
TECHNICAL DATA

MEMORANDUM

FROM: Pat Freeman, Technical Services Manager
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SUBJECT: Cleaning Footwear

For normal cleaning, we advise a soft sponge or rag with warm water to remove surface dirt, and then a thorough rinse. Although we normally advise against using soap or detergents for everyday cleaning, if a boot requires specialized cleaning we would recommend a very mild dishwashing detergent be used sparingly and then the footwear rinsed off as soon as possible. It is permissible to use a soft bristle brush to scrub any dirt or debris off the surface. We do not recommend submerging the boots into water.

For cleaning the interior of the boots, the same methods would apply; it is permissible to fill the boot about $\frac{3}{4}$ fill with warm water and a mild detergent. Use a soft sponge or rag and scrub the interior of the boot, then rinse with clean warm water. It is imperative that the boots be allowed to thoroughly dry before returning to service.

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