

## **PVC I-BAR GRATING**

## MAINTENANCE, CARE & CLEANING

## **Care and Maintenance**

- Paddock's I-BAR grating is resistant to most chemicals and requires little maintenance to keep it looking new.
- Keep harsh solvents, acids, wood stains and wood preservatives away from grating. They
  may cause permanent staining and damage.
- Staining from rust is very difficult to remove so keep uncoated non stainless metals away from grating.
- Shoes with marking soles can leave scuff marks that can be difficult to remove.

## Cleaning

- For daily cleaning of everyday dirt and stains, use a non abrasive cleaner such as "Zud" or "Soft Scrub" and a nylon brush to scrub lightly. Excessively hard scrubbing can mar the finish.
- Hard to remove stains will usually go away if you soak the area with bleach. Do not use 100% granular or tablet chlorine as a bleach alternate.
- Pressure washing can mar the finish.
- Petroleum based stains can be difficult to remove, soak the area with WD-40®. Then use acetone or toluene with a white nylon scrub pad (color based pads can transfer dye color to finish when combined with acetone)
- Do not use MEK, turpentine or naphtha solvent.
- Do not use polishes such as Armor-All ® to non-skid areas, this will reduce the slip coefficient and cause a fall/slip hazard.