

## CARE & MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

These instructions apply to BerryAlloc Wall & Water.

### 1. Area of use

BerryAlloc Wall & Water is an interior wall panel to be installed on existing walls in domestic and public environments. BerryAlloc Wall & Water is designed to be used in dry and wet areas, like bathrooms, showers and other areas with excessive water exposure.

### 2. Care

BerryAlloc Wall & Water is an easy-care wall panel with a long lifespan and a hygienic surface. To prolong the life of the wall panel, it is however necessary to take precautions against unnecessary loads on the surface to avoid scratches.

When separating the panels from its packaging, the panels are to be lifted off each other in order to prolong the surface finish.

#### Indoor temperature and relative air humidity

The BerryAlloc Wall & Water wall panel is produced from wood material that reacts on changes in the indoor climate. The ideal indoor climate for a wall panel is a relative humidity of between 40 and 60 % and a temperature of between 19 and 24 °C. If the humidity in the air becomes too low and the temperature too high, the wall panel may dry on one side and because of this change its dimensions. With extensive drying on one side, this change in dimensions may also result in the panel warping.

### 3. Regular maintenance

#### Cleaning

Use a damp microfiber cloth and water. Where detergents are to be used in the water, synthetic detergents should be used. Organic detergents leave behind a thin film of grease on the surface and will result in visible stains on the surface.

Use, in areas with high water exposure, a detergent made for eliminating calcium.

**NB:** Never use abrasive cleaning methods (abrasive detergents/scrubs) on the BerryAlloc Wall & Water wall panel!

Stubborn stains can be wiped off with a slightly damp cloth and methylated or white spirit. If BerryAlloc Wall & Water wall panels with tile design are subjected to spills from chemicals (with corrosive substances), the spills must be removed immediately. Otherwise there might appear slight colour differences in the grout lines of the panels.

Cured adhesive/sealant on the edges of the BerryAlloc Wall & Water wall panels can after installation easily be removed with a plastic scraper and cleaned with white spirit.

#### Removability

The BerryAlloc Wall & Water wall panels can be removed and reinstalled. Therefore, it is possible to replace damaged panels. The wall panels will also have a reuse value if you want to remove BerryAlloc Wall & Water.

Disposal of any waste material must take place in accordance with the material safety datasheet (MSDS) for BerryAlloc Wall & Water ([www.berryalloc.com](http://www.berryalloc.com)).

## 4. Transport and storage

BerryAlloc Wall & Water is protected by perforated shrink wrap. This means that the packages may be transported without temperature restrictions, but the packages are to be stored in temperatures above the freezing point and protected from rain, snow and long-term bright light. We also recommend storing and transporting them horizontally. The packages should be protected from shocks along the edges.

## 5. Health and environment

BerryAlloc Wall & Water has been tested in accordance with European standards for emissions, toxicity and fire.

The product has also been tested by SINTEF Byggforsk in Norway according to ETAG 022 (European technical approval, ETA-18/0735) and approved as membrane in wet-rooms.

## 6. More information

For further information on BerryAlloc Wall & Water or other products supplied by BerryAlloc, please see BerryAlloc brochure material or visit our website: [www.berryalloc.com](http://www.berryalloc.com)