



SPOTTING

Melted Wax

INTRODUCTION

The following procedures will work for melted wax from candles, crayons and paraffin.

PROCEDURE

- **STEP 1**
Remove as much excess wax as you can with a bone scraper and vacuum thoroughly.
- **STEP 2**
Place absorbent paper (paper grocery bags work great – just don't use the side of the bag that has the store logo on it) over the wax. **Terry Cloth** is also effective.
- **STEP 3**
Place an iron on top of the paper and melt the wax into the paper. Never put the iron above 'wool' setting as this will damage fibers.
- **STEP 4**
As the wax melts into the paper, slowly move the paper to a clean spot.
- **STEP 5**
Continue until no more wax is absorbed into the paper.
- **STEP 6**
Apply **Solvent Clean** to the spot and dry vacuum.
- **STEP 7**
If a little color or residue is left, apply **Avenge Spotter**.
- **STEP 8**
Rinse and extract.
- **STEP 9**
Neutralize with **Fab-Set**.
- **STEP 10**
Dry quickly.

Note: This is the most efficient and effective way to remove most wax stains; however, occasionally, you may need to use stronger solvents like **P.I.G.** or **All Solv** in the final steps of removal.

Chemicals Needed



Bridgepoint Spotting Kit
Type: Assorted chemicals & accessories
Highlights: Contains a complete selection of spotting products stored in a SoftSide™ bag.



Solvent Clean
Type: Multi-Purpose Volatile Dry Solvent
Highlights: Excellent spotter for solvent-based stains. Won't set stain and won't create a barrier while cleaning.



All Solv
Type: Dry solvent
Highlights: Excellent spotter for a wide range of stains. All Solv evaporates completely, leaving no resoiling residue.



P.I.G.
Type: Spotting chemical
Highlights: Exceptional paint ink and grease remover. One of the most aggressive non-volatile solvents you will find.



Avenge
Type: Neutral spotter
Highlights: The ultimate spotting chemical. Removes most water-based stains and many oil-based stains.



Fab-Set
Type: Conditioner/neutralizer
Highlights: Prevents soil wicking, browning and yellowing, and will neutralize alkaline residue. Will accelerate reducing.

Accessories Needed



Absorbent Paper (Paper Grocery Bags or Terry Cloth Towel)
Description: Absorbent Paper
Purpose: Used to absorb dye stains and wax during heat transfer systems.



Bone Scraper
Description: Utility tool
Purpose: Aids in agitation and application of chemical.



Iron
Description: Iron
Purpose: Provides heat needed for heat removal techniques.



Power X Spotter
Description: Portable spotting machine
Purpose: Remove spots and stains quickly and efficiently without setting up heavy equipment.



Olympus Portable
Description: Portable Extractor
Purpose: Portable unit that extracts water and chemical from carpet or upholstery.



PROCEDURE

- 1 Remove as much excess wax as you can with a **bone scraper** and vacuum thoroughly.
- 2 Place absorbent paper over the wax.
- 3 Place an iron on top of the paper and melt the wax into the paper or a towel.
- 4 As the wax melts into the paper, slowly move the paper to a clean spot.
- 5 Continue until no more wax is absorbed into the paper.
- 6 Apply **Solvent Clean** to the spot and dry vacuum.
- 7 If a little color or residue is left, apply **Avenge Spotter**.
- 8 Rinse and extract.
- 9 Neutralize.
- 9 Dry quickly.

PRODUCTS NEEDED

- Bridgepoint Professional Spotting Kit
- Solvent Clean
- P.I.G.
- All Solv
- Avenge
- Fab-Set
- Absorbent Paper
- Bone Scraper
- Iron
- Spotting Machine
- Portable/Truckmount

Other Resources

**Bridgepoint Oriental Rug Cleaning
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