

Get the most from your Scrubba wash bag

Warranty information and your purchase



Congratulations on your purchase. The Scrubba™ wash bag is simply the best way to wash clothes anywhere, anytime for free.

Smarter Traveller Club

You just joined over 400,000 other travellers and campers who use the patented washboard-in-a-bag design because they can pack lighter and get a machine quality wash anywhere in just minutes.



Please try before you travel

By using the Scrubba wash bag before you travel, you won't waste any of your trip learning to use the bag and you can optimise the dosage of cleaning product you take on your trip.

It is also a good way to identify any defects in the product. These are rare (less than 0.5%) but it is much easier to replace the bag before you travel.

Backed by our 24 month warranty

Our warranty covers manufacturing defects (e.g. miswelded seams or holes in the fabric), which tend to be evident on first use.

While wear and tear is excluded from our warranty, the bag is designed to be easily repairable with tent repair patches or flexible urethane or PVC glue and should last for years.

How to use your Scrubba wash bag

Instructions, tips and tricks

TRICK: Some water may wick through the roll down closure over time. Roll tightly and stand bag upright with the valve at the top if soaking clothes.

1. Fill

Add cleaning liquid, 2-6 litres (0.5-1.5 gal.) water and clothes.

TIP: Powder or laundry sheets can be used. Fully dissolve before adding clothes.

2. Roll & Clip

Tightly roll down the top 4-5 times and clip closed.

3. Deflate

Remove air from the bag through the twist valve.

TRICK: Stand bag upright while deflating for ease and control.

TIP: If bulky items are being washed, try to move them around to contact the washboard.

4. Rub

Press and rub clothes against the inner washboard for up to 3 minutes.

5. Rinse

Change the water and shake the bag to rinse clothes.

TIP: Make sure to discard water at least 50 metres (150 feet) from lakes and rivers.

TIP: Turn the bag inside out to dry.

6. Dry

Par dry clothes in a Scrubba towel then hang to dry.

Frequently asked questions

Will stains come out?

Just like your washing machine at home, some stains need pre-treating before washing. Stain removing travel pens work well with the Scrubba wash bag.

Why is there no loop for hanging the bag to dry?

Because the best way to dry the bag is turning it inside out. Then you can use the clips to hang the bag.

Can I use hot water?

Please don't. Warm water is fine but water above 50°C (85°F) can burn you and damage the bag's lining.

What dose of cleaning product should I use?

All cleaning products differ so you should test with a small amount first (much less than a washing machine). If you need to rinse more than once, use less next time.