

How To Remove Black Stains in Porcelain Toilet Fixtures

The black stains in your toilet bowl are from manganese in the water. Manganese is a metal that is often in small doses in your water supply. When mixed with minerals, such as iron and calcium, a brown or black discoloration occurs. Manganese can leave black stains in your toilet. Removing these stains requires minimal effort and leaves your toilet looking clean once again.

Instructions

Things You'll Need

- Cream of tartar
- 3-percent hydrogen peroxide
- Toilet brush

1. Shut the water off to your toilet.
2. Flush the toilet several times to get rid of the water.
3. Mix cream of tartar and 3-percent hydrogen peroxide into a thick paste.
4. Apply the paste to the stain, making sure it is completely covered.
5. Allow the paste to sit on the stain for at least 15 minutes.
6. Rinse the area with clean water to remove the paste.
7. Scrub the area with a toilet brush to remove any residual stain and repeat the process if necessary.



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- Shower Power
- Scrub Free
- The Works
- Lime Away
- SAN TEEN (toilet jets)

Dishwashers

- 3 Packages of Lemon Kool Aid
- Glisten
- Citric acid or Oxalic Acid
- Tang (run 3tsp through 2 cycles)

White Cottons:

- Rust Out
- Rit Color Remover
- White Wash