



## **MAINTENANCE**

The acrylic sheet which forms the surface of your bathtub provides one of the most durable surfaces found in modern bathrooms. Keep it bright and smooth with mild liquid household detergent, soap and water, or foaming cleansers. NEVER USE aromatic solvents (such as essential oils), abrasive cleaners, scouring pads, strong liquid cleansers or other material that could damage or dull the surface of the bath.

## **RESTORING SURFACE GLOSS**

Restore surface gloss by applying a very fine rubbing compound and polishing the surface by hand or with a power buffer. Finish with an application of a good quality automotive wax.

## **MINOR SURFACE REPAIRS**

Remove minor scratches and scuffs as follows. First, wet sand the area with 600 grit wet sandpaper until the surface is smooth. Finish with 1200 grit wet sandpaper, and then restore the gloss as described under RESTORING SURFACE GLOSS.

## **SPECIAL FINISHES ON FITTINGS**

DO NOT USE powders, pads, or liquids that contain abrasives. Many household cleansers, including detergents for automatic dishwashers, are abrasive, and would damage the plated or coated surfaces as well as the finish of the acrylic bath. Use only soap and water or mild liquid cleansers for fittings.

## **SUCTION FITTINGS**

Should the fitting require cleaning, remove the screw from the suction cover screen. Pull the cover off and remove any lint or other material. When replacing the cover, make sure that the screw registers. Put the screw back in place and tighten to ensure there is no gap between the tub wall and suction cover.

## **WHIRLPOOL CLEANING**

The internal piping of your whirlpool must be cleaned regularly in order to reduce build-up of dirt and scum. This must be done even if you only use the tub for bathing or soaking and you do not use the jets. Use the following clean and purge procedure every week if the tub is used daily or every third use if the use is intermittent or occasional.

- With the tub filled with bathing temperature water to above the level of the jets, add 1 cup of liquid or powdered dishwasher detergent. To save water, you can add the detergent to the tub after use, before draining.
- Run the pump and jets for 10 minutes. Drain the tub.
- Refill the tub with fresh warm water to a level above the jets.
- Run the pump and jets for 5-10 minutes.
- Drain the tub.

## **AIR MASSAGE**

20 minutes after the blower is shut off, the blower will come on again for 30 seconds to dry the air jets.

The 30 second drying cycle after the tub is drained is important and is automatic after the air massage.

If the tub was used as a regular bath or the combination model was used only as a whirlpool, the air massage must be turned on manually for 30 seconds after the tub is emptied.