

KROSSWOOD CABINETS by Modern Classic Cabinets

CARE & CLEANING

Regular dusting and light cleaning will help keep your cabinets looking beautiful for many years to come. For dusting use a dry clean soft cloth and lightly dust the surfaces. It is not recommended to use furniture polish or wax. The use of these products over time will create a buildup of wax and polish which will cause a hazy or steaked appearance on the finish.

For mild cleaning a damp cloth is usually sufficient to clean your cabinets. A mixture of warm water and a mild hand dishwashing liquid with a cotton cloth can be used for a more thorough cleaning. Cloths should only be damp and excess moisture wrung out. Any moisture on the cabinet painted surfaces should be wiped dry immediately with a clean soft dry cotton cloth.

Avoid using cleaning products that contain; citrus, acid, ammonia, vinegar, solvents, mineral spirits, paint thinner, bleach or other harsh cleaning chemicals. Harsh detergents and abrasive cleaning products such as sink and tub cleansers, scouring pads and steel wool should not be used.

HELP PROTECT YOUR CABINETS

Krosswood cabinet doors and drawer fronts are made from solid wood, to keep their beauty and help protect the finish any contact with moisture should be prevented. Avoid moisture damage by immediately wiping dry any painted surfaces that may get wet from liquids. Clean spills and splatters immediately will help to prevent permanent discoloration and damage to the painted finish. Wring out wet cleaning clothes and only use only damp cloths to clean. Avoid draping damp dish clothes or wet towels over the cabinet doors. Dry any water that may splash out of the sink area or that may get on cabinets when transferring wet dishes to the dishwasher.

Exposure to direct sunlight over time can cause the painted finish to fade or slightly change color. To help minimize this you should consider the use of blinds, draperies or windows with UV protection to help block out the sun's direct UV rays.

Changes in humidity from normal seasonal changes will cause wood to expand and contract physically. This expanding and contracting may cause hairline cracks or "separation" to appear over joint areas. A humidification system should be used to minimize these affects.