

KOHLER® and STERLING® Sink Care and Maintenance

Neoroc™ Sinks

- Rinse thoroughly and use a soft cloth to wipe the product dry after each use.
- Do not use steel wool, wire brushes or abrasive sponge pads to clean the surface.
- Mild abrasive cleaners may be used occasionally to clean the Neoroc sink. Strong abrasive cleaners could scratch and dull the surface.
- Be careful not to leave dirty dishes, coffee grounds, tea bags or other staining materials in contact with the surface for extended periods of time.
- Consider kitchen sink accessories, such as bottom basin racks, to help protect the surface from scratches or scuffing.
- Do not store open containers of cleaners or chemicals such as acids, bleach, sodium chloride, lye, toilet bowl cleaners, drain cleaner, or hard water stain removal products under your sink.

Care Tip

To restore color and shine, apply 1 or 2 teaspoons of mineral oil to a clean, dry cloth. Wipe the sink thoroughly with the cloth to evenly distribute the oil in a thin layer. Allow it to sit for a minute, and then buff away any excess oil.

Products to Consider

- Bar Keeper's Friend (for occasional use only)
- Bon Ami (for occasional use only)
- Fantastik Antibacterial Heavy Duty
- Formula 409 Antibacterial All-Purpose
- Green Works All-Purpose
- Soft Scrub Gel with Bleach
- Soft Scrub Lemon Cleanser (for occasional use only)
- Windex

Stainless Steel Sinks

- Clean stainless steel at least once a week.
- Always apply stainless steel cleaner and polish with a nonabrasive cloth or sponge working with, not across, the grain.
- Do not use steel wool, wire brushes or abrasive sponge pads to clean the surface. Use only nonscratch cleaning pads.
- Cleaners containing chloride (bleach) are not recommended. If used, rinse the surface immediately to prevent corrosion.
- Most stainless steel products will scratch from everyday use. However, these scratches will blend over time to create a unique finish.
- Do not store open containers of cleaners or chemicals such as acids, bleach, sodium chloride, lye, toilet bowl cleaners, drain cleaner, or hard water stain removal products under your sink.

Care Tip

Allowing water to evaporate on metal will form water deposits. To avoid this and keep your product looking beautiful, it is important to wipe the sink clean with a soft cloth after each use. Do not let cleaners soak or sit on the surface.

Products to Consider

- Bar Keeper's Friend Soft Cleanser
- Fantastik Heavy Duty All Purpose Cleaner
- Formula 409 Multi-Surface Cleaner
- 3M Stainless Steel Cleaner & Polish
- Windex Original

Enameled Cast Iron Sinks

- Rinse thoroughly and use a soft cloth to wipe the product dry after each use.
- In the rare occurrence of stubborn stains, use abrasive cleaners sparingly.
- Do not use steel wool, wire brushes or abrasive sponge pads to clean the surface.
- Be careful not to leave dirty dishes, coffee grounds, tea bags or other staining materials in contact with the surface for extended periods of time.
- Consider kitchen sink accessories, such as bottom basin racks, to help protect the surface from scratches or scuffing.
- Do not store open containers of cleaners or chemicals such as acids, bleach, sodium chloride, lye, toilet bowl cleaners, drain cleaner, or hard water stain removal products under your sink.

Success with cleaners and procedures is dependent upon such factors as the hardness and temperature of the water, using exact measurements of ingredients, changes in cleaning formulas and the condition of the product being cleaned. Since there are variations with these factors, Kohler cannot guarantee the effectiveness of the formulas mentioned.

Products to Consider

- KOHLER Cast Iron Cleaner
- Fantastik Antibacterial Heavy Duty
- Formula 409 Antibacterial All-Purpose
- Green Works All-Purpose
- Soft Scrub Gel with Bleach

Vitreous China and Fireclay Sinks

- Rinse thoroughly and use a soft cloth to wipe the product dry after each use.
- Soft abrasive cleaners may be used when necessary to clean KOHLER® vitreous china products. Strong abrasive cleaners will scratch and dull the surface.
- Do not store open containers of cleaners or chemicals such as acids, bleach, sodium chloride, lye, toilet bowl cleaners, drain cleaner, or hard water stain removal products under your sink.

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- Fantastik Antibacterial Heavy Duty
- Formula 409 Antibacterial All-Purpose
- Green Works All-Purpose
- Soft Scrub Gel with Bleach
- Soft Scrub Lemon Cleanser

Information provided by KOHLER® - Additional Care and Maintenance information can be found at <https://www.us.kohler.com/us/Care-&-Cleaning/article/CNT121300049.htm>