

Rowenta ZD100

Rowenta Hot Iron Soleplate Cleaning Kit ZD100 Instruction Manual

Model: ZD100 | Brand: Rowenta

INTRODUCTION

The Rowenta Hot Iron Soleplate Cleaning Kit ZD100 is designed to effectively clean and maintain the soleplate of your iron. This kit removes stubborn residues caused by starch, detergent buildup, melted synthetic fibers, webs, fusibles, iron-on interfacings, and trims, ensuring your iron glides smoothly over fabrics. Regular cleaning helps prolong the life of your iron and prevents damage to your garments.

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Your Rowenta Hot Iron Soleplate Cleaning Kit ZD100 includes the following components:

- **1-oz Tube of Soleplate Cleaner:** A specially formulated, non-toxic cream for deep cleaning.
- **Application Cloth:** Used to apply the cleaning cream to the iron's soleplate.
- **Polishing/Finishing Cloth:** For buffing the soleplate to a shine after cleaning.
- **Set of Instructions:** Detailed guidance for proper use.



Image: The Rowenta Hot Iron Soleplate Cleaning Kit, showing the tube of cleaner, application cloth, and polishing cloth.

SAFETY INFORMATION

- Always ensure the iron is **unplugged** and **cool** before applying the cleaning cream.
- The cleaning cream is non-toxic, but avoid contact with eyes and prolonged skin exposure. Wash hands thoroughly after use.
- Keep out of reach of children and pets.
- Use in a well-ventilated area.
- Do not use on cold iron soleplates. The iron must be hot for the cleaner to be effective.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps for effective cleaning of your iron's soleplate:

1. **Prepare the Iron:** Ensure your iron is heated to a medium-hot setting (e.g., cotton/linen setting) and empty of water. The soleplate should be hot but not scorching.
2. **Apply Cleaner:** Squeeze a small amount (approximately 1-2 inches, depending on the soleplate's dirtiness) of the Rowenta Soleplate Cleaner onto the application cloth (white cloth).
3. **Clean the Soleplate:** Carefully rub the hot iron's soleplate over the cleaner on the application cloth. Apply gentle pressure and move the iron back and forth. You will see the residue begin to transfer from the soleplate to the cloth. Continue rubbing until the soleplate is visibly clean.



Image: A hand using the application cloth with cleaner to scrub a dirty iron soleplate.

4. **Polish the Soleplate:** Once the soleplate is clean, use the polishing/finishing cloth (green cloth) to wipe away any remaining cleaner residue and buff the soleplate to a smooth, shiny finish. This step helps the iron glide more easily.



Image: A hand using the green polishing cloth to buff the iron soleplate after cleaning.

5. **Cool Down:** Unplug the iron and allow it to cool completely before storing.

MAINTENANCE

To keep your iron's soleplate in optimal condition and ensure smooth ironing performance:

- Clean the soleplate regularly, especially after ironing fabrics that may leave residue (e.g., starched items, synthetics).
- Store your iron upright to prevent damage to the soleplate.
- Avoid ironing over zippers, buttons, or other metal objects that can scratch the soleplate.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues while cleaning your iron soleplate:

- **Soleplate still dirty after first attempt:** Reapply a small amount of cleaner to a fresh section of the application cloth and repeat the cleaning process. For very stubborn stains, a second application may be necessary.
- **Cleaner residue remains:** Ensure the iron is sufficiently hot during cleaning. Use the polishing cloth to thoroughly buff away any remaining cream.
- **Iron not gliding smoothly:** Ensure all cleaner residue has been removed and the soleplate has been polished. If the issue persists, check your iron's steam settings and water quality.

SPECIFICATIONS

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| Product Dimensions | 6 x 3.5 x 3 inches |
| Item Weight | 5 ounces |
| Item Model Number | 1110030326 (ZD100) |
| Number of Pieces | 1 (kit contains multiple items) |
| Batteries Required | No |
| Cleaner Type | Non-toxic cream |

WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For specific warranty information or product support, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Rowenta website. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims.