



CTL LEATHER

A Garrett Leather Company

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CLASSICO; DAKOTA; DALLAS; LODGE; MUSTANG; PALMA; POMPEII, ROXY; SOHO; TUSCANY; TUSCAN OIL; QUEENSLAND

Wax pull-up leather is designed to evolve — scuffs, shifts in color, and markings are part of its charm. With regular care, it develops a lived-in patina that tells a beautiful, tactile story over time.

1. Dust & Surface Dirt (Regular Care)

- Use: Soft, dry cloth or horsehair brush
- Method: Gently wipe or brush along the grain to lift surface dirt. Regular light care helps maintain the leather’s rich look.

2. Spot Cleaning

- Use: Damp cloth (distilled water preferred)
- Method: Lightly dampen the cloth — avoid soaking. Gently rub the spot in a circular motion. Let air dry. Minor water exposure may darken the area temporarily; it usually blends in as it dries.

3. Deeper Cleaning (Occasional)

- Use: Your hand’s natural oils or a soft cloth
- Method: Rub gently over the area. The heat and friction

reactivate the wax and oils, allowing the surface to self-heal and deepen in character.

4. Conditioning (As Needed)

- Use: Wax or oil-based cream made specifically for pull-up leather
- Examples:
 - [Oleosa Pull-Up Cream](#)
 - [Wax-On Conditioner](#)
- Method: Test on a hidden area first. Apply sparingly with a soft cloth, let absorb, then gently buff. Restores richness and revives the distressed finish.

5. Avoid Using

- Harsh chemicals, alcohol-based products, or household cleaners
- Abrasive tools or excessive rubbing
- Excess water or heat — it can cause permanent damage or over-darkening

lodge -
crème brûlée

tuscany -
brown

mustang -
flaxen
chestnut

