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Maintenance instructions:

DAILY

Clean door gasket with a mild detergent, water and a soft cloth or sponge. The gasket should be clean and smooth.

WEEKLY

1. ONCE PER WEEK, clean the air jet. To ensure that the temperature inside the chamber rises properly it is necessary to keep the air jet clean. A dirty air jet will prevent indicator strips from changing color and cause spore tests to fail (see sec. 9.4.).

2. Drain the water reservoir and wipe the its walls with a damp cloth or sponge.

3. Clean the water sensor in the rear of the chamber with a damp cloth or sponge. Cleaning the dirt off the sides of the sensor is more important that the tip (see sec. 9.10).

4. Take out the tray holder and trays. Clean the tray holder and trays with detergent or a non-abrasive stainless steel cleaner and water, using a cloth or sponge. Rinse the tray holder and trays immediately with water to avoid staining the metal.

CAUTION

Do not use steel wool, steel brush or bleach as this can damage the chamber and trays!

5. Put a few drops of oil on the 2 door pins and door tightening bolt.

6. Clean the outer parts of the autoclave with a soft cloth.

PERIODICALLY

1. Once per **35 hours** clean and descale the chamber, copper tubes and the reservoir using Chamber Brite (see sec. 9.9).

2. Once every month clean and check the safety valve (see sec. 9.6.).

3. Once every month drain the water reservoir and wipe the its walls with a mild soapy solution.

4. Replace the door gasket every **12 months**, or as needed (see sec. 9.5.).

5. Once every **6 months** clean the fan grid with compressed air from the inside outward.

6. Clean strainer **once a month**. Cleaning frequency may be reduced according to previous maintenance (see sec. 9.8.).

7. Once a year inspect the locking device for excessive wear.