

HOUSEHOLD USES FOR VINEGAR

- 1. Clean counters and refrigerators with a half and half solution of vinegar and water.
- 2. Kill weeds and unwanted grass by saturating with vinegar.
- 3. Remove grease from oven by spraying with full-strength vinegar. Allow to sit for 10 minutes and wipe clean.
- 4. Place a bowl of vinegar inside a closed room overnight to freshen.
- 5. Clean windowsills and baseboards with a half and half solution of vinegar and water.
- 6. Remove mineral deposits from coffee makers. Fill the water reservoir with full-strength white vinegar and run through a complete cycle.
- 7. Boil vinegar in a tea pot to thoroughly clean.
- 8. Deodorize toilet bowls by filling with 3-4 cups of vinegar and scrubbing the sides. Let sit for 20 minutes before flushing.
- 9. Clean stains and clear smells from carpet. Use a solution of one cup vinegar to one gallon hot water. Brush on carpet (or use in a carpet cleaner) let penetrate for 10 minutes and soak up. Vacuum thoroughly when dry.
- 10. Saturate unwanted wallpaper with vinegar to easily remove.
- 11. Safely disinfect baby toys. Add one cup of vinegar to warm, soapy water and scrub clean. Rinse well and let dry.
- 12. In a microwave safe bowl, heat one cup vinegar and one cup water to steaming. Allow mixture to coat inside of microwave and then wipe clean to remove stains and odors.
- 13. Use a solution of half vinegar and half baking soda to clean showerheads. Fill a sandwich bag with the solution and tie around the showerhead. When the bubbling stops, remove and turn on the shower to wash clean.
- 14. Wipe plastic containers clean using a sponge soaked in vinegar.
- 15. Clean a dishwasher by running vinegar through a complete wash cycle.
- 16. Remove odors from a lunchbox by soaking a sponge in vinegar. Leave in lunchbox overnight and rinse.
- 17. Clean a smelly drain by mixing one cup hot vinegar with one cup baking soda. Slowly pour down the drain and let sit for 15 minutes. Rinse with hot water.
- 18. Place 2 cups white vinegar in a small jar to rid your kitchen of fruit flies. Bonus add a funnel to the top of your jar. Fruit flies can climb in, but have a hard time getting back out.
- 19. Soak a paper towel in vinegar and place tightly around faucets to remove buildup. Let sit overnight and rinse clean.
- 20. Clean grills using a solution of half hot vinegar and half hot water.

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