

TOP TIPS FOR BAKING SODA

Keep an open box in fridge to absorb odours.



1. Use to relieve pain of a bee sting.
2. Make a paste to clean coffee stains from cups.
3. Add to cat litter to control odour.
4. Use as a fire extinguisher for grease flare up on stove.
5. Sprinkle in tents and sleeping bags before storing away.
6. Use to neutralize corrosion on car battery.

EXTRA HINTS AND TIPS...

COLD AND FLU

Relieve colds and tummy troubles with a tsp of honey and cider vinegar in a cup of hot water.

DANDRUFF

Mix together 1/4 cup apple cider vinegar in a cup of water and apply to hair. Allow it to sit for about 5-10 min and then rinse with warm water. It removes build up as well as dandruff.

NAILS

Apply with a cotton bud to fingernails right before painting. Helps nail polish to go on smoother and last longer.

CORNS

Apply bread dipped in vinegar and softly bandage it on. Leave overnight.

ATHLETE'S FOOT

Soak your feet in a strong solution of Apple Cider Vinegar to warm water. It helps kill fungus and nail fungus.

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ANT REMEDY

Fill spray bottle with half vinegar and half water to keep ants at bay.

BOTTLE CLEANSER

To remove sediment stains from bottles, jars and vases half fill with white vinegar and shake well. Leave for a few minutes and leave.

BURNT POTS AND PANS

Cover the burnt area with equal quantities of water and vinegar. Bring to the boil, remove from heat and soak overnight.

SLIMY SPONGES

Soak the sponge in one tablespoon of vinegar mixed with 570ml of water for 1 hour. Rinse thoroughly.

DRAINS– FOR SMELLS

Boil 200ml of vinegar and pour directly into drain. Leave for 10 min before using the drain.

DRAINS– UNCLOG

Using a funnel pour in 1/2 cup baking soda followed by 1 cup vinegar. When the foaming subsides, flush with hot tap water.

KETTLE

Boil full strength in a kettle to get rid of lime deposits.

WEEDS

Spray full strength vinegar on weeds

DISHWASHER

Add half a cup to dishwasher rinse cycle

For sparkling glassware.

CAN OPENER

Clean the wheel of a can opener with vinegar and an old toothbrush.

HOT PLATES

Clean with vinegar and steel wool while still warm.

GLASSES

A little vinegar on a clean cloth will make them shine.

DENTURES

To keep them white use toothpaste with bicarb soda or soak for 30min in 1 cup of water and 6 tsp white vinegar.

LEATHER RESTORER

Boil 550ml of Linseed Oil, allow it to cool and then mix in around 275ml of vinegar. Its good for old handbags, briefcases and most leather products.

MOSS

Remove moss from paths and cement with equal parts of vinegar and methylated spirits and apply with a scrubbing brush. Leave for 15min and then scrub again with mix. Leave for 15min and hose off.

STUBBORN BOLTS AND NUTS

Coat with vinegar and leave for 15 min. They should move more freely.

FLUFF AND LINT

Eliminate fluff or lint on sheets by adding a cup of vinegar to final rinse.

MICROWAVE

Smells can be difficult to remove from the

microwave particularly fish. Try heating a quarter cup of vinegar diluted with one cup of water in the microwave.

CARPET STAINS

1 tsp detergent, 1 tsp white vinegar and a 1/2 litre warm water..Mix. This will remove oily stains from carpets. Apply to the stain with a soft brush and rinse with a towel moistened with clean water, dry immediately.

FABRIC SOFTENER

Add half a cup to final rinse of washing.

MOLD AND MILDEW

Apply neatly to area and leave for ten minutes. Rinse away.

PET OOPSIES

1 part water to 2 parts vinegar on the spot and clean mess away. Eliminates smell and germs.

STICKY RESIDUE

To remove glue residue from stickers etc simply saturate with vinegar and carefully scrape off using an old phone or credit card. Let sit for a minute then saturate again and wipe off.

CHROME

Apply a light misting of undiluted vinegar. Buff with a soft cloth.

CLEAN JEWELLERY

Soak in a mix of 1/2 cup white vinegar and 2 tblsp baking soda for 2-3 hours. Rinse under cold water and dry thoroughly with a soft cloth.