

Helpful advice for the correct maintenance of the artificial grass







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ROUTINARY CLEANING

During the most arid months, dust can be deposit on the artificial grass. Therefore, it should be cleaned succinctly with a hose and water. As a result, the grass will be maintained with all its colour and naturalness. Moreover, the cleansing will make the grass more pleasant and fresh to the footstep.

LEAVES AND DIRT

The leaves of the threes can be moved away with a tooth comb, preferably with plastic threads in order to avoid damaging the grass fibres. Due to the proximity of bushes, trees or hedges, it is recommended to lay out a plastic while trimming to minimize the fall of vegetable reminders.

To use a garden blower can be an interesting option in order to eliminate reminders of smaller size, that can be left between the fibres of the grass.

It should be paid especial attention to the equipment used. It must not be left on the artificial grass, as the warm engine could damage it.

DOMESTIC ANIMALS

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In case of having pets, when it comes to natural grass, the urine or faeces of the animals can be harmful to the surface. On a garden with Albergrass artificial grass, this problem disappears, due to the easy cleaning of sediments.

Once the sediments are moved away, use the hose with a great amount of water with big pressure and clean with neutral soap, free from abrasive components that could damage the grass.

As the time goes by, there is the possibility of the appearance of a whiter tone of the grass on the areas where the animals tend to urinate. If this happens, the most probable explanation is that the urine has adhere to the fibre. In that case, it should be cleaned scrubbing with a cleaner.









Once the area is cleaned, it is recommended to use "Ver de Verde Ultracare". A sterilizing cleaner in spray format with a powerful disinfectant function, antibacterial, anti-static, with UV protection and fresh grass scent (100% eco). This product is totally recommended to maintain the grass in perfect conditions.



DROP OF FOOD OR LIQUIDS

If food or liquids are dropped onto the grass, it could feel sticky due to the sugared composition. For its cleaning the most appropriate way would be to use a neutral soap and water. So as to finish the process, use the same "Ver de Verde Ultracare" with a great amount of water with big pressure from the hose.

VERTICALITY AND VOLUME

With time and usage, grass can lose verticality and volume. So, as to facilitate the recovery of the original form of its fibres, it is very recommended to brush (contrary to the site of its fibres) and with a plastic long thread comb.

In normal conditions, to comb once every three months should be enough. Of course, the frequency of this operation will depend on the use and intensity to which the grass is subdued.















PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE

If there is a scape of some combustible material and an area with artificial grass gets on fire, it will not extent farther than that. The grass is a totally tested and secured material, so it does not generate toxic or detrimental fumes. Of course, it must be taken into account not to drop any incandescent material – such as hot coal or cigarette butts – on the grass, as it could be damaged.

ADVERSE METEOROLOGY

Meteorological conditions do not affect the artificial grass, as the fibres of each of the Albergrass models are developed with UV protection. This protection grants a required resistance to avoid damage due to strong hotness or intensive sun on summer.

THE EMERGENCE OF SEAWEED OR MOSS

It is uncommon but it could be the case that seaweed or moss appeared on Albergrass grass, due to its installation on very wet areas and with no exposition to solar light. In that case, it would be enough to sprinkle the grass with some antiseaweed or anti-grass (for the moss) product. Remember to dissolve it with water, and always look for a non-abrasive product, as it could be damaging for the grass fibres.

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