



Fluorban Cleaning Guidelines for Skis and Working Material

The following information are general guidelines and recommendations. Detailed procedures may vary slightly from one discipline to another. The most important thing is to get skis, work materials and the work areas **DUST-FREE** once and to clean all surfaces with **fluorine cleaner**.

Ski (Video here: [Anleitung zur Fluor-Reinigung von Langlaufski - YouTube](#)):

- Remove old wax residue on skis
- Cleaning with fluorine cleaner (HWK)
- Fine steel brush, cloth and then allow to flash off for at least 5 minutes, repeat with metal brush
- Wax fluorine-free at least twice, strip and brush off. The FIS recommends a mix of harder and softer wax. Repeat cleaning with fluorine cleaner in between
- Grinding: Ensure that the grinding machine is not contaminated with fluorine wax residue. Clean the machine thoroughly beforehand, remove the stone so that there is no fluorine residue there either
- After grinding, carry out the cleaning process described above

Brushes etc.:

- Fluorinated wax residues are almost impossible to remove from fine brushes, especially horsehair brushes. It is recommended to replace these brushes
- Coarser brushes (nylon and metals) must first be pre-cleaned as best as possible with compressed air and then rinsed with fluorine cleaner (HWK).
- Fleece, cork and other consumables etc.: **replace!**

Blades:

Clean with wax remover (HWK)

Wxing table, iron:

Pre-clean with compressed air, then with wax remover (HWK)

Ski bags:

Pre-clean with compressed air, then wipe out with wax remover (HWK)

Ski racks (including ski holders etc.)

Pre-cleaning with compressed air, then wipe out with wax remover (HWK)

To be sure or in case of special questions, work materials, skis etc. can be subjected to a more detailed examination at the **FSSA in Innsbruck**.