

Natural Cleaning Recipes

Non-toxic ingredients, safe for everyone in your home.

All Purpose cleaner Squeeze a drop of soap on a wet washcloth and rub briskly. Linoleum and tile floor cleaner Mop with ½ cup vinegar in a bucket of hot water.

Optional: add a few drops of favorite essential oil or lemon juice for scent.

Oven cleaner Mix 1 cup of baking soda with water and make a paste. Apply to oven surface and let set awhile. Scrub with a scouring pad.

Window and mirror cleaner Add ¼ cup of vinegar in a spray bottle and fill with water. Spray surface and dry with a lint free rag or sheet of newspaper.

Tub and sink cleaner Sprinkle baking soda on porcelain and fixtures and scrub with scour pad add a little liquid soap for more cleaning power. Rinse well.

Toilet bowl cleaner Sprinkle baking soda inside the bowl, add a couple of drops of soap and scrub with a toilet brush. Wipe down the outside with a rag and baking soda.

Drain cleaner Pour ½ cup of baking soda down the drain, then ½ cup of vinegar. Let it fizz for a few minutes, then pour in a pan of boiling water.

Wine stain Immediately pour enough salt on the stain to soak up the wine. Immerse fabric in cold water for a half hour.

Rust remover Make a paste using 2 tablespoons of salt and 1 tablespoon of lemon juice. Apply paste to rusted area with a dry cloth and rub. Rinse thoroughly and dry. Copper cleaner Mix equal parts of vinegar and salt (a tablespoon of each should do) and apply to surface with a rag. Rinse thoroughly with water. Apply a little vegetable oil with a cloth and rub for a shiny appearance.