# Kettle Maintenance

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It is important to clean kettles regularly to get rid of mineral deposits commonly found in hard water. The gradual build-up of limestone minerals will result in kettle scaling and stains. If possible, cleaning should be done on a weekly basis to prevent stubborn stains on the heating plate and damaging it.

Chemical or scrubbing with metallic pad should not be used to wash and clean the kettle as these will damage the surface and cause rust to develop.



## SIMPLE STEPS TO TAKE

#### 1. Use the correct descaling powder

We recommend Da Bomb for the removal and build-up of calcium, rust and lime for electric kettles. Use monthly as part of your machine manufacturer's maintenance cleaning program to keep scale at bay!

### 2. Economic Boiling

Add a table spoonful of descaling powder and half full your kettle with water. Bring the solution to the boil. To get the best result, leave the solution in the kettle for 10-15 minutes. Pour the solution into the next kettle that needs to be cleaned and repeat the same boiling process.

You can continue to keep washing other kettles till you find the residue solution is no longer effective. Generally, a table spoonful of descaling powder is able to wash between 3 to 4 kettles (dependent on the condition of the kettles).

#### 3. Always Rinse Thoroughly

It is important that the kettle be rinsed thoroughly after every wash. Repeat rinsing and boiling with clean water where necessary. NEVER leave extra water in the kettle after use as residue water can leave mineral deposits in it. Dry the kettle thoroughly after every use.

### 4. Cleaning the Kettle Exterior

Clean the outside of kettle with a damp cloth. Wipe off thoroughly after cleaning. Do not use chemicals on the kettle or immerse the kettle into water.

#### 5. Dry Boil

As an industry best practice, all kettles are recommended to be unplugged from the power source and emptied upon guest check-out. To achieve optimal life span, all kettles have to be switched off when there is no water in it. Leaving a dry kettle turned on for continuous boiling will damage the heating plate this causes melting of the base and become a potential source of fire.