

Cleaning Guidelines:

Ceilings, Walls, Suspension Systems, and Trim



Due to the potential impact on the finish, please follow the specific guidance below for general cleaning:

- It is recommended that only clear mild detergent cleaners be used, as dyed liquids can permanently discolor the finish of some ceiling tiles.
- Cleaning is only recommended for the finished face of the ceiling and wall panels.
- Mineral fiber and fiberglass ceiling and wall panels should never be soaked in water or other liquids.
- Custom colors or printed Create!™ mineral fiber or fiberglass products should always use Cleaning Option 1.

Cleaning Option 1:

A commercial vacuum system with 100-inches/H2O vacuum capacity is recommended for removing dust particles. The vacuum system cleaning attachment should be a 3" diameter wand with natural hair bristle. A HEPA vacuum filter is recommended to minimize airborne dust during the cleaning process. Care must be taken while vacuuming to avoid excessive pressure. Use a blotting action to minimize potential damage of surface texture on ceiling and wall panels.

Cleaning Option 2:

Using a clean damp cloth or soft, smooth sponge with a mild, clear detergent, wipe lightly on the surface to remove any dirt. Dry any excess moisture with a clean, white microfiber cloth. Note: If moisture is not removed, it may stain the surface over time.

Cleaning conditions and aesthetics may be impacted by additional site conditions. These instructions pertain only to the maintenance of the aesthetics and integrity of Armstrong Ceiling & Wall Solutions products. Please consult the manufacturer's instructions and guidance regarding any cleaning product.

Product	STANDARD CLEANING RECOMMENDATIONS – CEILINGS	
	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
AcoustiBuilt®	•	•
Armatuff®	•	•
Backstage Noir®	•	
Calla® Calla® Health Zone™ Calla® High CAC Calla® High NRC Calla® PrivAssure™ Calla® Shapes for DesignFlex® Calla® Vector® Calla® Templok®	•	•
Calla® Calla® Health Zone™ AirAssure®	•	•
Canyon® Canyon® for Prelude® XL Max®	•	•
Ceramaguard® Ceramaguard® Fine Fissured™	•	•

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	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
Cirrus® Cirrus® High NRC Cirrus® Profiles Cirrus® Second Look® Cirrus® Themes™	•	•
Clean Room™ Clean Room™ FL Clean Room™ FL for Prelude® XL Max® Clean Room™ VL	•	•
Cortega® Cortega® Second Look®	•	•
Designer™	•	•
DesignFlex® for Formations™	•	•
DesignStackz™ Ceiling System	•	•
Dune™ Dune™ Second Look®	•	•
FeltWorks® FeltWorks® Acoustical Panels FeltWorks® Blades – HookOn FeltWorks® Blades – VarAffix™ FeltWorks® Open Cell	•	
Fine Fissured™ Fine Fissured™ for Prelude® XL Max® Fine Fissured™ High NRC Fine Fissured™ Second Look®	•	•
Fissured	•	•
Formations™ Formations™ Curves Cloud Kits Formations™ for Drywall Cloud Kits Formations™ Planks Cloud Kits Formations™ Squares & Rectangles Cloud Kits Formations™ Staggered Cloud Kits	•	•
Georgian™ High Washability	•	•
Graphis® Graphis® Finetex™ Graphis® Rustex™	•	•
Infill Panels	•	•

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	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
Infusions® Infusions® Accent Canopies Infusions® Blades – Concepts Infusions® Lay-in Infusions® Shapes	•	
InvisAcoustics™	•	•
Kitchen Zone™	•	•
Ledges®	•	•
Lyra® Lyra® Concealed Lyra® Capz™ Lyra® Plant Based (PB) Lyra® PB Direct Apply Lyra® PB Shapes for DesignFlex® Lyra® PB High CAC Lyra® Vector® Lyra® PB Vector® Wood Looks	•	•
Mesa™ Mesa™ Second Look	•	•
MetalWorks™ MetalWorks™ 3D MetalWorks™ Blades – Classics MetalWorks™ Canopies MetalWorks™ Capz™ MetalWorks™ Clip-On MetalWorks™ Concealed MetalWorks™ Immix™ Blades Linear MetalWorks™ Open Cell MetalWorks™ Plank MetalWorks™ SecureLock MetalWorks™ Shapes for DesignFlex® MetalWorks™ Tegular MetalWorks™ Tegular for DesignFlex® MetalWorks™ Tin MetalWorks™ Torsion Spring MetalWorks™ Torsion Spring for Behavioral Health MetalWorks™ Torsion Spring Shapes MetalWorks™ Vector® & Vector® Exterior MetalWorks™ Linear MetalWorks™ Linear – Classics MetalWorks™ Linear – Diverge™ MetalWorks™ Linear – Synchro® MetalWorks™ Mesh Expanded Metal Welded Wire Woven Wire	•	•

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	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
Metaphors® Coffers	•	
Optima® Create!™	•	
Optima® Optima® Concealed Optima® Health Zone™ Optima® Lay-in & Tegular Optima® PB Shapes for DesignFlex® Optima® Plant Based Optima® Vector® Optima® Capz™	•	•
Pebble™	•	•
Pueblo™	•	•
Random Fissured™	•	•
School Zone® Fine Fissured™ School Zone® Fine Fissured™	•	•
School Zone® School Zone® Fine Fissured™ AirAssure®	•	•
Serpentina® Serpentina® Classic Serpentina® Components Serpentina® Vault Serpentina® Waves™	•	•
Shasta®	•	•
SoundScapes® SoundScapes® Acoustical Canopies SoundScapes® Basics SoundScapes® Blades SoundScapes® Shapes	•	
SuperCoat™ Touch-Up Paint (Ceiling)	•	•

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	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
TechZone® Panels TechZone® with Calla® Field Panels TechZone® with Lyra® PB Field Panels TechZone® with Lyra® PB Technical Panels TechZone® with MetalWorks™ Field Panels TechZone® with MetalWorks™ Technical Panels TechZone® with Optima® Field Panels TechZone® with Optima® Technical Panels TechZone® with Ultima® Field Panels TechZone® with Ultima® Technical Panels TechZone® with WoodWorks® Field Panels TechZone® with WoodWorks® Technical Panels	•	
Tectum® Tectum® Blades & Baffles Tectum® Clouds & Shapes Tectum® Create!™ Tectum® Direct-Attach Ceilings Tectum® DesignArt™ Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines Finale™ PB Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines High NRC Tectum® DesignArt™ – Shapes Tectum® Finale™ PB Tectum® High NRC Tectum® Lay-in Tectum® Tegular	•	•
Tincraft™	•	•
Tundra®	•	•
Ultima® Ultima® Create!™	•	
Ultima® Ultima® Health Zone™ Create!™	•	
Ultima® Ultima® Health Zone™ AirAssure®	•	•
Ultima® Ultima® for Prelude® XL Max® Ultima® Health Zone™ Ultima® Health Zone™ High NRC Ultima® High NRC Ultima® Lay-in & Tegular Ultima® Shapes for DesignFlex® Ultima® Vector® Ultima® AirGuard™ Coating Ultima® Templok® Ultima® Low Embodied Carbon	•	•

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WoodWorks® WoodWorks® Channeled Plank WoodWorks® Channeled Tegalur WoodWorks® Channeled Vector® WoodWorks® Concealed WoodWorks® Grille – Classics WoodWorks® Grille – Forté WoodWorks® Grille Tegalur WoodWorks® Linear Solid Wood Panels WoodWorks® Linear Tegalur WoodWorks® Linear Veneered Closed WoodWorks® Linear Veneered Panels WoodWorks® Linear Veneered Open WoodWorks® Open Cell WoodWorks® Shapes for DesignFlex® WoodWorks® Tegalur WoodWorks® Torsion Spring WoodWorks® Vector®	•	•

Product	STANDARD CLEANING RECOMMENDATIONS – WALLS	
	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
FeltWorks® FeltWorks® Acoustical Panels	•	
Infusions™ Infusions™ Resilient Partitions Infusions™ Sheets Infusions™ Walls	•	•
MetalWorks™ Linear – Synchro® Wall Panels	•	•
Optima™ Wall Panels	•	•
Painted Nubby™ Wall Panels	•	•
SoundScapes® SoundScapes® Blades SoundScapes® Shapes	•	
Soundsoak® Soundsoak® 85 Fiberglass	•	•
Tectum® Tectum® Create!™ Tectum® Direct-Attach Walls Tectum® DesignArt™ Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines Finale™ PB Tectum® DesignArt™ – Lines High NRC Tectum® DesignArt™ – Shapes Tectum® Finale™ PB Tectum® Finale™ Wall Panels Tectum® High NRC	•	•
WoodWorks® WoodWorks® Channeled WoodWorks® Wall Panels WoodWorks® Grille – Classics WoodWorks® Grille – Forté	•	•

Product	STANDARD CLEANING RECOMMENDATIONS – SUSPENSION SYSTEMS	
	Cleaning Option 1	Cleaning Option 2
Suspension Systems		
Suprafine® XL® Suprafine® XL® 9/16" Exposed Tee Suprafine® XL® Fire Guard™ 9/16" Exposed Tee Suprafine® XL® High Recycled Content Suprafine® XM Suprafine® XM® 9/16" Exposed Tee System for Shapes	•	•
1-1/2" Co-Extruded Clean Room™ 15/16" Co-Extruded Clean Room™	•	•
360° Painted Grid	•	•
Axiom® Axiom® Building Perimeter Pockets for Lutron Shades Axiom® Building Perimeter Shade Pockets Axiom® Classic Axiom® Direct Light Coves Axiom® Drywall Trim Axiom® Glazing Channel Axiom® Indirect Field Light Coves Axiom® Indirect Light Coves Axiom® Indirect Light Ledge Axiom® Knife Edge® Axiom® Moldings & Column Rings Axiom® Paired Axiom® Transitions Axiom® Vector Axiom® Interlude®	•	•
Accessories & Moldings	•	•
Accessories & Moldings – Seismic	•	•
Acoustical & Drywall Transition Molding	•	•
Continuous Load Path (CLP) for Prelude® XL®	•	•
DynaMax®	•	•
DynaMax® Plus	•	•
Drywall Grid Accessories	•	•
FrameAll™ Drywall Grid	•	•
Interlude® XL® HRC Dimensional Tee	•	•

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Prelude® Prelude® Concealed Prelude® ML Prelude® ML 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® XL® Prelude® XL® 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® XL® 15/16" for Exterior Applications Prelude® XL® Fire Guard™ 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® XL® High Recycled Content Prelude® Plus XL® Prelude® Plus XL® Aluminum 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® Plus XL® Fire Guard™ 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® Plus XL® Stainless Steel 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® Plus XL® 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® Plus XL® 15/16" for Exterior Applications Prelude® Plus XL® Fire Guard™ 15/16" Exposed Tee Prelude® Plus XL® High Recycled Content Prelude® XL Max® Prelude® XM Prelude® XM 15/16" Exposed Tee System for Shapes	•	•
QuikStix™ QuikStix™ Drywall Grid System Locking Pocket Mains QuikStix™ Drywall Grid System for Soffits	•	•
ShortSpan® Drywall Framing System	•	•
Silhouette® XL® Silhouette® XL® 9/16" Bolt Slot – 1/4" Reveal Silhouette® XL® 9/16" Bolt Slot – 1/8" Reveal	•	•
SimpleSoffit® Drywall Framing System	•	•
SingleSpan™ Acoustical Corridor System	•	
Suprafine® ML 9/16" Exposed Tee	•	•
Lighting Solutions		
Linear Lighting Linear Lighting for Drywall Linear Lighting for AcoustiBuilt®	•	•