CLEANING THE EXTERIOR

CAUTIONS

Some high pressure cleaning systems are sufficiently powerful to penetrate door/window seals and damage trim and door locks.

Never aim the water jet directly at the engine air intake, heater air intakes, body seals (door, sunroof, windows etc.), or at any components which may be damaged (lights, mirrors, exterior trim etc.).

Do not use a power wash system in the engine bay area as it may damage fragile components, electrical systems etc.

Ensure that you read and comply with all warnings and product instructions supplied with any cleaning products.

Never use cleaning products that are not approved for use on vehicles.

Substances which are corrosive such as bird droppings, tree resin, dead insects, tar spots, road salt and industrial fall out can damage the vehicle's paintwork. Any such deposits should be removed as soon as possible to prevent damage to the vehicle's paintwork.

Washing the vehicle

Remove heavy deposits of mud and dirt with a hose before washing the vehicle.

Wash the vehicle frequently using a sponge and generous quantities of cold or lukewarm water containing a suitable car shampoo. Rinse thoroughly and dry with a chamois leather, or synthetic substitute.

Occasionally treat the paint surface with an approved polish, but do not apply it to the unpainted areas of the bumper mouldings.

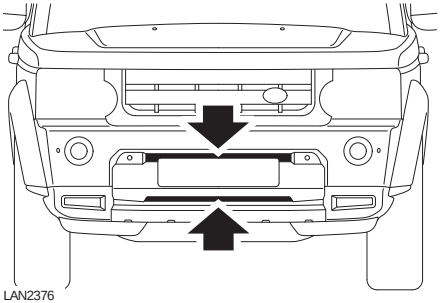
Note: *In hot weather, do not wash the vehicle in direct sunlight.*

Cleaning after off-road driving

CAUTION

Ensure that the areas around air intakes and the front grille are clean and clear of debris. Pay particular attention to the lower grille and radiator. Failure to do so may cause the engine to overheat, leading to severe engine damage.

Ensure that the vehicle and underside is cleaned soon as possible after off-road driving. Further information on cleaning after off road use is available in the Off-Road Driving handbook. This can be found on-line at http://www.ownerinfo.landrover.com.


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Using a hosepipe, direct clean water through the front bumper (where arrowed) to remove any build up of mud on the radiator and air conditioning condenser.

Removing tar spots

Use white spirit to remove tar spots and stubborn grease stains from paintwork. Ensure that after using white spirit, the area is washed immediately with soapy water to remove all traces of spirit.