

Saddle Cleaning

SERVES: The Entire Tack Room

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 Leather Conditioner
(I use the brand: Outback Leather Seal)
- 1 Saddle Soap
(I use the brand: Bickmore)
- 1 Toothbrush
- 1 Tack Cleaning Sponge
- 1 Rag
(I use a cut up T-shirt)
- 1 Soft, clean, grooming brush
- 1 Fine Grit Sand paper



DIRECTIONS:

1. Take fine grit sand paper to any rough-out areas that have become slick. I prefer to use the sand paper in a round circular motion, over the entire portion of rough-out areas to make it look even.
2. Brush off dirt and dust with soft grooming brush.
3. Take the toothbrush with saddle soap of your choice to the tooled areas and small crevices to remove dirt/dust.
4. Go over tooled areas with tack sponge and saddle soap of your choice.

5. Wipe down the saddle with your rag.
6. Go over the tooled areas with tack sponge and leather conditioner of your choice.
7. Go back over the crevices with the toothbrush to remove any built up saddle soap or leather conditioner.
8. Wipe down the entire saddle with your rag.

TIPS:

Test the saddle soap, leather conditioner, and sand paper in a small area (that is not visible) on the saddle first. Each saddle is different and could darken/change color with the saddle soap and leather conditioner you use.

I do not use saddle soap or leather conditioner on the rough-out areas.

