



## Window Cleaner

### **Ingredients:**

Water  
Vinegar

\*Add equal amounts of water and vinegar to an old (clean) spray bottle.\*

### **To Use:**

Spray on windows. Wipe off with newspaper for a streak-free shine.

### **Tips:**

If you are having problems with streaks, add a few drops of a "green" dishwashing liquid. Often this is necessary to clean mirrors and glass streak-free. Many commercial window/glass cleaners have chemicals of a waxy nature in them; so when you switch to vinegar/water, there may be streaking if you don't have dish detergent in your cleaner.

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## All Purpose Cleaner

### **Ingredients:**

3/4 cup water  
1/4 cup vinegar  
5 drops lemon oil (or other essential oil)

\*Add ingredients to an empty spray bottle. \*

### **To Use:**

Spray on and wipe off. On surfaces where food is present, substitute essential oil with juice of 1/2 lemon for a natural disinfectant.

### **Other uses for vinegar:**

Remove soap buildup and odors from the dishwasher by pouring a cup of white distilled vinegar inside the empty machine and running it through a whole cycle.

For cloudy glassware, soak paper towels or a cloth in full-strength white distilled vinegar and wrap around the inside and outside of the glass. Let it sit awhile before rinsing clean.

## Wood Polish

### **Ingredients:**

Mineral oil  
Lemon juice or oil

\*Add lemon to mineral oil until desired scent is achieved.\*

### **To Use:**

Apply a few drops to surface (a squirt top bottle is preferred but not necessary). Rub into surface with clean, soft cloth.

### **Tips:**

Polish wood with 2 tsp. lemon oil and 1 pint mineral oil in spray bottle. Spray, rub in, and wipe clean.

Mix two parts olive oil to one part lemon juice. After rubbing the mixture in, let stand for several hours and then polish with a soft, dry cloth.

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## Soft Scrub

### **Ingredients:**

1/2 cup baking soda  
1/2 cup liquid dish detergent  
1/8 cup – 1/4 cup vinegar

\*Mix baking soda and dish detergent first, then add vinegar slowly until you have desired consistency. \*

### **To Use:**

Put in a screw top bottle. Scrub on surface with a sponge. Rinse with plain water when finished.

### **Tips:**

Keep in mind that baking soda and vinegar will foam like science fair volcano. The foam will dissipate after a few moments.

Use an earth friendly dish detergent or try Dr. Bronner's All-One Magic Soap.

Use the amount of vinegar that gives you the consistency you prefer. It's a great grime buster–no need to be shy with it.

Try heating the vinegar in the microwave (to a warm temperature that's comfortable to work with) before mixing it with the other ingredients.