

# BAMBOO PORTABLE FOLDING TABLE CARE INSTRUCTIONS

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Beckworth and Co. bamboo portable folding table is perfect to use outdoors and indoors. Made of Moso bamboo, it is environment-friendly, lightweight and easy to transport, strong, and durable.

- ✔ Dust regularly with a dust-brush, vacuum or soft dusting cloth.
- ✔ Dust before washing. Wash with lukewarm soapy water. Use mild dishwashing or detergent soap to avoid bleaching or discoloration.
- ✔ Wipe excess water with cloth and let it air-dry.
- ✔ Avoid using chemicals on your bamboo table as most chemicals can and will leave a stain.
- ✔ Should you spill liquids on the table, wash then blot it dry to avoid making the stain permanent. Clean wet spots immediately.
- ✔ Soiled areas can be washed with soap and water. For moderately soiled areas, you can use a mild solution of isopropyl alcohol and water or a solution of ammonia and water. Mix one part alcohol and two parts water. Or mix one quart water and a tablespoon of ammonia.
- ✔ Refrain from storing the table in places that are moist and wet as these can cause molds. Keep water exposure to a minimum.
- ✔ In case molds appear, thoroughly clean the area with mild soapy water using the rough back of a sponge or an old toothbrush. Completely dry the area to prevent mold recurrence.
- ✔ Maintain the bamboo's luster by rubbing it with mineral oil, bamboo furniture oil, or linseed oil every month or two.
- ✔ In the event the bamboo table cracked due to age or weather exposure, gently sand the damaged area with very fine grit sandpaper. Then smooth the area with a paste wax to recondition the color and tone of the bamboo. Only sand it if it is fully dry because sanding wet bamboo can shred the fibers.

Please note that changes in temperature or humidity affect bamboos i.e. dry hot (and cold) conditions found at high altitudes or in urban environments controlled by central heating and air conditioning. Maintaining and oiling regularly will preserve the life of your bamboo portable folding table.

