

# Better Homes & Gardens Announces Winners Of Inaugural Clean House Awards

## Editors Tested a Wide Range of New Cleaning Products, From Detergents to Vacuums, To Find the Best Ones Out There Right Now

NEW YORK, March 15, 2021 /PRNewswire/ -- **Meredith Corporation's** (NYSE: MDP) Better Homes & Gardens released its first-ever **2021 Clean House Awards**, highlighting over 40 innovative cleaners and tools that are easier to use, more powerful, and most importantly, safer for your family and the planet. The Better Homes & Gardens 2021 Clean House Awards are featured in the April issue, available on newsstands now and online [here](#).

"After spending more time at home than ever this past year, keeping our spaces and belongings clean can be a real challenge," said Better Homes & Gardens Editor in Chief Stephen Orr. "Better Homes & Gardens wanted to highlight cleaning products and tips that are proven effective in our homes, and also safe for the environment."

The Better Homes & Gardens editors studied nearly 200 new products then tested the 100 finalists they hoped would revolutionize home cleaning. Multiple editors used each product, comparing the contenders to each other and their previous cleaning routines in order to select over 40 Clean House Award Winners.

The Better Homes & Gardens 2021 Clean House Awards are listed below by category and are available online [here](#).

### **Best Bathroom Cleaning Products**

Best Bathroom Disinfectant: CleanWell Botanical Disinfectant Bathroom Cleaner

Best Hard-Water Buster: 9 Elements Bathroom Cleaner

Best Toilet Cleaner: Seventh Generation Zero Plastic Toilet Bowl Foaming Powder

Best Bathroom Cleaning Wipes: Scrubbing Bubbles Antibacterial Bathroom Flushable Wipes

### **Best Cleaning Products for Dishes**

Best Dish Detergent: Cascade Platinum + Oxi

Best Scented Dish Soap: method Honeycrisp Apple Dish Soap

Best Spray Dish Soap: Dawn Powerwash Dish Spray

Best Sponge Holder: OXO Soap Dispensing Sponge Holder

Best Utility Cleaning Tool: Scrigit Scraper Wide Blade

Best Utility Towel: Dropps Swedish Dish Cloths

### **Best Cleaning Products for Floors**

Best Do-It-All Vacuum: Dyson V11 Outsize

Best Eco-Friendly Mop: Infuse Multi-Surface Floor Spray Mop Meyer Lemon Cleaning Kit

Best Hand Vacuum: Hoover ONEPWR Dust Chaser

Best Self-Emptying Robot Vacuum: iRobot Roomba i3+

Best Smart-View Robot Vacuum: Roborock S6 MaxV

Best Universal Mop: Libman Heavy Duty Wonder Mop

Best Vacuum-Mop Hybrid: Shark VacMop Pro

Best Vacuum-Mop Robot: Ecovacs DEEBOT OZMO U2 Pro

### **Best Laundry Products**

Best Dryer Sheet: HEX Performance Wet Dryer Sheets

Best Eco-Friendly Laundry Detergent: Kind Laundry Detergent Sheets

Best Laundry Detergent Concentrate: Swash Laundry Detergent

Best Laundry Odor Fighter: Clorox Laundry Sanitizer  
Best Laundry Stain Fighter: Ingredients Matter Laundry Soap Stain Stick  
Best Scented Laundry Detergent: Gain with Essential Oils  
Best Travel Laundry Stain Solution: Tide To Go Wipes

#### **Best Cleaning Products for Pet Messes**

Best Carpet Deodorizer: Aunt Fannie's Carpet Refresher  
Best Dryer Sheet: Bounce Pet Hair and Lint Guard Mega Dryer Sheets  
Best Portable Pet Stain Cleaner: Bissell Pet Stain Eraser PowerBrush Carpet Cleaner  
Best Pet Stain Remover: Oakwood Urine Stain & Odor Remover

#### **Best Surface Cleaners**

Best Aerosol Sanitizer: Microban 24 Sanitizing Spray  
Best All-Purpose Concentrate: Grove All-Purpose Cleaning Concentrate  
Best All-Purpose Wipes: Clorox Compostable Cleaning Wipes  
Best Cleaning Wipes for Electronics: Windex Electronics Wipes  
Best Disinfectant: Clean Republic Disinfectant & Sanitizer  
Best Disinfectant Wipes: Arm & Hammer Essentials Disinfecting Wipes  
Best Grime Cutter: CLR Active Clear  
Best Kid-Safe Cleaner: Babyganics Toy & Highchair Cleaner  
Best Surface Cleaner Starter Kit: Good Green Cleaner Starter Kit  
Best Stone Surface Cleaner: Pledge Granite & Marble Cleaner  
Best Travel Cleaning Wipes: Lysol To Go Wipes  
Best Wood Cleaner: Rejuvenate Green Natural Cabinet and Furniture Cleaner

For more information on the Better Homes & Gardens 2021 Clean House Awards, click [here](#).

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