

STEINWAY LYNGBORF

Guide to polishing the Steinway & Sons lacquered surfaces

Important:

- Always use clean, soft cotton or microfiber cloths for polishing.
- Never use a polishing machine, as this can cause mirroring and might damage the non-lacquered parts. Polishing should be done by hand using a good polish applicator, e.g. Sonus SFX pro applicator (used in the procedures below), as this has both a coarse and fine side for polishing.
- Apply the polish to lacquered surfaces only.
- Use different cloths for the different type of polish.

For proper maintenance, follow the procedure below:

Step 1 – Coarse polish, e.g. Menzerna Fast Gloss FG500

The coarse polish in Step 1 is only for use when the lacquered surfaces have deep scratches and need intense maintenance. Add a few pea sized drops of polish to the yellow side of the applicator and polish until the polish slightly change color, this means that the polish has been broken down properly. For minor scratches, skip step 1 and go directly to step 2, but do not skip step 3.

Step 2 – Medium polish, e.g. Menzerna Power Finish PO203S

Like the coarse polishes add a few pea sized drops of polish to the yellow side of the applicator and polish until the polish slightly change color. *Do not skip step 3.*

Step 3 – Fine polish e.g. Menzerna Super Finish PO106FA

This polish is the finishing touch, creating that super high-gloss surface. It can be used for daily maintenance and must be used after treating the lacquered surfaces with Step 1 and/or Step 2. Add a few pea sized drops of polish to the yellow side of the applicator and polish until the polish slightly change color.

For removing dust on a daily basis use a soft micro fiber cloth and wipe the surface with a very light pressure. To remove fingerprints etc. use a quick detailing spray e.g Meguiars #135 - Synthetic Spray Detailer or Chemical Guys - Speed Wipe with a soft microfiber cloth.

