

How long the new coronavirus can live on surfaces

SURFACE		LIFESPAN OF COVID-19 VIRUS	
	Paper and tissue paper**	3 hours	<div></div>
	Copper*	4 hours	<div></div>
	Cardboard*	24 hours	<div></div>
	Wood**	2 days	<div></div>
	Cloth**	2 days	<div></div>
	Stainless steel*	2–3 days	<div></div>
	Polypropylene plastic*	3 days	<div></div>
	Glass**	4 days	<div></div>
	Paper money**	4 days	<div></div>
	Outside of surgical mask**	7 days	<div></div>

*At 69.8 to 73.4°F (21 to 23 °C) and 40% relative humidity

**At 71°F and 65% relative humidity

Source: New England Journal of Medicine*; The Lancet Microbe**

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