

# KNOW THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CLEANING, DISINFECTING, AND SANITIZING

Cleaning and disinfecting are part of a broad approach to preventing infectious diseases. Other measures include staying home when sick, covering coughs and sneezes, and washing hands often. Below are tips on how to slow the spread of infectious diseases specifically through cleaning and disinfecting.



Cleaning removes germs, dirt, and impurities from surfaces or objects. Cleaning works by using soap (or detergent) and water to physically remove germs from surfaces. This process does not necessarily kill germs, but by removing them, it lowers their numbers and the risk of spreading infection.

**Disinfecting** kills germs on surfaces or objects. Disinfecting works by using chemicals to kill germs on surfaces or objects. This process does not necessarily clean dirty surfaces or remove germs, but by killing germs on a surface after cleaning, it can further lower the risk of spreading infection.

Sanitizing lowers the number of germs on surfaces or objects to a safe level, as judged by public health standards or requirements. This process works by either cleaning or disinfecting surfaces or objects to lower the risk of spreading infection.

# - RECOMMENDED CLEANING PRODUCTS



#### USC

#### **All Purpose Liquid 707**

057744 - 4/1 gal 057746 - 5 gal

All Purpose Liquid 707 is a general purpose cleaner and degreaser for all maintenance needs. It is a pleasantly scented, easy to use liquid that will quickly clean greasy soils, atmosphere grime and everyday dirt. It removes soils without great effort. It is also an excellent detergent for pressure-spray cleaning operations. It is ideal for cleaning hoods, fans, deep fat fryers and similar items. This product is rugged enough for industrial maintenance and cleaning applications.



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## Challenge

057506 - 4/1 gal 057510 - 55 gal

Challenge is an excellent general purpose cleaner designed for all maintenance needs. The removal of greasy soils and everyday dirt becomes quick and easy. This product will leave soil affected areas clean, bright and a fresh scent. Its economical 5-6 ounce per gallon solution will handle most of your maintenance needs.



## IND/COM®

### Citrus All Purpose Cleaner

064108 - 6/19 oz

Citrus All Purpose Cleaner is formulated with orange citrus solvents. It easily removes dirty handprints from doors and walls, scuff marks from floors, bathtub rings, soot, grease, smoke film, oil, light carbon, dust and crayon marks. Plus it deodorizes while it cleans.



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## T-A-P Orange

063067 - 4/1 gal

Tap Orange is a concentrated product for cleaning, maintenance and degreasing of all washable surfaces. At varying dilutions, it will safely and economically remove grease, grime, dirt and the toughest stains.



#### Quickline™ **T-A-P Orange**™

3183703 - 6/32 oz

T-A-P Orange™ is a powerful citrus-based degreaser that quickly and easily removes dirt, grease, and grime from most washable surfaces, while leaving a pleasant citrus scent. Its neutral pH formula makes T-A-P Orange™ safe for use on floors, walls, tubs and tile, formica and fiberglass, metal and painted surfaces.



#### Quickline™ **White Glove™**

3183720 - 6/32 oz

White Glove<sup>™</sup> is a quick spray-and-wipe cleaner, backed by the cleaning confidence of bleach. It cuts through grease and grime, leaving surfaces clean and streak-free.

Pay close attention to hazard warnings and directions on product labels. Cleaning products and disinfectants often call for the use of gloves or eye protection.

Do not mix cleaners and disinfectants unless the labels indicate it is safe to do so. Combining certain products (such as chlorine bleach and ammonia cleaners) can result in serious injury or death.