How to Clean Your Front Loading Washing Machine

Cleaning your front loading washing machine is simple, all you really need is white vinegar and some cleaning cloths.

Worried that your laundry room will smell like a pickle? Once the rinse cycle runs you won't smell the vinegar.

HOW TO ADD IT TO YOUR ROUTINE:

If you're adding cleaning your washing machine to your cleaning rotation, clean it monthly or at least every 3 months.

FRONT LOADING INSTRUCTIONS

- Select the hot water setting. If your machine does not have a hot water setting, then select a "white" or a "stain" cycle setting.
- Select the "extra rinse" option if your washer has that choice.
- Add one cup of white vinegar to the drum and fill the washing machine.
- Allow the cycle to run until it has completed.
- After you have finished washing the interior of the washer, take a couple minutes to clean the dispensers. These can be easily cleaned by simply removing and washing in warm, soapy water to remove any residue or by wiping them down with white vinegar on a cleaning cloth. Rinse and dry them thoroughly before reinserting them.
- Make sure you wipe down the rubber seal on the door as it is a perfect hiding spot for mold and mildew. Carefully pull back the rubber gasket and inspect to see if you have mold, mildew or socks lurking. Carefully wipe down the area with white vinegar and a soft cleaning cloth. Rinse with a cloth dampened with water and dry thoroughly with a clean cloth to prevent any moisture build-up.
- After cleaning these three zones, you can wipe down the exterior and control panel with a damp cleaning cloth.
 Maintaining a clean washer and eliminating the stinky laundry issue is simple.



my number one maintenance tip

Be sure to leave the door open to prevent moisture build-up in between loads and clean it inside and out every month.