



Painted Wood Cabinet Door Cleaning Guidelines

DO

- Do periodically clean cabinets with a mild detergent and water solution to remove dirt, dust and grease that buildup with routine usage
- Do dampen a soft, non-abrasive cloth and wipe entire exterior surface of cabinetry and dry with a soft cloth

DON'T

- Don't use a wet cloth that allows water to run down the cabinetry and always dry cabinetry immediately if water is spilled onto the surface
- Don't use abrasive cleansers, ammonia or any other type of harsh chemical. These cleaning agents may cause discoloration, scratching, marring and dulling of the finish
- Don't use furniture polishes and waxes on finished cabinetry
 - Furniture polishes alter the original sheen level and may leave a film on the surface that attracts dust and dirt
 - These polishes may also cause an irregular or blotchy appearance because they are unable to stand up to many common kitchen stains

Stained Cabinet Door Cleaning Guidelines

DO

- Use a soft cloth to remove construction/installation dust from the surfaces
- Clean cabinets/doors with a soft cloth and a solution of water and mild dish soap, and dry with a soft, lint-free cloth
- Always wipe with the direction of the grain
- Clean any spills as soon as possible – blot rather than wipe

DON'T

- Do not use your dishcloth to clean cabinetry or doors
- Do not use hard cleaners, detergents, commercial cleaners or abrasives
- Do not use wax or silicone-based polishes

Thermofoil, Laminate & Acrylic Cabinet Door Cleaning Guidelines

DO

- Use a cotton cloth or non-abrasive sponge
 - Option 1: Wipe with a damp cloth or sponge with mild soap
 - Option 2: Wipe with a damp cloth or sponge using 50/50 mix of water and a degreaser, such as Spray Nine or Simple Green

DON'T

- Do not dry wipe
- Do not use harsh household cleaners and abrasives, and always check the active ingredients of the cleaners