

# Arc Clean Tread™ Maintenance Instructions



## Models: KDCP, KDVP

### MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS - ALUMINUM ENTRANCE GRIDS

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It is important to begin a regular maintenance schedule when the grid is new. This schedule will vary depending on the location and amount of traffic to which the mat is exposed.

#### Surface cleaning

##### 1. Carpet inserts

- Vacuum daily for areas that have heavy traffic, or as often as required based on traffic volume.
- When vacuuming will no longer remove soil:
  - a) Blot liquid spills with a clean, absorbent cloth or sponge.
  - b) Scrape semi-solid spills with a spoon or spatula, then blot with clean, absorbent cloth or sponge.
  - c) To prevent the spot from spreading, it is important to work from the outside of the spot in to the center.
  - d) If spot removers are used, always test carpet for color fastness.

##### 2. Vinyl inserts

- Daily or weekly mopping with mild soap and water is recommended.

#### Under-side cleaning

3. Use a commercial cleaner (shop-vac) from the surface.

#### Removal of Grid (for cleaning recess)

4. Each grid is made from modules approximately 1'6" wide or smaller, which are inter-locked to each other. Gently lifting one edge will free the interlock, allowing a small unit to be removed for recess cleaning.
5. NOTE: Care must be taken to mark each module so that they are replaced in the same order that they were removed. This will allow the easy interlocking of the panels as they are reinstalled in reverse order.

#### Inspect grating regularly

6. The frequency of inspection is dependent on the location and amount of traffic in the area.
7. Check to ensure that the mat panels are level (co-planer with adjoining flooring) and obstruction-free.
8. Inspect the carpet inserts regularly to help prevent permanent stains.