

HOW TO CARE FOR YOUR:

GLASS WINDOWS:

Vacuum dirt from frame and window tracks. Clean window and frame with water and mild dish soap*. Mild, nonabrasive soaps are usually safest for most dirt and stain removal. Always rinse completely with clear water and wipe dry with a clean soft cloth to avoid water spots. Check to make sure that drainage or “weep” holes are always clear of dirt or obstructions both on the inside and outside of the window. Clean screens by first removing, then washing on a flat, clean surface with mild soap and water and a soft brush. Rinse, wipe dry and reinstall.

**Ivory® is an example of a mild soap. Always test cleaners in an inconspicuous area first.*

ACRYLIC WINDOWS:

Acrylics can be scratched with a rough cloth, harsh soaps, or cleaning products and these must be avoided. We recommend for a bright, lustrous look, you use 210® plastic cleaner/polish. Use a non-abrasive soap or detergent and water. Use a soft sponge, cloth or chamois and rinse often to keep it free of grit. Tracks should be cleaned when needed, to keep dirt and other substances out of tracks that could prevent easy operation of rollers or plug up weepholes. **DO NOT USE WINDEX** as it will damage the acrylic.

GARAGE SCREEN ENCLOSURE:

Clean your tracks frequently. Keeping them free from sand and debris will greatly increase the life of your rollers. **DO NOT** lubricate your rollers as this attracts and holds sand. You may clean your enclosure with mild soap and water. **PLEASE NOTE:** Screen can be easily punctured or cut. Remove all jewelry from your hands and arms before cleaning your enclosure.

VINYL WINDOWS:

Vinyl is not glass and should not be treated as you would treat glass. Extreme care must be taken when cleaning your vinyl windows. Do not use any harsh cleaners or detergents. It is imperative that no formulas containing bleach are used, including professional pressure cleaners. For the best results, your windows need to be cool before washing. Make sure all dust and loose sand or grit has been removed from all areas of the frame. This is best accomplished with the soft brush attachment of your vacuum cleaner. We recommend that you use our vinyl cleaner which has been specially formulated for our vinyl windows or Woolite reduced with water in accordance with the instructions on the Woolite bottle. **PLEASE NOTE:** Vinyl can be easily punctured or cut. Remove all jewelry from your hands and arms before cleaning your windows.

You may purchase our vinyl cleaner from your Custom Window Systems, Inc. dealer.

WARNINGS:

Always read your window warranty before proceeding.

Never use abrasive or caustic cleaners or solvents as they cause permanent damage to the finish.

Never use any petroleum based cleaners, or caustic chemicals on your windows.

DO NOT USE WD-40 (as it is petroleum based).

Never use a razor blade, putty knife or abrasive pad to clean your windows.

Do not use a high pressure spray nozzle when rinsing your windows after washing.

Avoid washing windows in direct sunlight.