

5 Cleaning

All instructions in the operator manual regarding cleaning, and when applicable regarding disinfecting and sterilization must be always observed.

This manual only contains cleaning information regarding coils and their accessories. For cleaning information regarding the other system components, please refer to: **Operator Manual MR system**

5.1 Cleaning RF coils and positioning aids

- 1 Use commercially available cleaning and disinfectant solutions. Follow the manufacturer's instructions.

The following table lists the classes of active agents that have been tested and are approved. The detergents listed under "not approved" must not be used.

Approved	Not approved
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aldehydes • Quaternary compounds • Guanidine derivatives • Peroxide compounds • Pyridine derivatives • Alcohol solution (for example, 70% isopropyl alcohol and 30% water) • Chloro derivatives • Commercially available cleaning agents, detergent substances • Alkylamine • Organic acids 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benzine undiluted • Acetone • Phenols

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- 2 Do *not* use hard or sharp objects (e.g. knives or tweezers) to remove residue.
- 3 Do not pour cleaning fluid onto surfaces and do not spray fluids - always use a damp cloth for cleaning.
- 4 Do not immerse in cleaning or disinfectant liquid. Do not rinse with water.



When using peroxide compounds on white positioning aids discolorations may occur. This does not impact proper functioning.