

Cabinet Care Instructions

Thank you and congratulations on the investment in quality cabinetry for your home!

American Woodmark cabinets represent today's best value in cabinetry for kitchen, bath or any living space in your home. Our cabinets are manufactured to the highest quality standards and backed by American Woodmark Corporation.

Cabinet Care and Cleaning

Your cabinet's "beautiful furniture finish" is designed to protect the surface against normal home use. With proper care, your cabinetry will provide years of beauty and functionality in your home. While our finishing process promotes durability, care should be taken to preserve this finish by cleaning only with mild soaps. You should read all cleaning products' instructions carefully before application.

- Remove dust from cabinets frequently with a soft, lint-free cloth. Slightly dampen the cloth with water or use a polishing product safe for cabinets.
- Clean spills immediately. Use a clean damp cloth and mild soap, if necessary. Wipe dry with a clean, soft cloth.
- Polish wood and laminate cabinet surfaces once every few months, but do not use paste wax, as it builds up and is difficult to remove and will leave a residue that attracts dust and moisture. Do not use polishes containing silicone.
- Do not use detergents, ammonia-based cleaners, steel wool, soap pads or abrasive cleaners on your cabinets.
- Do not place or mount small appliances beneath your wall cabinets. Toasters, coffee makers and other small appliances can produce excessive heat causing damage to your cabinets.

Let Your Wood Cabinets Age Beautifully, Naturally

From Maple and Cherry to Painted and Duraform®, our cabinets come in a wide range of materials and colors. The materials used to make your cabinets are graded to meet industry standards. We pride ourselves on delivering high-quality cabinetry that's built to last a lifetime and stand up to the every day.

Wood is an organic material. Therefore, you should expect variations in texture, color and wood grain. No two pieces of wood are exactly alike, even if from the same tree. These differences in natural color and grain mean that each piece will respond differently to their environment. For example, closed-grain wood absorbs less finish and will vary in color from more open-grained pieces. These variations contribute to the unparalleled beauty and distinction of natural wood.

Our Painted finishes are made with a combination of hardwoods and engineered materials like medium and high-density fiberboards. While this creates a smooth and consistent look, visible features like joint lines are expected with this finish as wood expands and contracts due to environmental factors and seasonality changes. Ultimately, that only adds to the charm of our painted colors.

Extremely durable and long-lasting, our Duraform® finishes stand up to whatever you throw their way. They are made by bonding foils and coatings to composite wood, which gives them a consistent finish and makes them highly resistant to humidity, warping, heat, and fading. Plus, they're very easy to clean.

Over time, exposure to sunlight, smoke and chemicals may cause some materials to fade or vary from their original color. This change in character occurs naturally and is not a defect. It may mean that cabinets added at a later date may not match the color of cabinets installed today. For the same reasons, door samples or displays may not represent the exact color of cabinets at the time of delivery to your home. American Woodmark's warranty does not cover these and other environmentally triggered occurrences, including humidity, which may result in warping or splitting.



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