

Home & Garden

Grease and soap will harden in drain and clog it

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and basic repairs on some of the most common plumbing problems:

Basic Maintenance:

- Never dump grease or bits of soap down the drain. When the drain cools, grease and soap can harden and clog the drain.
- To clean out the drain of grease and soap, let hot water run through the drain for about two minutes. Dieleman recom-

mends doing this once a week.

- To maintain the life of the sink, do not use abrasive cleaners.
- Clean sink drain trap every three to six months.

How to: First place a bucket under the p-trap below the sink to catch water and debris. Loosen the slip nuts on the trap with water-pump pliers, unscrew the nuts by hand and slide them away from the connection. Clean trap with a small wire brush. Reinstall the trap and tighten the

nuts.

- Use non-caustic drain cleaners (copper sulfide or sodium hydroxide-based) every six months or so.
- Unclogging a sink drain trap (see drain cleaning instructions above.) Then:

1. Dump debris from the trap using small wire brush.
2. If clog is in the first fitting after p-trap, use the hand snake tool. The pistol-grip-style stores a flexible

steel cable in a disk-shaped crank for easy use. Push the end of the snake into the drain line, opening until you meet resistance. Set snake lock so that at least six inches of cable extends from the opening and crank handle clockwise to move the end of the cable past the bend.

Pull obstructions out of the line by releasing the snake lock and cranking the handle clockwise.

3. For clogs due to soap, bore through by cranking the snake handle clockwise while applying steady pressure on the hand grip.

4. Reconnect the trap and flush the system with hot water to remove debris.

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