



Stainless Steel Care & Maintenance

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Introduction

Stainless Steel is selected for applications where there is a requirement for corrosion resistance, strength or aesthetic appeal. However the use of stainless steel in certain conditions may still lead to staining and discolouration due to surface deposits and cannot be assumed to be completely maintenance-free. In order to achieve maximum corrosion resistance and aesthetic appeal, the surface of the stainless must be kept clean. Provided regular maintenance is followed your stainless steel will continue to deliver on performance and deliver a long service life

Maintenance Programme

In accompaniment of the signed deed of warranty, the following conditions must be adhered to in order for the warranty to apply.

- *The product must be installed to manufacturer's recommendations.*
- *The product must be used for intended purpose.*
- *The product must be maintained to manufacturer's recommendations.*

Below is an overview of the maintenance required as stated by the manufacturer. It is advised that all information is read prior to conducting any maintenance. The relevant MSDS from Cyndan should be referred to for OHS recommendations.

1. All stainless steel structures/fixtures are to be maintained by using Cyndan's Stainless Steel Polish liberally onto a clean, dry cloth and then applying an even coating over the surface.



2. In the event of tea-staining/rust markings, all stainless steel structures are cleaned down with Cyndan's Stainless Steel Cleaner with a solution of 1 part product to 12 parts water. The person conducting the cleaning/maintenance must wear gloves as the solution is sprayed onto the surface, allowed to sit for 8 – 10 minutes then washed off with water. Allow to dry completely. Once the surface is dry, reapply a liberal coating of Cyndan's Stainless Steel Polish (as per above).
3. Should Tea Staining (rust markings) become more visible, a stronger solution (1 part product to 6 – 8 parts water depending on severity) should be used for removal. Allow to sit for 8 to 10 minutes, wash off with water and reapply Cyndan's Stainless Steel Polish as above. More severe staining may require soft agitation prior to washing off with water.
4. Protection of floor/wall surfaces while spraying Cyndan's Stainless Steel Cleaner is imperative.