# **MACHINE WASHING**

easy care for lasting beauty



#### **MACHINE WASHABLE FABRICS**

Dry cleaning your draperies can be cumbersome and expensive. But with most flair21 fabrics, you can simply machine wash your draperies, then re-hang them to dry. Best of all, flair21's washable fabrics are guaranteed to not shrink, stretch, or fade—no matter how frequently they are washed.

You will be amazed how beautiful flair21 draperies look after they are laundered. They will be as fresh and soft as the day you bought them—that's because flair21 fabrics are engineered to be washed.

Most flair21 fabrics are machine washable, but please **visit flair21.com to verify the fabric's properties** beforehand. After the spin cycle of washing with cold water and regular detergent, rehang the draperies on their rods, one panel at a time. While they are still wet, gently finger press any pinch pleats. flair21 yarns actually have "memory" and will retain the folds from your dressing once dry.

### **DO NOT APPLY HEAT**

Heat can cause permanent wrinkles and damage to fabrics. To prevent damage, **hot** water and machine drying is expressly prohibited. Ironing or steaming is the safest way to remove wrinkles (using **light to moderate heat**) and ONLY for certain designs.

#### **EXCLUSIVE EUROHEM**

Not only does flair21's exclusive Eurohem provide the ideal drapery hang, but it also eliminates the possibility of ripping out the hem during laundering or rehanging.

## **DRAPERY**

- 1. Carefully take down the treatment and remove any drapery pins.
- 2. Machine wash on the gentle cycle using cold water. **DO NOT USE HOT WATER**.
- 3. Once the spin cycle is complete, immediately rehang each panel while it is still damp. **DO NOT MACHINE DRY**.
- 4. Finger press any pleats.
- 5. Steam or iron with light to moderate heat (based on design) to remove wrinkles.

#### **VERTICAL WRAP**

- 1. Carefully take down the treatment by removing each vane from the bottom tack and unsnapping the back button at the top of each vane. Leave the front snapped to make rehanging the treatment easier after washing.
- 2. Machine wash on the gentle cycle using cold water. **DO NOT USE HOT WATER**.
- 3. Once the spin cycle is complete, immediately remove the treatment from the washer and slip the snapped portion over the top of each vane. Do this for each panel while it is still damp. **DO NOT MACHINE DRY**.
- 4. Let the treatment dry for approximately 20 minutes. Then, secure the back snap on the top of each vane and carefully slip each vane into the bottom tack. Be careful not to snag the fabric with the vanes—you can use a plastic bag as an extra precaution.
- 5. Steam or iron with light to moderate heat (based on design) to remove wrinkles.



# **FABRIC CARE SYMBOLS**

as reference for your hanging samples



WASHING PROCESS	95	95	60	60	40	40	40	30	30	30			
	normal washing process	delicate washing process	normal washing process	delicate washing process	normal washing process	delicate washing process	very gentle washing process	normal washing process	delicate washing process	very gentle washing process	hand wash	do not wash	
	The numbers correspond with maximum washing temperature, which must not be exceeded. The bar below the wash tub requires a (mechanical) milder treatment (gentle cycle). This bar features wash cycles, for example, suitable for easy care and mechanically-sensitive products. The double bar indicates wash cycles with further minimized mechanical treatment, such as for wool.												
BLEACHING													
$\triangle$	chlorine and oxygen bleaching is applicable				only oxygen bleaching is applicable				do not bleach				
IRONING							<u>a</u>						
	iron at maximum temperature			iron at r	medium temp	perature	iron a	t low temper	rature	do not iron			
	Dots indicate the temperature ranges of the iron regulator.												
PROFESSIONAL LAUNDRY CARE	(P) (P)				<b>(F)</b>			$\otimes$					
										do not dry clean			
$\bigcirc$	The letters are intended for chemical cleaners. They give an indication of the applicable solvents. The bar below the circle requires cleaning with a limitation of the mechanical stress, the addition of moisture and / or temperature.												
	W			<u>w</u>			<u>w</u>						
										do not wet-clean			
	This symbol can identify articles that can be treated in the wet cleaning process. The bar below the circle requires wet cleaning and a limitation of the mechanical stress.												
TUMBLE DRYING PROCESS													
	tumb	oling with no	rmal temper	ature tumbling with lower temperature					do not tumble				
	The dots indicate the drying stages of the tumbler (dryer).												