

CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS FOR WHIRLPOOL SYSTEMS NOT EQUIPPED WITH THE OPTIONAL FILL-FLUSH OR SIMPLE TOUCH CLEANING SYSTEMS

THE WHIRLPOOL SYSTEM SHOULD BE CLEANED PERIODICALLY. MTI WHIRLPOOLS RECOMMENDS CLEANING AT LEAST ONCE A MONTH, NOT TO EXCEED 90 DAYS BETWEEN CLEANINGS. ALWAYS USE CAUTION WHEN USING CHLORINE-BASED PRODUCTS IN CONJUNCTION WITH OTHER CLEANING PRODUCTS. THE POSSIBILITY OF HARMFUL FUMES COULD RESULT. ALWAYS RINSE THOROUGHLY.

Fill tub with warm water 2" above the highest jet and add **one** of the following to the bath water: 1/4 cup of MTI Whirlpools' Fresh Wave Cleaning Solution, 1 cup vinegar, **or** several drops of a low sudsing detergent mixed with 1 cup warm water then followed with 1 cup of cool, clean water. Turn the system on for five minutes then let stand for an additional 15 minutes. Drain the tub and refill with cold water. Restart the system for 10 minutes then drain. If standard cleaning does not remove stubborn build-up or tough stains, your jets can be easily removed for more thorough cleaning. MTI will provide a "Jet Removal Tool" at no charge. Soak jets overnight in a pan filled with warm water and mild dish soap, and scrub lightly with a soft bristled brush or place on top rack in dishwasher, being careful to remove before drying cycle starts. Whirlpools with the optional Fill-Flush System or Simple Touch System should refer to page 22 and 23 of this booklet for operating and cleaning instructions.

CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE ACRYLIC SHELL

The cross-linked cast acrylic surface of all MTI whirlpools, air baths and soaking baths is among the glossiest, highest quality surfaces available. Its hard, non-porous surface prevents dirt from accumulating and resists stains better than other materials. With normal use, cast acrylic will retain its beauty with only a minimal amount of care. To maintain the high gloss, elegant look of the cast acrylic surface, follow these simple steps:

1. Use common household, **non-abrasive** cleaners for most cleaning jobs (for example: a mild dishwashing detergent such as Ivory Liquid). Follow manufacturer's directions and precautions. **Do not use unless the product label specifically states that it is safe for acrylic.** Rinse well and dry with a soft, clean cloth. Be sure to check the product label. Some products, although not containing abrasives, WILL damage the acrylic over time. Never use any type of "scrubbing bubbles" on your acrylic product unless it specifically states that it is safe for use on acrylic!
2. Never use abrasive cleansers. If any product feels gritty when rubbed between your fingers, do not use on the acrylic surface or controls as permanent damage will occur.
3. Do not allow your cast acrylic surface to come into contact with nail polish, nail polish remover, Wintergreen oil, dry cleaning solution, lacquer thinners, gasoline, pine oil, etc.
4. Remove dust and dry dirt with a soft, damp cloth.
5. Clean grease, oil, paint or ink stains with isopropyl (rubbing) alcohol. Dry with a clean, soft cloth.
6. Avoid using razor blades or other sharp objects that might scratch the surface. Small scratches can be removed by applying a thin coat of automotive polishing liquid and buffing lightly with a clean cloth. For deeper scratches, sand the surface lightly with a 400 grit "wet or dry" paper and buff with a fine grit buffing compound.

MTI strongly recommends a professional acrylic repair person for deep scratches or chips.