

FILTER CARE

CERAMIC FILTER CARE

Depending on your water source and its contaminants: 1. Your filter will turn light brown to orange 2. A build up on the top filter or agglutination will occur.

When the ceramic filter flow rate has decreased, it is time to lightly scrub the surface of the filter.

We suggest taking the top unit to the sink. Unscrew the ceramic filter from the top reservoir. While holding the filter under running water, gently rub the filter with a dedicated sponge, scrub pad or a paper towel. Do not use cleaners or detergents. Vigorous scrubbing will cause accelerated wear on filter. Your top filter will not return to the original white.

The ceramic filter typically lasts from one to two years. This timeframe depends on the quality of the water you are filtering and depends on how you care for your filter.

Replace your filter if:

1. Filter exterior surface is worn through to the comb section of the filter.
2. Filtration flow rate is severely reduced.



CARBON FILTER CARE

The carbon filter typically lasts 300 gallons. Please consider your daily water usage and calculate when you will need a replacement filter.

It is not unusual for carbon dust to be in your first 1 or 2 batches of water. The carbon is harmless.

For replacement filters, please contact your Adya distributor.



GUIDELINES

Do not over tighten the nuts when setting the Ceramic Filter.

Do not use water that is microbiologically unsafe or of unknown quality.

The concentration of indicated substances in water entering the system was reduced to a concentration less than or equal to the permissible limit for water leaving the system as specified in NSF/ANSI 42.

Keep in mind that if you place your unit directly in sunlight, blue green algae may form in the dispensing reservoir. The growth of blue green algae stems from the mica and sulfur of the ionic minerals. This is absolutely normal and healthy. Clean the tank with a sponge (no soap). If there is still green left do not worry this is not harmful and actually means you have healthy water.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If your spout leaks, check to see that the Washers are on each side of the water tap of the dispensing unit.

If your unit seems to be filtering slowly, please consider the following:

- Because the system is a gravity fed unit, the more water that is in the upper chamber the faster it will filter. To speed up filtration, keep adding water to the top chamber. Do keep in mind how much room is available in the bottom dispensing reservoir. Overfilling the top chamber can cause overflow from the bottom chamber.
- Consider if it is time to lightly scrub the ceramic filter. See guidelines above for ceramic filter care.



Adya Water Filtration Unit: Use and Care Manual



CONGRATULATIONS!

You have purchased a practical and effective water filtration system! Why is this system so powerful? Because it combines several of Nature's water purifying ways into one system. Your system includes Adya's ionic minerals that you can use in conjunction with 5 stages of effective filters. With the tools of this system, you can make fresh mountain spring-like water in your own home.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS:

Caution: These guidelines and safeguards help ensure that your new filter system operates effectively. Before installing and using your filter system, please carefully read all instructions. Always have clean hands when working with your unit. This will help guard against any contamination.

LET'S GET STARTED

Open the box and carefully unwrap all components. Check for any damaged parts. If any part has become damaged in shipping, notify your distributor within 10 days of delivery. Please have part number(s) ready to insure proper replacement.

Keep in mind that the white, filtration carrying box easily collapses and can be stored to be re-used when travelling with or transporting your filtration unit.

ASSEMBLY OF YOUR WATER FILTRATION UNIT

1. Soak the #7 carbon filter in cold tap water for 15 minutes.
2. Hand-wash the lid, fill tray, plastic plate, dispenser cover and dispenser with a mild detergent. Your filtration components are not dishwasher safe.
3. To flush the carbon filter, hold the carbon filter upright under cold running tap water. Do this for about 15 seconds.
4. Allow excess water to drain from the carbon filter.
5. Insert O-Ring, #3 into the nozzle of Ceramic Filter, #2 (see diagram to identify components).
6. Insert Ceramic Filter into Fill Tray, #4 and fasten it with the Nut, #5. Do not overtighten.
7. Twist Carbon Filter, #7 counter clockwise into Plastic Plate, #6.
8. To assemble the water tap, use the #11 ring (silicon ring) on the outside and the #12 ring (silicon ring) on the inside to attach it snugly to the Dispenser, #9. Screw on the tap nut, #13.
9. Stack the sections as they appear in the diagram.
10. Make sure the unit is on a stable surface so as not to tip.

FILLING UNIT WITH WATER

When working with the mineral solution, please follow these guidelines:

- As with all concentrated mineral solutions, keep out of reach of children.
- Avoid contact with eyes, surfaces or natural fibers until diluted.

Now you are ready to begin filtering water through your unit.

1. You may either remove the top fill tray from the unit and fill it at the sink; or you may bring a pitcher of water to the unit and fill the top fill tray. The top unit is 5 liters and the bottom unit is 10 liters. Do keep in mind how much room is available in the bottom dispensing reservoir. Overfilling the top chamber can cause overflow from the bottom chamber.
2. Once water is added to the top chamber, add the appropriate amount of Adya Ionic minerals to the water. The ratio of Adya ionic minerals to water is 1 teaspoon per 5 liters (total amount held in top chamber).
3. The water will filter through the ceramic filter and the carbon filter. Since this is a gravity fed system, the more water that is in the upper chamber, the faster the filtering process occurs. Feel free to add additional water and minerals to the upper chamber. The mineral to water ratio is 1 teaspoon minerals per 5 liters of water.

The water in your dispensing reservoir will contain purified, ionic mineral enriched water.

COMPONENT DIAGRAM

