WATER SOFTENERS

a guide to water softeners with glasswashers





Water quality throughout the UK is no longer consistent. In many cases sites, which have had good results, can suddenly experience a cloud or bloom appearing on their glasses. This effect is quite different to a protein film and is not brown when wiped with a white serviette. It is caused by minerals, which are totally dissolved in the water drying on to the glass i.e. by putting a clean glass into the glasswasher, and it comes out cloudy.

The cure is affordable and requires the fitting of a demineralising cartridge. Depending on your water quality the cartridge will need to be replaced at about every 3-4 months. For sites with a low Total Hardness level, you can see up to 9 months with the same cartridge.



With a BWT water softener you can be sure of consistent results, unlike many market softeners that require regenerating with salt (which rarely happens), BWT supply a digital meter with their install kit which can be mounted on or by the machine, the digital meter counts down the litres from a preset figure (depending on your water quality). When the meter reaches '0' then that's when the cartridge needs to be replaced. You simply unscrew the old one, dispose with your normal waste and re-attach the new cartridge, reset the digital meter and that's it. No complicated regeneration of salts, just a simple solution for consistent results.

