

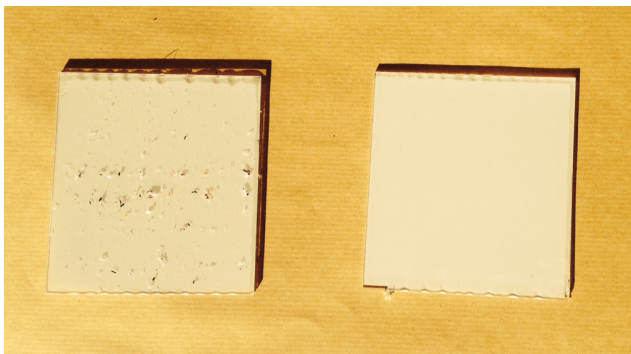
GETTING THE BEST FROM YOUR GLAZING SHEET

In response to requests from customers we have prepared this information on looking after your Polycarbonate Glazing Sheets.

STATIC

Polycarbonate sheet is manufactured with protective film on both sides, which is removed before installation. This generates static, which can result in your new windows showing dust immediately, especially in direct sunlight.

A simple wipe down Anti-Static solution will prevent this being a problem. Easyfix[®] Anti-Static Spray is a formulated mix of Isopropyl Alcohol and water - we applied the following test to illustrate the effectiveness of it:



Taking two small panels of 2mm Polycarbonate, we removed the protective film from one side of each, then sprayed and wiped dry one panel with Easyfix[®] Anti-static Spray. Both panels were then generously sprinkled with PVC dust and shaken vigorously, then photographed. We fully accept that the results are exaggerated, but the treated panel shows not a speck remaining and was a fair representation of our testing.

CLEANING

There are a great many cleaning products on the market so it's not possible to comment on every one, but we have attempted to give general advice based on our testing. We recommend always testing a new product or method on a small area of glazing before widespread use.

The two issues to avoid are scratching the sheet and chemical smears or residue.

Cloths, Paper and Sponges - all need to be clean and uncontaminated before use

- Recommended** - Microfibre cloth
- OK Results** - Fine quality paper, J cloth
- Not Recommended** - Any abrasive material (nylon included), recycled or kitchen paper products, newspaper, sponges

Chemical Cleaners

- Recommended** - Professional glass cleaner, pump action clear window cleaner, smear free multi surface cleaner
- OK Results** - Cream glass cleaner (requires more effort)
- Not Recommended** - Furniture polish, household cream cleaner, any scouring preparation, anything containing wax or propellant, anything that foams