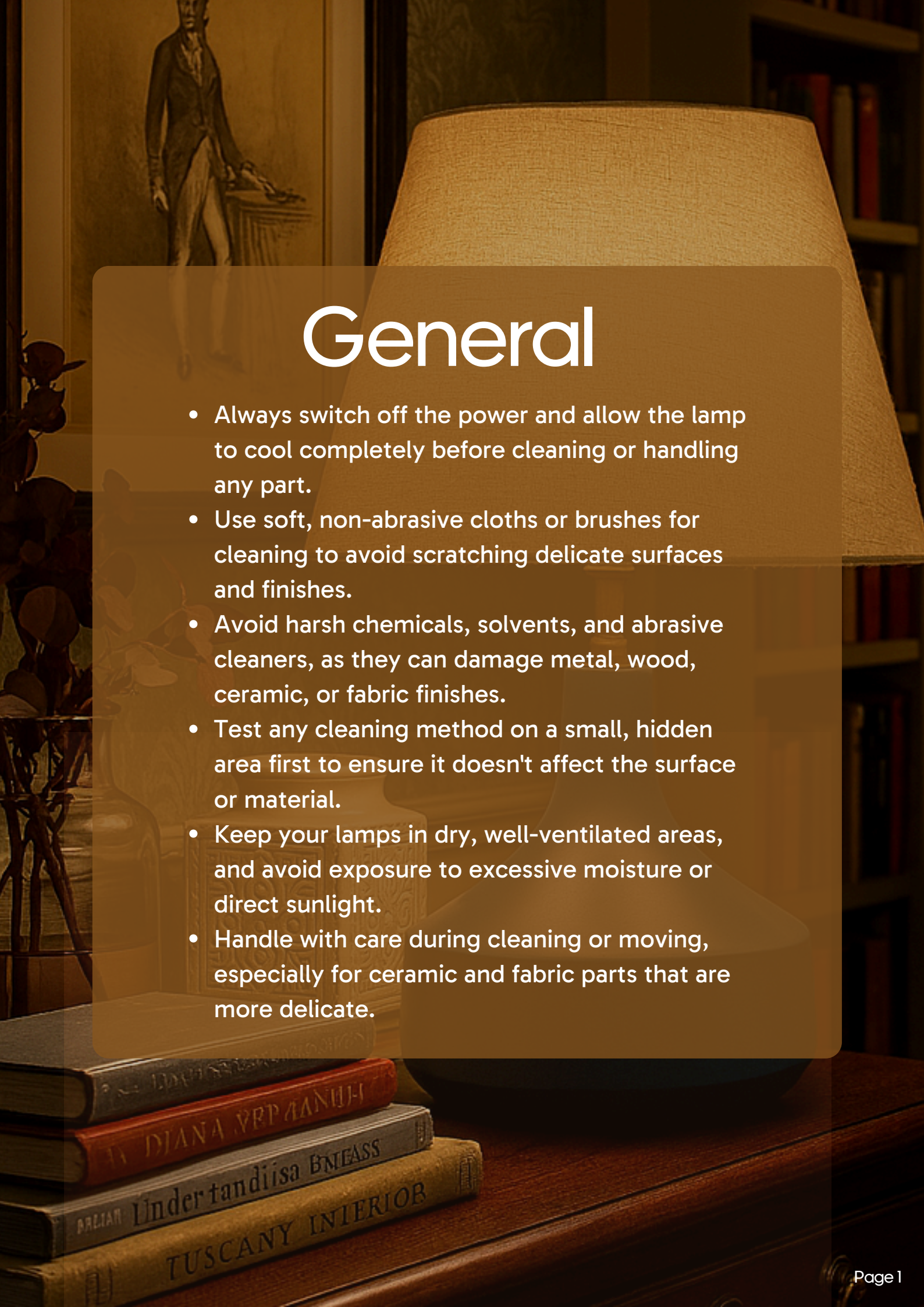




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Material Care Guide



General

- Always switch off the power and allow the lamp to cool completely before cleaning or handling any part.
- Use soft, non-abrasive cloths or brushes for cleaning to avoid scratching delicate surfaces and finishes.
- Avoid harsh chemicals, solvents, and abrasive cleaners, as they can damage metal, wood, ceramic, or fabric finishes.
- Test any cleaning method on a small, hidden area first to ensure it doesn't affect the surface or material.
- Keep your lamps in dry, well-ventilated areas, and avoid exposure to excessive moisture or direct sunlight.
- Handle with care during cleaning or moving, especially for ceramic and fabric parts that are more delicate.



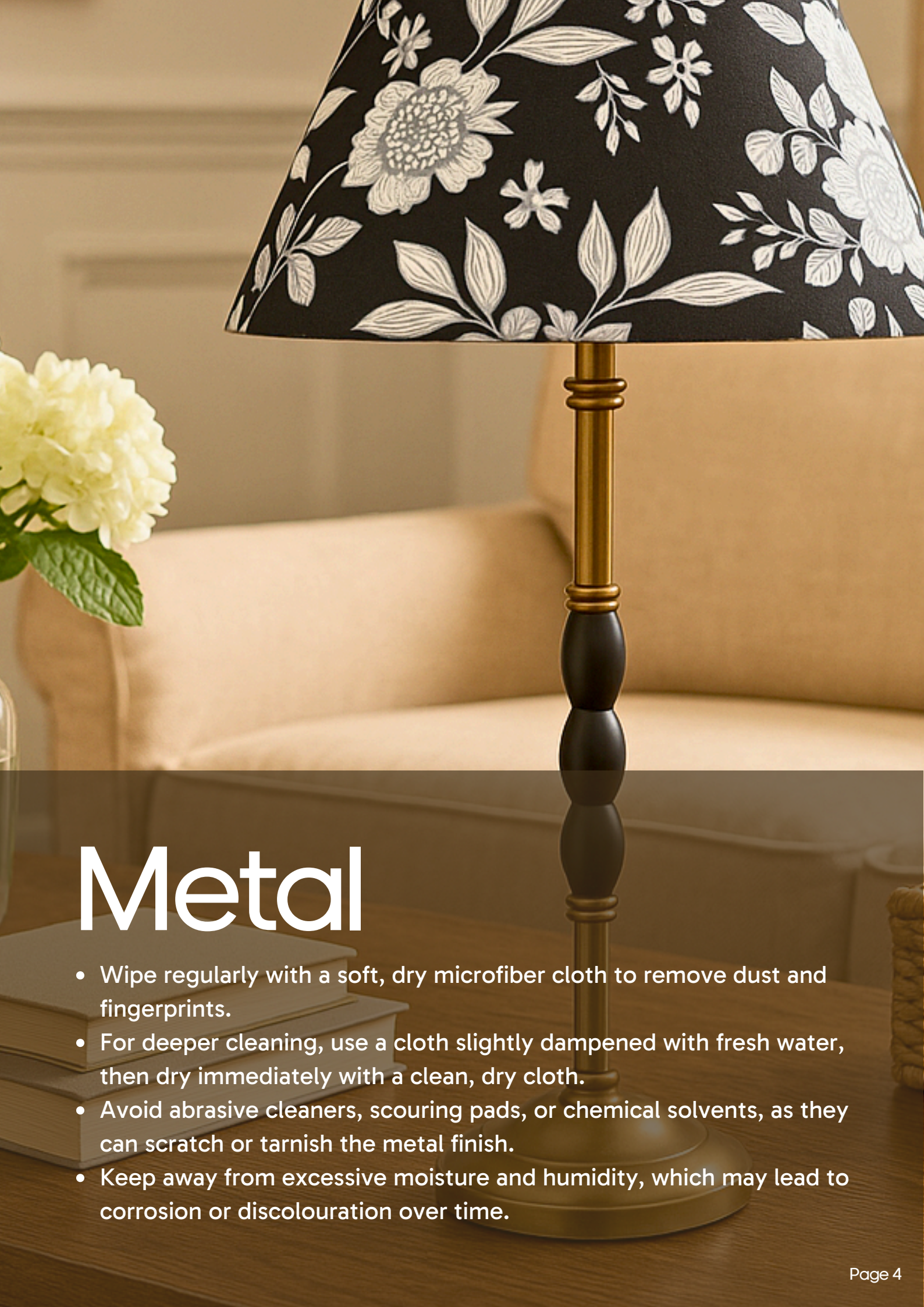
Wood

- Dust regularly using a soft, dry microfiber cloth to maintain the natural sheen and avoid buildup.
- Wipe gently with a damp cloth (not wet) for spot cleaning, then immediately dry with a clean cloth to prevent moisture damage.
- Avoid direct sunlight or extreme humidity, as it can cause wood to fade, crack, or warp over time.
- Do not use harsh chemicals, abrasive pads, or alcohol-based cleaners as they can damage the finish.



Ceramic

- Dust regularly with a soft, dry cloth or fine-bristle brush to prevent buildup and maintain the surface finish.
- Avoid water on unglazed ceramic, as it's porous and can easily stain—keep it dry at all times.
- For glazed ceramic, gently wipe with a slightly damp soft cloth to remove smudges or marks.
- Use a smoke sponge or vulcanized rubber for spot cleaning on unglazed areas—rub gently to avoid scratching.
- Keep away from harsh chemicals, acids, or abrasives, as these can dull the finish or damage the ceramic body.



Metal

- Wipe regularly with a soft, dry microfiber cloth to remove dust and fingerprints.
- For deeper cleaning, use a cloth slightly dampened with fresh water, then dry immediately with a clean, dry cloth.
- Avoid abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, or chemical solvents, as they can scratch or tarnish the metal finish.
- Keep away from excessive moisture and humidity, which may lead to corrosion or discolouration over time.



Fabric

- Dust gently using a soft brush, lint roller, or handheld vacuum with a brush attachment to keep the shade clean.
- Spot clean only with a soft cloth slightly dampened with fresh water—dab, don't rub, especially on silk.
- Avoid soaking or immersing the shade in water, especially if it has delicate trims.
- Keep away from direct sunlight, which can cause fading, especially on natural fabrics like cotton and silk.
- Never use harsh detergents or bleach, as these can damage the fabric texture and cause discolouration.