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## How to Clean Your Accu-Armor™ Aluminum Wheels

Congratulations on the purchase of your new Accu-Armor™ aluminum wheel! You have chosen the lowest maintenance aluminum wheel available from Accuride. Regular cleaning of your Accu-Armor™ wheel is recommended to maintain the jewel-like shine. Even though Accu-Armor™ wheels are designed to survive in the harshest of environments, following these tips will help the wheels continue to look like new.

To keep your Accu-Armor™ wheels looking their best, follow these simple Do's and Don'ts:

### **DO:**

1. Rinse the wheel with water to remove any debris, grit or dirt particles. High pressure water is recommended.
2. Use a soft cloth dipped in a mild soap solution to help remove dirt and grease. Commercially available dish soap or automotive carwash soap is recommended.
3. Rinse the remaining soap and residue from the wheel.
4. Dry the wheel thoroughly with a soft cloth.

### **DON'T:**

1. Scrub the wheel before rinsing off loose particles with high pressure water. Rubbing debris against the surface of the wheel may result in scratches.
2. Use wire brushes to remove dirt or grime from the wheel surfaces.
3. Use alkaline or acidic cleaners or strong detergents to clean an Accu-Armor™ aluminum wheel. These solutions may attack the surface of the wheel and leave dull areas.
4. Use strong solvents to remove grease or grime from the surface of the wheel. Damage to the wheel surface finish might occur.
5. Allow soap solution to dry on the surface of the wheel.
6. Use polishes or wax on an Accu-Armor™ aluminum wheel. The wheel will maintain its appearance without additional polishing or waxing.

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