Congratulations!

Congratulations on your purchase of the Lionel Track Cleaner! This car is equipped with a track cleaning fluid reservoir and two rotating track-cleaning rings. The first ring applies the track fluid, and the second dries the track. Two bottles of track cleaning fluid are included, and additional track cleaning fluid is available from your authorized Lionel dealer.

Note! The Track Cleaner was designed to perform routine track maintenance only. For best results, clean extremely dirty or corroded track by hand before operating the Track Cleaner.

Caution! Do not add flammable fluids to the Track Cleaner’s reservoir. Certain fluids may react with the plastic and cause damage to the car. We recommend using Lionel Track Cleaning Fluid from the 6-62927 Lubrication/Maintenance Set.

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Adding fluid to the Track Cleaner reservoir

Your Track Cleaner applies track cleaning fluid to the rails. The reservoir bottle is located inside the body. Follow these steps to add cleaning fluid.

**Note!** Be sure that the fluid application lever is in the OFF position.

1. As illustrated in Figure 1, press in the body release button and lift away the body.

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Figure 1. Button location and body removal
Adding fluid to the Track Cleaner reservoir (continued)

2. Unscrew the reservoir bottle. Leave the cap connected to the car by the tube.

3. Add track cleaning fluid to the reservoir bottle, filling it about half way.

4. Hold the car vertically and screw the reservoir bottle back into the cap. Refer to Figure 2.

5. Holding the car horizontally, slide the fluid applicator lever to the ON position and squeeze the reservoir to remove any air bubbles from the system.

   **Note!** Excess fluid may flow out of the car. Hold the car over your sink or rest it on a towel to avoid saturating your layout.

6. Slide the fluid application lever back to the OFF position after a few drops of cleaning fluid have been forced into the cleaning ring.

7. Replace the body by sliding the front tab into position and then snapping down the two rear posts.

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Figure 2. Reservoir installation
Cleaning the track

1. Place the Track Cleaner on the track and couple it to your train. We recommend that you couple the Track Cleaner behind your locomotive. Until the track dries completely, track cleaning fluid may decrease the traction of the locomotive.

**Note!** Single motor diesel locomotives may not have sufficient pulling power to pull the Track Cleaner around your layout.

2. Slide the fluid application lever to the ON position for approximately three seconds, then return the lever to the OFF position. Refer to Figure 3.

**Note!** For the best results, do NOT leave the lever in the ON position while running the Track Cleaner around your layout. Experiment with the flow of track cleaning fluid to determine what works best for your layout.

3. Run the Track Cleaner around your layout.

4. If necessary, slide the fluid application lever to the ON position to add more fluid to the track cleaning ring, but slide the lever to the OFF position before starting your engine.

Figure 3. Lever location
Replacing the track cleaning rings

You will find that your track cleaning rings require regular replacement. Six replacement cleaning rings are included with your Track Cleaner, and additional cleaning rings are available (Lionel part no. 610-8461-010) for purchase from your local authorized Lionel Service Center or direct from Lionel Service.

1. Using a small flathead screwdriver, gently push back one of the tabs found on the top side of the rotating cleaning head. See Figure 4. This will release the disk holding the ring in place.

2. Remove the used cleaning ring.

3. Reposition a new cleaning ring and the retaining disk.

4. Snap the tabs on the disk into the openings in the rotating cleaning head.

![Figure 4. Tab location and cleaning ring replacement](image-url)
Your Track Cleaner is equipped with traction tires to help rotate the cleaning rings. During the course of normal operation, you may find that the traction tires require replacement. Replacement tires are Lionel part no. 600-0222-108, and are available at your local authorized Lionel Service Center or direct from Lionel Service. To replace the traction tires, simply slip the worn tire off and loop a new tire around the wheel.
Limited Warranty/Lionel Service

This Lionel product, including all mechanical and electrical components, moving parts, motors and structural components, except for light bulbs, is warranted to the original consumer-purchaser, for **one year** against original defects in materials or workmanship when purchased through an authorized Lionel merchant.

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Any warranted product which is defective in original materials or workmanship and is delivered by the original consumer-purchaser to Lionel L.L.C. or an authorized Lionel L.L.C. Service Center, together with proof of original purchase, will, at the option of Lionel L.L.C., be repaired or replaced, without charge for parts or labor. In the event the defective product cannot be repaired, and a replacement is not available, a refund of the original purchase price will be granted. Any products on which warranty service is sought must be sent freight or postage prepaid, as transportation and shipping charges are not covered by the warranty.

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**Instructions for Obtaining Service**

If service for this Lionel L.L.C. product is required, bring the item, along with your dated sales receipt and completed warranty information to the nearest Authorized Lionel Service Center. Your nearest Lionel Service Center can be found by calling 1-800-4-Lionel, or by accessing our Website at www.lionel.com.

If you prefer to send your product back to Lionel L.L.C. for repair in Michigan, you must first call 586-949-4100 or FAX 586-949-5429, or write to Customer Service, P.O. Box 748, New Baltimore, MI 48047-0748, stating what the item is, when it was purchased and what seems to be the problem. You will be sent a return authorization letter and label to ensure your merchandise will be properly handled upon receipt.

Once you have received your return authorization and label, make sure that the item is packed to prevent damage during shipping and handling. We suggest that you use the product’s original packaging. This shipment must be prepaid and we recommend that it be insured.

Please make sure you have followed all of the above instructions carefully before returning any merchandise for service. You may choose to have your product repaired by one of our Authorized Lionel Service Centers after its warranty has expired. A reasonable service fee will be charged.

**Warranty Information**

Please complete the information below and keep it, along with your dated sales receipt. You must present this and your dated sales receipt when requesting warranty service.

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