

## NUBUCK LEATHERS

**Care for your NUBUCK by keeping it free of dust and direct sun, being mindful of the products you use on it, and following these detailed guidelines here:**

### **NUBUCK LEATHER DESCRIPTION:**

Nubuck Cowhide is an Aniline leather. It is made on our most select hides and is a lightly-buffed, softly-sueded premium cowhide.

Nubuck is aniline-dyed leather that has been sanded on the surface to develop a short nap. Since the fiber structure is exposed, the leather is porous and will absorb liquids spilled on the surface.

### **NUBUCK CLEANING PROCEDURES:**

- Brush and vacuum to remove topical soil
- Blot spills immediately with a soft, white absorbent cloth
- Stains may be buffed with an ultra fine abrasive pad, using just enough pressure to remove the stain
- A soft bristle brush will help restore the soft suede or nubuck nap

Replication of the method of manufacture is the best way to clean this leather

- Nubuck cleaning pad is used to 'buff the surface' or lightly sand the surface, which will result in removal of the soiled fibers. A Nubuck cleaning pad is available from The Leather Institute
- If ASN Protector is to be applied to this leather, apply the protector first, let dry and then brush the surface

### **LEATHER INSTITUTE PRODUCTS FOR NUBUCK LEATHERS:**

- ASN Protector – *provides a barrier coat that helps prevent staining and should be applied to prevent immediate absorption of spilled items*
- Color Restore (Conditioning Oil) - *can be used to enhance color and condition fibers it helps revive color*

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