

To keep the sink beautiful, proper use and regular cleaning is necessary. Because sinks can be made of different materials, there is appropriate maintenance advice for each. The tips below will help you enjoy your sink for years to come.

## 1 DAILY MAINTENANCE

Wipe down the sink daily with a sponge and some dish soap. Always rinse thoroughly with lukewarm water and dry with a clean, dry tea towel or kitchen paper. This will absorb remaining dirt and any soap and water residue.

## 2 PERIODIC MAINTENANCE

### Stainless steel and (ceramic) pvd sinks

To remove stains and maintain the shine of the sink even longer, use Inox Care (Art. No. 290125) monthly. Apply a generous amount of the product to a damp soft cloth or sponge, rub the sink well with it, then rinse the unit with water. Then rub the sink dry.

### Stone and other materials sinks

For a lasting shine, once a week, dissolve any (non-aggressive) detergent in warm water and soak the basin for an hour. Then rinse well and rub the basin dry. Note: Do not use a scouring sponge or harsh detergent that may attack the sealant on stone sinks.

### Fybertec sink

(Lanesto Lyse) you can treat it once every 2 months with a mineral oil (art. no. 290146) so that possible scratches and wear spots become less visible and the sink retains its shine. Always rub the entire surface with a soft cloth and allow to dry for 5 minutes. Then remove the excess oil.

## 3 REMOVING SPECIFIC STAINS

### Lime stains

(dull white and brown spots)  
You can remove lime stains with a cleaning vinegar. Let it soak in for 5 minutes and remove the limescale with a melamine sponge (art. no. 290001). Then rinse with water and dry thoroughly. To avoid water/lime stains, wipe the sink dry with a clean cloth after use (especially for colored sinks).

### Rust stains

Stainless steel (polished) and pvd sinks cannot rust by themselves. Rusting is always caused by outside influences. Do you see rust spots? Then clean the sink with a wet scouring pad and some liquid abrasive. Rinse with water and rub the bowl dry and do not use the sink for 6 to 10 hours.

## 4 POINTS TO NOTE

### Stains in Fybertec® sink (Lanesto Lyse)

In case of stains, mix baking soda (soda) in 3 liters of water and leave for half a day. Rinse the sink with plenty of water and dry with a soft cloth.

- > Because the sink is used daily, slight surface scratches and dents are inevitable.
- > The sink can be damaged if it is treated too roughly, for example, if cutlery or other heavy objects are placed too hard in the bowl. pvd sinks are subject to scratches, which can reveal the stainless steel underneath the color. This is not a reason for reclamation.
- > It is preferable not to use stainless steel cleaners (except Inox Care). This is because the same coating applied for protection can also stain the surface.
- > Do not use abrasives such as steel wool or a sharp brush, as these products can damage the surface.
- > Acids, rusty items and harsh substances attack the sink and can cause stains, rust spots or small holes in the sink. Examples include chlorine, sink uncloggers, silver polish, paint, dental cleaner, S39, hydrogen peroxide and hydrochloric acid (solutions).
- > It is better not to store chlorine and hydrochloric acid in the sink cabinet; their fumes can act on the material of the sink, as well as on your faucet, water heater, etc. In addition, make sure the bottles you keep in your sink cabinet are tightly closed so that the fumes cannot affect the stainless steel.
- > Be careful with cooking hot oil, frying fat and pans that come directly off the stove. These can damage the tray. Always use a pad.
- > Be careful when pvd sinks with toothpaste, dishwasher cubes and cement residue. These corrode the bowl when not rinsed away immediately.

If an aggressive substance does get into the sink, remove the agent immediately with plenty of water and soapy water. Then use Starglanz Inox Care (Art. No. 290125) to treat the sink. Again, rinse the spot thoroughly with water and rub the tray dry. It is recommended to repeat this treatment several times. Subsequent cleaning usually proves useless; the material is often already affected at that point, so that the stains keep returning.



### Inox Care

To remove stains and maintain the luster of a stainless steel (polished) sink even longer, use monthly Inox care (item no. 290125). You can order Inox care at: [www.dekkerzevenhuizen.com/shop](http://www.dekkerzevenhuizen.com/shop)



### Mineral oil for Lanesto Lyse Foggy Black

item number: 290146 With this oil, potential scratches and scuffs will become less visible and the sink will retain its luster. [www.dekkerzevenhuizen.com/shop](http://www.dekkerzevenhuizen.com/shop)

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