

# Jointmaster

## Cleanup and Maintenance

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### 1. Temporary Protection

After installation, care should be taken to protect surface finishes from damage during construction. Systems not furnished with factory protective covering should be protected until completion of project. For systems with anodized finishes or stainless steel components, the factory protective covering should be left on until completion of project.

### 2. Completion

Upon completion of construction, installer should wipe all exposed surfaces with a clean dry cloth to remove dirt and dust. Factory protective coverings should be removed at this time. Any remaining marks or dirt can be removed with a water based cleaner such as Fantastik™.

### 3. Operations and Maintenance

- The Expansion Joint Cover material is comprised of a thermal plastic rubber and/or aluminum components. General care and cleaning is achieved using a commercial grade cleaner and/or lightly soapy water (ie; Fantastik, Windex or 409). For the thermal rubber seals, "Xylene" is suggested to remove marks effectively. In no instance should an acid or solvent based product be used to clean the aluminum or rubber surfaces. For unexposed Expansion Joint Covers there is no cleaning required to maintain performance. Any roof Expansion Joint Covers can be cleaned with a mild soap and water. Annual inspections of the Fire Barrier integrity should occur. Ensure no construction debris nor moisture is present as this may lessen the barrier's fire resistance rating or ability to cycle properly.
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- When applicable, compression seal inspections and cleaning should occur. Ensure seams and epoxy at perimeters are intact. Clean top ridges of all debris twice annually to ensure premature wear and cyclic performance are not impacted.

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