

Brew Bucket™

Cleaning and Preparation Recommendations

Your Brew Bucket™ has been prepared with a highly polished interior finish. While this is the best for maintaining a sanitary surface, the finish can be damaged or dulled by aggressive chemical or abrasive cleaners. The following recommendations will ensure your bucket maintains optimum performance:

FIRST TIME USE

CLEANING

Prior to your first time use, you should wash your Brew Bucket with warm soapy water and a soft cloth to remove any oil residue from the manufacturing process followed by a fresh water rinse.

PASSIVATION

It's a good idea to passivate your bucket with an acid based solution. Fill the bucket with StarSan or other acid sanitizing solution at the recommended strength and at a temperature of 70-80°F for 20 minutes, followed by an air dry.

SANITIZING

We recommend you sanitize your bucket with StarSan or other acid based sanitizer per the recommended directions prior to use.

CLEANING AFTER USE

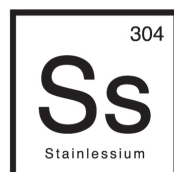
Use a standard brewery caustic or PBW to remove the protein buildup from the inside of the bucket. Follow the directions for strength and temperature and let the cleaner do the work. If needed, a soft nylon brush can be used to remove heavy deposits. The ball valve and lid gasket should also be removed, disassembled and cleaned.

NEVER USE

- Stainless Steel Scrubbing Pads or Scotch Bright pads - these will remove the protective oxide layer on the stainless and cause discoloring, and in some cases, surface rust can form.
- Chlorine bleach, or Chlorine based products - These will cause pitting of the stainless steel, which can not be repaired.

PASSIVATE PERIODICALLY

To ensure the longest life for your Brew Bucket™, you should passivate it at least once a year or immediately after you may have done anything to scratch the surface.



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