



BOAT SURFACE CARE GUIDE



1 Wash

- Flagship Premium Marine Wash (No. 65)
- Gel Wash (No. 54)
- Boat Wash (No. 43)

2 Cleaners/Compound

- Color Restorer (No. 44)
- Oxidation Remover (No. 49)
- One Step Compound (No. 67)
- Fiberglass Restoration System (No. 4965)

3 Polish

- Polish (No. 45)

4 Wax Protection

- Flagship Premium Marine Wax (No. 63)
- One Step Cleaner Wax (No. 50)
- Pure Wax (No. 56)
- Flagship New Boat Owner's Kit (No. 6375)

5 Quick and Easy Maintenance

- Quik Clean (No. 52)
- Quik Wax (Trigger, No. 59 or Aerosol, No. 69)

6 Hull Cleaning & Water Spot Removal

- Hard Water Spot Remover (No. 47)
- Black Streak Remover (No. 70)
- Non-Skid Deck & Hull Cleaner (No. 68)

7 Decking, Swim Step, Teak Railing

- Non-Skid Deck & Hull Cleaner (No. 68)
- Gold Teak Oil (No. 46)

8 Canvas Boat Covers & Bimini Tops

- Canvas Cleaner (No. 71)
- Canvas Protectant (No. 72)

9 Clear Plastics and Control Panels

- Mirror Glaze Clear Plastic Cleaner (No. 17)
- Mirror Glaze Clear Plastic Polish (No. 10)
- Mirror Glaze Clear Plastic Detailer (No. 18)
- PlastX (G-123)

10 Vinyl, Rubber Gaskets & Exterior Seats

- Flagship Premium Vinyl & Rubber Protectant (No. 64)
- Vinyl & Rubber Cleaner/Conditioner (No. 57)
- Mirror Glaze Heavy Duty Vinyl Cleaner (No. 39)

All Metal: Chrome Railings Aluminum, Bright Work & Brass

- Metal Polish (No. 93)
- Metal Guard (No. 92)

12 Glass

- Glass Cleaner (No. 75)

13 Interior

- Carpet & Upholstery Cleaner (No. 73)
- Cabin Odor Eliminator (No. 74)

14 Wheel & Tire (Not Pictured)

- Hot Rims All Wheel Cleaner (G-95)
- Hot Rims Tire Coating (Trigger, G-120 and Aerosol, G-138)



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5 STEPS TO FIBERGLASS GEL COAT SURFACE CARE

(STEP 1) • WASH

Frequent washing is a vital step in keeping your finish in premium condition. Washing removes loose contaminants from the surface. If allowed to remain, these contaminants could eventually bond to or etch the surface. Avoid using dish washing detergents or other household cleaners, as these will strip off your wax protection. All of Meguiar's washes are pH balanced and biodegradable to gently clean while preserving your wax.

(STEP 2) • CLEAN

While washing removes loose contaminants from the surface, cleaning or surface prep is intended to remove bonded surface contamination and surface defects. Surface defects can be divided into two groups: above-surface contaminants, and below-surface defects. Above-surface contaminants include tree sap mist, environmental fallout, bugs, spider-droppings, and overspray. Below-surface defects include scratches, swirls, oxidation, water spot etchings, etc.

(STEP 3) • POLISH

Now that the gel coat surface is smooth as glass and free of defects, polishing restores a deep glossy finish by conditioning the gel coat, and restoring its natural oils. Simply put, polishing is the creation of brilliant, high gloss.

(STEP 4) • PROTECT

The only way to keep your finish looking great for long periods of time is to apply a protective coating to preserve the surface. Meguiar's defines protection as preservation of brilliant high gloss. Meguiar's protection formulas provide a durable protective layer that seals in the deep shine created in the polishing step and keeps environmental elements from coming in direct contact with the surface.

(STEP 5) • MAINTAIN

Frequent surface care is easy surface care. The more frequently you care for your boat, the easier the detailing process. Maintenance is the frequent removal of contaminants before they have a chance to bond to the surface or etch it. This step is designed to help you safely remove contaminants without stripping your wax protection, leaving your boat looking as though it has just been detailed everyday.

SURFACE CARE CHART

SURFACE	METHOD	WASH	CLEAN	POLISH	PROTECT	MAINTAIN
New/ Like New Surface	Quick 'n Easy	Boat Wash No.43 or Gel Wash No.54	→		One Step Cleaner Wax No.50	Quik Clean No.52 Quik Wax Trigger No.59 Quik Wax Aerosol No.69
	Best Results	Flagship Premium Marine Wash No.65	→		Polish No. 45	Flagship Premium Marine Wax No.63
Average Surface/ Light Scratches and Oxidation	Quick 'n Easy	Boat Wash No.43 or Gel Wash No.54	Color Restorer No.44		Pure Wax No.56	Quik Clean No.52 Quik Wax Trigger No.59 Quik Wax Aerosol No.69
	Best Results	Flagship Premium Marine Wash No.65	Color Restorer No.44	Polish No. 45	Flagship Premium Marine Wax No.63	Quik Clean No.52 Quik Wax Trigger No.59 Quik Wax Aerosol No.69
Neglected Surface/Heavy Scratches and Oxidation	Best Results	Flagship Premium Marine Wash No.65	Oxidation Remover No.49 or One Step Compound No.67	Polish No. 45	Flagship Premium Marine Wax No.63	Quik Clean No.52 Quik Wax Trigger No.59 Quik Wax Aerosol No.69

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