

# 100% BIODEGRADABLE ECO-FRIENDLY ALLERGY-FRIENDLY VERSATILE

**Damar Washing Soda Crystals** are a versatile, easy to use product which has been used for over 150 years in a variety of domestic and industrial applications. Tried and proven for generations, Damar Soda Crystals are unlike many modern cleaners and detergents.

They do not contain phosphates, enzymes or bleach, making them environmentally friendly and safe for use in laundering or cleaning where allergic reactions may occur.

This amazing multi-purpose cleaner will:

- ✓ Wash Laundry
- ✓ Unblock Dirty Sinks
- ✓ Clean Hard Household Surfaces
- ✓ Leave Silver Sparking
- ✓ Septic Tank Safe

and much more...



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# 24 USES FOR DAMAR SODA CRYSTALS



## LAUNDRY

**1 General Machine Wash:** By adding 1/2 Cup of Soda Crystals to your wash you will soften the water and need to use less of your usual powder.

**2 Greasy Work Clothes and Stains:** Soda Crystals are renowned for their ability to dissolve grease. Soak greasy clothes and textiles overnight in a strong solution, before washing normally. **NB. Always test fabrics for colourfastness before using Soda Crystals to soak, wash or remove stains.**

**3 Low Allergy Laundry:** If, for allergy reasons, regular laundry powder cannot be used then substitute it with an equal amount of Soda Crystals. A longer wash or presoaking in Soda Crystals may be required for heavily soiled items.

**4 Clean Your Washing Machine:** To clean the drum, remove smells and kill bacteria, add one cup of Soda Crystals to the detergent dispenser on an empty cycle run on the longest hottest wash. This will eliminate any detergent from the pipes, leaving your washing machine sparkling and working more efficiently.

## BATHROOM

**5 Baths, Basins and Showers:** Use a mild Soda Crystal solution to freshen up sanitary ware. It cuts through grease and limescale. Do not use Soda Crystals on lacquered taps and fittings.

**6 Lavatory Pans:** Flush some Soda Crystals down the loo to clean and freshen, and to help prevent blockages. Use them to clean toilet brushes too.

**7 Waste Pipes:** Use a strong hot solution of Soda Crystal solution to help keep waste pipes clean and fresh. A regular flushing will help keep waste pipes clear of blockages.

**8 Floors and Vinyl Tiles:** Clean the bathroom floor with a regular solution of Soda Crystal solution. Ceramic or vinyl tiles will clean up beautifully – but please note any polish on wood or vinyl floors may be removed by using Soda Crystals. Mop and rinse for a sparkling floor.

**9 Tiles and Grouting:** Clean wall tiles with a regular Soda Crystal solution to leave them clean and sparkling. Soda Crystals will bring new life to grouting too.

**10 Sponges, Flannels and Combs:** Freshen them up and get rid of that 'greasiness' with a soak in a hot regular solution of Soda Crystals.

## KITCHEN

**11 Blocked / Dirty Sinks:** Pour a strong Soda Crystal solution down the plug hole and leave for an hour or two to dissolve the grease and grime. When clear rinse with water. Use regularly to prevent blockages and to keep water draining freely.

**12 Cleaning Blackened / Burnt Pots:** A strong Soda Crystal solution is very effective for removing burnt-on grease and food from pans, dishes and grill pans. Soak stubborn debris overnight. Wash in hot water with detergent added.

**15 Floor and Quarry Tiles:** Use a strong, hot solution to cut through ground in dirt and grease. **Be aware that Soda Crystals will remove any wax or polish on the surface.**

**13 Teapots and Cups:** Tannin stains can be easily removed by leaving a regular Soda Crystals solution to soak for one hour or overnight. Then simply wipe away the film with a cloth. Rinse thoroughly.

**14 Kettles:** De-scale your kettle by boiling a regular Soda Crystal solution and a raw potato inside. Rinse thoroughly before use. **NB. Do not use if your kettle has any aluminium components.**

**16 Cooker Hoods:** To help get rid of grease and odours mix a strong Soda Crystals solution in the sink and leave the Filter to soak for 15 mins before rinsing.

**17 Chopping Boards:** Scrub with a regular Soda Crystal solutions to remove stains and odours. Soda Crystals will leave no residual smell or taste once rinsed.

## AROUND THE HOUSE

**18 Waste Bin:** Clean out waste bins with a regular solution or Soda Crystals to keep them clean and odourless.

**19 Cane Furniture:** Cane and wicker furniture will come clean after a wash with a regular Soda Crystal solution. Not only that, Soda Crystals help to harden the cane and tighten sagging seats. Beware; loose lacquer or varnish may be removed by soda crystals.

**20 Silverware and Jewellery:** To put the shine back into silverware with ease, simply line a bowl with aluminium foil, mix a strong solution of Soda Crystals with very hot water, add to bowl and fully immerse silverware for up to 10 minutes. Watch as the dirt dissolves away. The chemical reaction between the soda Crystals and the aluminium foil generates hydrogen to remove the silver oxide (the tarnish). Remove the silver from the water and rinse in clean water. Use a clean cloth to buff dry. **NB. It is not recommended that Soda Crystals be used on aluminium or plated silver and rubber gloves should be used during long exposure.**

**21 Brass and Pewter:** Will polish much more easily if first washed in a strong, hot solution of Soda Crystals.

**22 Wooden Floors and Decking:** To clean outdoor wooden floors and decking, dissolve a medium Soda Crystal solution in hot water and mop as usual. Use as a preparation to remove Linseed or Decking Oil prior to applying a new coat.

**23 Barbeques, Grills and Utensils:** Make up a solution of Soda Crystals (1 cup in 5 litres of water). Soak grills and utensils before cleaning with a wire brush. For barbeque body casings apply with a sponge or brush and leave for an hour before washing off with a sponge soaked in the solution. Rinse off with clean water. A wire brush or scouring pad will help remove burned-on grease and food.

**24 Stonework and Ornaments:** Use a mild Soda Crystal solution – apply directly onto the surface and leave for 10 to 20 minutes before giving it a stiff brushing and rinse off.

In most instances, Clark Soda Crystals need to be diluted with water.

**MILD**  
- 1 tablespoon to 500ml of water

**REGULAR**  
- Half a cup to 500ml of water

**STRONG**  
- 1 cup to 500ml of water