

# LCD monitor cleaning – READ ME !

Cleaning instructions for all LCDs, computer monitors, etc.

- Deal with these fragile monitor surfaces as carefully as if they were lenses. SO:
- DON'T TOUCH THE SCREEN WITH FINGERS!!
- 1.) Blow (canned air) or soft brush off screen surface. Get rid of all solid particulate matter (dust). If you don't, these particles will scratch the surface permanently when wiped with wet cleaner pad stuff.
- BEST and cheapest: 2.) Spray screen with Endust for electronics and wipe with kitchen towels.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> BEST: Use commercially available wiping pads.
- 3.) Lay screen flat and wipe screen with even wipes, distributing alcohol across whole surface uniformly.
- Do not allow alcohol to dry because you will be wiping with dry cloth and grinding dirt into the surface. Wipe evenly to avoid streaking.
- DO NOT wipe with dry cloth ( or T-shirt) while dusty ever!!
- Storage: Blow the surface clean and Velcro on the clear plexi scratch cover (if you have one) that keeps a small airspace in front of screen while in transit so the surface is protected from mechanical scratching [works like a lenscap].)



**Best stuff:** Wet/dry 2 package Hoodwipes, 800-818-3946 \$1.00 each, most camera shops carry it <http://www.hoodmanusa.com/hoodwipes.asp> .

**ENDUST** for electronics, (800) 392-7733, KIWI Brands, Douglasville, PA 19518-1239 <http://noonshopper.com/?a=&pid=56101&s=product> about \$ 6.00 per box of 20 wipes from <http://www.noonshopper.com/> reasonably priced.

**Alcohol preps** (for hospital use, very cheap in packages of 200)  
From Kendall - Webcol Order No: 5033, Mansfield Mass. 02048  
Also available from hospital supply houses. Have a slight tendency to streak.

99% Isopropyl is better than 90%.

**Laptop screen wipe TX834** (expensive) Large pads well saturated with un-described solution that smells like isopropyl alcohol. The Texwipe Company, Upper Saddle River, NJ 07458 (800) 284-5577

**Wet Pads FREON TES** solvent MS176P (expensive, TES is a stabilized version that is not supposed to attack the ozone) Miller Stephenson Chemical Co., Inc., George Washington Highway, Danbury, Connecticut Tel.: (203) 743-4447.

**Fuji Film CRT cleaning towel**, Fuji Photo Film USA, Inc. Computer Media Division, 555 Taxter Road, Elmford, NY 10523 (800) FOR-FUJI

**Brilliance by Kleenmaster** instead of using Endust or alcohol, Chemical Products Co., Inc., Omaha, NE 68102 (800) 445-9344

**Chemtronics:** Cleans with a static dissipative treatment: removes dust, dirt, and oils \$ 1.00 each <http://www.mcmnone.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=MCMProducts&product%5Fid=20%2D3435> MCM 1-800-765-6960

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