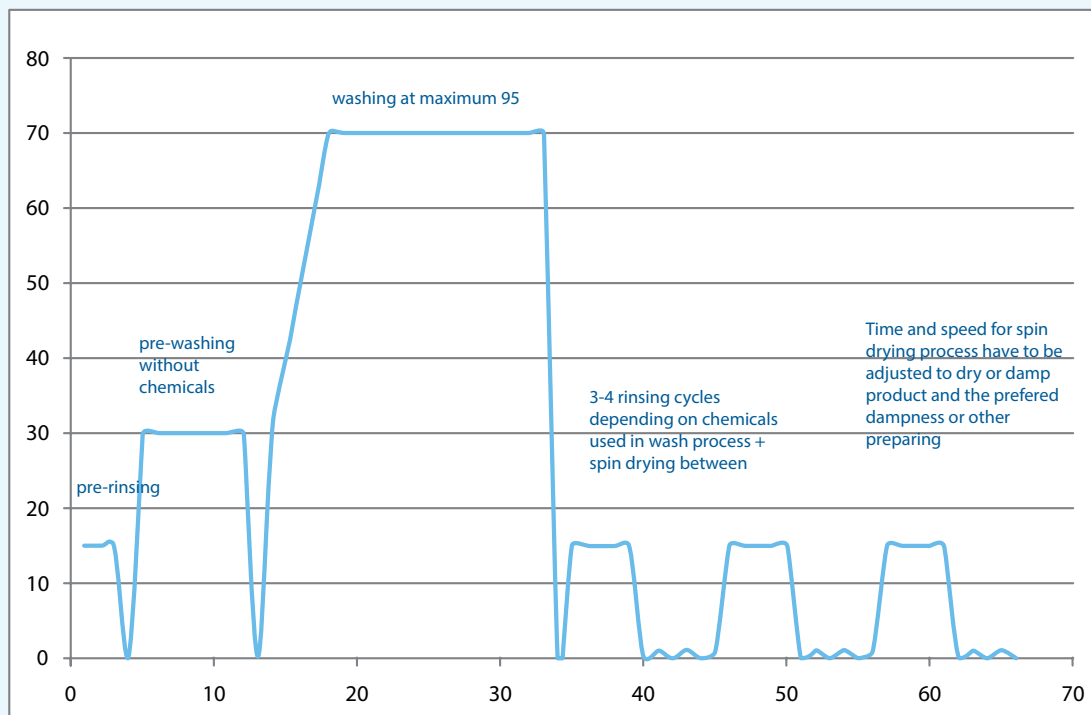
- Do not wash the textiles at a higher temperature than what is indicated on the label.
- Wash the products as soon as possible after use - to reduce the risk that dirt becomes ingrained with stains and odours as result.
- Wash cloths and mops of various types separately - to avoid contaminating each other with lint.
- Shake / brush out loose particles or start with a short rinse with frequent change in a wash machine with valve in bottom - in order to reduce wear and tear caused by sand and gravel in the textile and machinery.
- Pre-washing in cold or lukewarm water 3 times if possible, with no added chemicals - in order to remove any chemicals that can have been used for cleaning and may interfere with or cause a negative impact on the fabric at higher temperatures in the washing process.
Above is especially important if chlorine-based cleaning agents have been used.
- Washing temperature should be adapted to the type of dirt, hygiene requirements and the detergent that are current - incorrect handling leads to premature aging of the products. Use professional help for optimized setting.



- Select a detergent that gives a pH below 10.0 in use (pH 4 and above) - not to cause degradation of the textile fibres, especially in combination and choice of higher temperatures.
- Do not use detergents containing soap or zeolites - both are very difficult to wash out, thereby reducing the fibre's ability to absorb and transport the dirt and wear out the material.

- Do not use chlorine products or other oxidizing chemicals in contact with our textiles - it accelerates the degradation of some fibres and usually leads to colour change.
- Never use quaternary ammonium compounds or other finishing agents, type softeners - they almost always reduce the textile's ability to clean and absorb when they are designed to withstand rather than to attract dirt and moisture.
- All textile products in our professional assortment may if necessary be autoclaved up to 121 °C for 20 min in steam.
- After the effective implementation of laundry process, the products can be tumble dried but avoid to be exposed to dry heat - drying in high temperature is harmful to all textiles and impair the absorption and cleaning performance. Use humidity control that break just before the material reaches its absolute dryness, or set the temperature to max. 55 °C.

Suggestions for washing process:



By using the recommended wash and care instructions Vikan guarantee that the specified products can function satisfactorily up to at least 500 cycles of use. Whether a textile is covered by this guarantee is indicated on the Vikan website and data sheet.

We recommend to use material or energy recovery after achieved life cycle of the product.
The products are not bio-degradeable

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