

Tissues, Pee Bottles, Used Condoms: THESE Are The Disgusting Things Left In Our Car

- Old tissues are the number one item people leave in their car with 39.1% admitting to this!
- 32.2% of people are guilty of leaving a PEE bottle in their car!
- When it comes to cleaning their cars 11.7% admit to NEVER doing so!
- RED car owners have the messiest cars, with 33.5% of people never cleaning theirs!
- Shockingly, 1 in 10 (10.3%) have left used condoms and 8% have left used sanitary items in their car!

It's easy to get swept up in the day-to-day chaos. Maintaining order in our lives can be taxing and so keeping up with the mess that accumulates in our car is *not* a priority.

This inspired **EOT Cleaning** to ask the question; what are some of the grossest things people have kept in their car?

They surveyed **3,230** people from across globe, asking them 'What are some of the grossest things you have had in your car that you may have forgotten about?

EOT Cleaning also wanted to look at owners with specific car colours to see which colour cars are the dirtiest inside.

ltem	Percentage of people who have had this in their car
Old tissues	39.1%
Old take-away food	38.6%
Pee bottles	32.2%
Receipts	29.5%
Chocolate wrappers	27.4%
Money	26.1%
Old groceries	25.8%
Broken car parts	23.3%
Make-up	20.7%
Used nappies	18.3%
Chewed chewing gum	12.8%
Used condoms	10.3%
Hair (removed from hairbrush)	9.7%
Unwashed gym clothes	8.9%
Used towels	8.7%
Used sanitary equipment	7.9%
Magazines	6.8%

Sex toys

Shockingly, **39.1%** of people admitted to having tissues lying around in their car. Perhaps the most dangerous to have sedentary in your car during the COVID-19 era.

EOT Cleaning found that in **second place** is **old takeaway food** with **38.6%** of people saying they have had this in their car. We've all been guilty of leaving McDonalds remnants in the car from time to time, but with most people **(41.7%)** only cleaning their car every six months, it begs the question; how long has that food been sitting there?

Shockingly, **in third place**, **32.2**% of people have shockingly admitted to keeping **pee bottles** in their car. With **11.7**% of people **never** cleaning their car; how many pee bottles are there out there?

In fourth and fifth place are receipts and chocolate wrappers with **29.5%** and **27.4%** of the votes respectively.

Among the shocking items in the list, repulsively, **10.3%** of people have left used condoms in their car and **7.9%** of people have left sanitary items in their car.



How often do we really clean our car?

Duration between cleans	Percentage of people that say they clean the car this often
Once a week	4.0%
Once every two weeks	6.5%
Once every two/three month	s 24.7%
Once every 6 months	41.7%
Once a year	7.9%
Every other year	3.5%
Never	11.7%

<u>EOT Cleaning</u> also found that of the **3,230** people surveyed, **11.7%** said they have NEVER cleaned their car. End of Tenancy Cleaning Services wanted to find out which **colour** car is the **dirtiest inside**.

Which car owners are the messiest?

Of the 11.7% who have never cleaned their car:

As the dirtiest, in first place are red cars with 33.5% of

		Number/percentage of people who NEVER clean their
	Colour car owned	car
people who NEVER clean their car owning a red one.	Red	33.5%
Black cars follow behind in second place, with 23.7%	Black	23.7%
of owners admitting to never cleaning their car.	Grey	18.0%
	Blue	9.0%
Grey cars rank in third place , with 18% of people who do not clean their car owning grey.	Green	6.2%
	White	5.9%
In fourth and fifth are blue and cars, with 9% and 6.2% of people who never clean their car owning these colours respectively.	Bronze	1.9%
	Orange	1.1%
	Yellow	0.6%

Methodology:

- 1.) <u>EOT Cleaning</u> collated a list of 18 items that are considered 'gross' to leave in the car for a long time. They did this by surveying 3,230 Brits to ask them for the things they are embarrassed to admit they had left in the car.
- 2.) They then asked respondents further questions like 'how often do you clean your car?' and 'what colour car do you own?'
- 3.) Survey was conducted on 02/11/2020.

Notes to editors:

We really hope you find this release useful. If you do end up using it, we would very much appreciate a link to www.end-of-tenancy-london.co.uk who commissioned the data. A link credit allows us to keep supplying you with future content that you may find useful. Thank you very much!

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