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## Kettle Maintenance

### Keep it working like **BRAND NEW**

It is important to clean kettles regularly to get rid of mineral deposits commonly found in hard water. The gradual build-up of limestone minerals will result in kettle scaling and stains.

If possible, cleaning should be done on a weekly basis to prevent stubborn stains on the heating plate and damaging it.

Chemical or scrubbing with metallic pad **should not** be used to wash and clean the kettle as these will damage the surface and cause rust to develop.



#### **SIMPLE STEPS TO TAKE :**

##### **1. Use the correct descaling powder**

We recommend JVD kettle Descaling Power as it uses natural citric acid and 100% biodegradable. It is both economical and effective, odourless and non-toxic.



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KETTLE descaling powder  
UPC 6

##### **2. Economic Boiling**

Add a table spoonful of descaling powder and half or three quarter level of water. Bring the solution to a boil. To get the best result, leave the solution in the kettle for 10-15 minutes.

Pour the solution into the next kettle that needs to be cleaned and repeat the same boiling processes. You can continue to keep washing other kettles till you find the residue solution is no longer effective. Generally, a table spoonful of descaling powder is able to wash between 5 to 8 kettles (depends on the conditions of the kettles).

##### **3. Always Rinse Thoroughly**

It is important that the kettle be rinsed thoroughly after every wash. Repeat rinsing and boiling with clean water where necessary.

**NEVER leave extra water in the kettle** after use as residue water can leave mineral deposits in it. Dry the kettle thoroughly after every use.

##### **4. Cleaning the Kettle Exterior**

Clean the outside of kettle with a damp cloth. Wipe off thoroughly after cleaning. Do not use chemical on the kettle or immerse the kettle into water.

##### **5. Dry boil**

As an industry best practice, all kettles are recommended to be unplugged from the power source upon guest check-out. To achieve optimal life span, all kettles have to be switched off when there is no water in it. Leaving a dry kettle turned on for continuous boiling will damage the heating plate, cause melting of the base and become a potential source of fire.