

# How to Professionally Whiten Hotel Towels...



*From basic budget hotels to five star luxury resorts, a universal feature of guest rooms is pure white fluffy towels.*

A few professional laundering techniques are used in the hotel industry that you can employ to keep your white towels at home as nice as those at the finest resorts. Avoid using CHLORINE Bleach, and your towels will look newer for longer. Use some inexpensive household products as a budget-friendly yet effective alternative.

## Step 1

Separate whites from all other colours of laundry. Wash white towels only with other whites for optimum brightness.

## Step 2

Examine the towels for obvious marks or stains and pre-treat them by spraying the stains with Hydrogen Peroxide/Oxygen Bleach or Food Safe Degreaser about an hour before washing.

## Step 3

Add the usual amount of laundry detergent to the washing machine, and also add about half a cup of baking soda.

## Step 4

Put a load of white towels into the washing machine, but do not overfill it. The laundry needs agitation to get thoroughly clean, but this effect is lessened when the items do not have enough room to move around in the machine.

## Step 5

When the washing machine gets to the rinse cycle, add half a cup of white vinegar to the load.

## Step 6

Machine dry your towels, and then immediately fold them. Let the folded towels sit overnight, and the terrycloth will settle neatly and be wrinkle-free.

- NEVER over 70 degrees C
- Optimum Water Temp – 60°C
- NEVER Use Fabric Softener - Conditioners tend to build up in fabric and eventually make towels rigid. To avoid this problem, use white vinegar. Simply add 100mls during rinsing to make the linen soft and remove traces of powder.
- DO NOT Over Dry

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