

# Fabric Awnings Care Guide

To obtain maximum life on canvas, and acrylic canvas fabrics the following points should be noted.

1. Keep the fabric clean by hosing regularly to remove dust, bird droppings and other solid particles.
2. Do not apply detergents, cleaning fluids or insecticides. Bleach products should not be used. These products may discolour the coating. Strictly use a mild soap solution and water only for cleaning.
3. Keep petrol, oil, solvents, kerosene and other similar fluids away from the fabric.
4. Do not allow bird droppings, earth, sand or vegetable matter to remain in contact with the fabric.
5. Water based stains should be treated first by rinsing with cold water. If this is not sufficient, fabric may be washed in a mild solution of soap in lukewarm water and rinsed thoroughly. We recommend gentle brushing with a soft brush or sponge as harsh scrubbing can damage the Teflon coating.
6. It is important that awnings are let down to dry after wet weather and should not be rolled up or stowed away while wet. Outdoor furniture and cushions should also be dried before storing away.
7. **STUBBORN STAINS:** Clean thoroughly with non-abrasive household cleaners, diluted rubbing alcohol or diluted bleach – 1:20 concentration. Rinse immediately with clean water and dry thoroughly.



## Fabric Awning

- Brush or hose away dust or other solid particles
- Only use mild soap and water for cleaning
- Let down awnings to dry fully after wet weather. Do not roll them up while wet
- Cleaning fluids and harsh scrubbing can damage the fabric coatings



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