



## Go ahead and throw in the towel



Fresh, clean, hygienic wiper every time, free from impurities or residues.

### Rental Shop Towels

These woven textiles towels are rented from a laundry company. Since laundry companies service multiple manufacturing facilities, shop towels with varying contaminants are mixed in the laundering process. Customers will not necessarily receive the same shop towels back after laundering.



- Woven textiles (usually cotton) that come in various sizes, most commonly 13" x 13", 12" x 14", 18" x 18"
- Product comes in white, blue, and red
  - Launder dyes product throughout life cycle to hide dirt and impurities
- Offered on a rental contract basis
- Picked up and delivered weekly (laundered off site)
- Have a great deal of loyalty among customers and often have been used for years. Users are fearful of change



### Tork Wipers

Tork disposable wipers are specifically designed to meet the needs of tough Wiping, Cleaning, Sanitizing and Polishing. Designed for the task at hand, these wipers will save you time, wiper consumption and money.



- Purpose made for cleaning and wiping tasks
  - Strong and durable
  - Highly absorbent
  - Solvent resistant
  - Have a cloth-like look & feel
- Consistent size, shape and performance

# The right wiper for the right task.



## Rental Shop Towels

### Health and Safety

- RSTs are laundered and reused many times where they pick up oil, grease, solvents and toxic heavy metals that are released into the wash water and deposited on “clean” towels
  - Customers will not receive the same shop towels back after laundering
- Commercial laundry’s do not provide MSDS documentation for used RSTs
- Workers who use just 2.5 towels per day can ingest toxic metals such as lead, cadmium and antimony.
- Rental shop towels can also pick up metal shavings that can injure workers, damage machinery, or damage work surfaces
- Frayed edges on older towels can get caught in machinery

### Efficiency

- Older towels are worn, less durable and less absorbent

### Cost-in-use

- Not designed to efficiently handle a variety of tasks
- Average cost per towel of 17-40 cents
- Hidden charges including:
  - o Replacement / lost charge
  - o Inventory charge
  - o Unusable charge
  - o Handling expense
  - o Environmental charge

### Environmental Impact

- Contaminated runoff water is created during the laundering process

## Tork Wipers

### Health and Safety

- Fresh, clean, hygienic wiper every time, free from the impurities or residues
- No remaining particulates that could damage machinery

### Efficiency

- Using the right wiper for the right task saves time and reduces consumption
- Solvents are absorbed more completely and released evenly, using less solvent to do the job

### Cost-in-use

- Pay only for the wipers used. No hidden costs or fees
- Disposable wipers are more compact to store and easily dispensed
- Convenient, portable dispensers and boxes mean wipers can be easily moved closer to the task

### Environmental Impact

- Wipers that have been contaminated by hazardous waste can be disposed of in the same waste containers that are picked up by your hazardous waste disposal service
- Wipers that are mildly soiled can be disposed of in the regular trash



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