

4.5 Side-By-Side Washer Maintenance Manual



Cleaning the exterior

Turn off the water faucets after final use. This will shut off the water supply to your washer and prevent the unlikely possibility of damage from escaping water. Leave the lid open to allow the inside of your washer to dry out. Use a soft cloth to wipe up all detergent, bleach or other spills as they occur. Clean the following as recommended:

Control Panel - Clean with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive powders or cleaning pads. Do not spray cleaners directly on the panel.

Cleaning the detergent, bleach, softener compartments

You may find laundry product residue leftover in your compartments. To remove residue, wipe with a damp cloth and towel dry. Do not attempt to remove the compartments or trims for cleaning. The compartments and trims are not removable.

Storing your washer

Washers can be damaged if water is not removed from hoses and internal components before storage. Preparing your washer for storage as follows:

- Select the Quick wash cycle and add bleach to the washer. Run your washer through the cycle without a load.
- Turn the water faucets off and disconnect the inlet hoses.
- Unplug your washer from the electrical outlet and leave your washer lid open to let air circulate inside the drum.
- If your washer has been stored in below-freezing temperatures, allow time for any leftover water in your washer to thaw out before use.

Cleaning the interior

Clean the interior of your washer periodically to remove any dirt, soil, odor, mold, mildew, or bacterial residue that may remain in your washer as a result of washing clothes. Failure to follow these instructions may result in unpleasant conditions, including odors and/or permanent stains on your washer or laundry. Hard water deposits may be removed, if needed. Use cleaners labeled "Washer safe".

Tub clean

Tub clean is a self-cleaning cycle that removes mold that may occur inside the washer.

1. Select the **Tub clean** on Cycle selector.

- Once the **Tub clean** is selected, the other

2. Press the **Start/Pause** button.

- If you press the **Start/Pause** button, Tub clean begins.



Using Tub clean, you can clean the tub and drum without using a cleansing agent.

⚠ CAUTION: Never use Tub clean cycle when laundry is in the washer. This may cause damage to the laundry or a problem with the washer.