

Care and Cleaning

Windows

Tools Needed

- Cleaning solution
- Stiff, nylon brush
- Soft cloth

Label and tape adhesive should be removed by alcohol-based cleaners on small glass areas only. After this is removed, thoroughly wet the glass and rinse with plain water.

Glass can be cleaned with regular or other ammonia-based glass cleaners.

Vinyl (PVC) products can be cleaned with a solution of mild soap and water. For heavier cleaning tasks, the window manufacturer recommends commercially advertised household cleaners. Use any non-abrasive cleaner for tough jobs. Do not use solvents, paint removers or sharp objects to clean your windows and patio doors.

Condensation is caused by excess interior relative humidity in the home. It is your responsibility to control your home's relative humidity.

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If mildew is a problem in your area, use an appropriate cleaner or mildew controller found in local store.

The color of your vinyl windows is solid throughout all window components. Painting or varnishing is not required and will void warranty

The tracks of the sliding and double-hung windows are exposed to the outdoor elements, which can contain abrasive elements such as dirt, leaves, sand, grease, soot, etc. If these elements are not removed, they can be ground into the vinyl tracks when the sashes are operated. A minimum semi-annual cleaning is recommended. These tracks can be cleaned with a small, stiff nylon brush, then wiped down with a soft cloth. If necessary, an occasional light coat of silicone spray lubricant on the balance shoe track of a double-hung, and the tracks of a sliding window, will help ease the operation of your window without leaving an oily residue which can collect more abrasive elements

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Follow the manufacturer's recommendations for safe use of any chemical or cleaner. Any cleaning information suggested in this manual is only to assist you. The window/door manufacturer assumes not responsibility for results obtained which are dependent on the chemical solutions as prepared, and quantity and method of application.