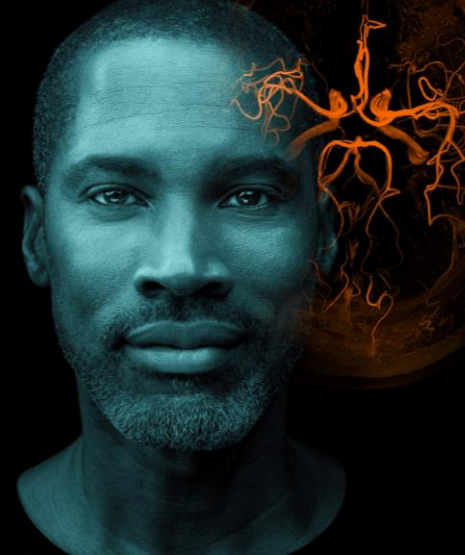
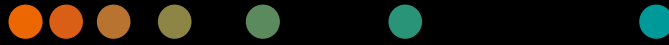


# Cleaning and Disinfection Guide

SOMATOM.go System



**Description:** This document serves as a guide on proper cleaning, decontamination, and disinfection of Siemens SOMATOM.go system and Tablet.

**⚠ WARNING**

Cleaning of parts of the system while the system is connected to the power supply!

**Electric shock due to possible contact with line voltage.**

- ◆ Always switch the system off at the main power switch before cleaning or disinfecting.

## Cleaning, Decontamination & Disinfection of the CT SCAN SYSTEM SURFACES

**Cleaning gantry and patient table surfaces.** Immediately remove residual contrast medium or blood on the gantry or patient table with a wet cloth (warm water).

**Cleaning accessories that are made of Plexiglas.** Clean accessories that are made of Plexiglas with a soap solution or diluted cleaning liquid only.

**Cleaning the monitor screen.** The monitor screen has a sensitive anti-reflective coating which has to be treated with care. Clean the monitor screen with a soft cloth, moistened with water if necessary. Do not use cleaning solutions.

### NOTE:

The following are the suitable cleaning agents for cleaning the sides of the table, the table top cover, gantry cover and accessories:

- ◆ Commercially available washing-up liquid Can be used without restriction.
- ◆ Ethyl alcohol - Ethyl alcohol impairs the surface of the immobilization straps, the protective goggles and the foot switch. The surface of the head cushion will fade with ethyl alcohol.
- ◆ Surgical spirit The surface of the air bellows of the patient table and the head cushion will fade with surgical spirit.

**Disinfectants** based on the following active substances have no damaging effect or cause only optical effects on the patient table and accessory surfaces:

- ◆ Aldehyde decompositors
- ◆ Quaternary compounds
- ◆ Organic acids (not for straps)
- ◆ Peroxide compounds

## Cleaning, Decontamination & Disinfection of the CT SCAN SCAN TABLET

### Cleaning the Tablet Case

Use a soft microfiber cloth or chamois moistened with one of the cleaning solutions listed under **CLEANING MATERIALS** or use an acceptable germicidal disposable wipe to clean the back and sides of the tablet case. When cleaning the cover of the tablet, use a circular motion to aid in removing dirt and debris.

Figure 1: Cleaning the back and sides



Figure 2: Wiping the screen



### Cleaning the Screen

Use a clean, lint-free cloth moistened with an alcohol-free glass cleaner to clean the tablet display. For a more thorough cleaning, use an antistatic screen cleaner and a clean cloth. Anti-static screen cleaning wipes can be purchased from many computer supply stores online at minimal cost.

**CAUTION:** Do not spray cleaning agents or liquids directly on any tablet surface. Liquids dripped on the surface can permanently damage internal components.

### Cleaning the Ports

The sides of the tablet have a series of ports. Use a can of compressed air to blow out any debris that might have accumulated in and around these ports.

### NOTE:

Use the following products to safely clean your tablet: Disposal wipes made for electronics containing dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride 0.3 percent maximum concentration (For example: germicidal disposable wipes. These wipes come in a variety of brand names.)

- ◆ Alcohol-free glass cleaning fluid
- ◆ Water with a mild soap solution

- ◆ Dry microfiber cleaning cloth or a chamois (static-free cloth without oil)
- ◆ Static-free cloth wipes that are designed for cleaning electronics

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