

Tips & ideas

Cork surfaces

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Cork is a renewable raw material. It consists of the bark of the cork oak, which is peeled about every ten years and reproduces itself again and again. If the cork granulate is bound with natural resins, you are dealing with a genuine natural product – **sound-insulating, warm to the feet, elastic and easy to clean**. LIVOS offers pollutant-free products, from bonding and painting to cleaning and care – eco-friendly, health-friendly and of the highest quality, so that you can enjoy your cork surfaces for years to come.

Cork surfaces are usually treated with three coats of natural resin oils such as the ALBANTO Natural Cork Finish. These penetrate deeply into the cork and form a **water and dirt repellent layer**.

For more colorfulness, priming with suitable products is necessary. In damp rooms the Natural Cork Finish is sufficient. In other rooms an additional finish with a wax product such as the BIVOS Oil Wax is possible. The result is a silky-gloss film that has an antistatic effect and thus reduces dust pollution. Most cork products have an intense inherent odor.

Further information can be obtained from your LIVOS distributor or directly from LIVOS. You can also use our website www.livos.de and our hotline **+49(0)5825 - 88 30**.

Laying, designing, cleaning and maintaining

Laying

Result

Permanently elastic connections through contact bonding

Product selection

- No. 513 DOMO Natural Universal Adhesive

Colorless treatment

Result

Durable, water-resistant surface

Product selection

- No. 799 ALBANTO Natural Cork Finish 3-4 coats



Pollutants from synthetic paints contaminate our indoor air and often lead to diseases of the immune system and allergic reactions. Healthy interiors therefore require the use of products that are safe for health. LIVOS is the first industrial manufacturer to offer paints and stains made from natural and health-friendly raw materials, combining the highest technical quality with a convincing visual effect, consumer health and environmental protection for more than 45 years.

Colored design

Result

Colored cork design and hard-wearing, water-resistant coating

Cream-colored hard-wearing coating

Pre-treatment

- No. 777 ALBANTO Pigment Concentrate + No. 778 ALBANTO Natural Cork Color Binder *for the first coat*
- No. 244 KUNOS Natural Oil Sealer colorless with up to 20% No. 626 MENOS Natural Undercoat *for the first coat*

Finish

- No. 799 ALBANTO Natural Cork Finish *for the 2nd and 3rd coat*
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Finish

Result

Silky-gloss, waxy surface

Silky-gloss, waxy surface with a low-odor product

Finish

- No. 375 BIVOS Oil Wax
- No. 376 BIVOS Oil Wax

Maintenance care

Result

Regular cleaning with a low-odor product

For monthly maintenance care

Waxy refreshment

Oil for maintenance care

Product selection

- No. 556 TRENA pH-Neutral Cleaner
- No. 559 GLANOS Natural Liquid Wax Cleaner
- No. 375 BIVOS Oil Wax
- No. 1862 KUNOS Floor Maintenance *or use the same product that you have used for the initial treatment*

Renovation

Result

Thorough cleaning for heavy soiling

Renewal of worn or damaged wear layers

Finish

- No. 551 LATIS Natural Intensive Cleaner
- No. 799 ALBANTO Natural Cork Finish

