



How to Dye a Used Shirt

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INTRODUCTION


If you have a stain that you just can't get out but you love your shirt, this is the guide for you. This guide will lead you step-by-step in dying an old shirt so it doesn't contribute to land-fill waste! Keep in mind that as you may be working with dyes, there may be a mess involved, so working with this in mind may reduce cleanup.

TOOLS:

Rit DyeMore (1)
cooking tongs (1)
measuring cup (1)
Dish Soap (1)
Heating Pot (1)
Nitrile Gloves 100 Box (1)
Plastic wrap (1)
Bucket (1)

Step 1 — How to Dye a Used Shirt



-  The dye used for this guide is Rit DyeMore.
- Buy the product and make sure to read the instructions on the bottle.
- Weigh your shirt & follow instructions on the bottle according to weight to determine how much dye is needed.
- Pre-wash your clothing item and prepare your materials and work area.

Step 2



- Add enough water in a stainless steel pot to let the clothing item move freely.

Step 3



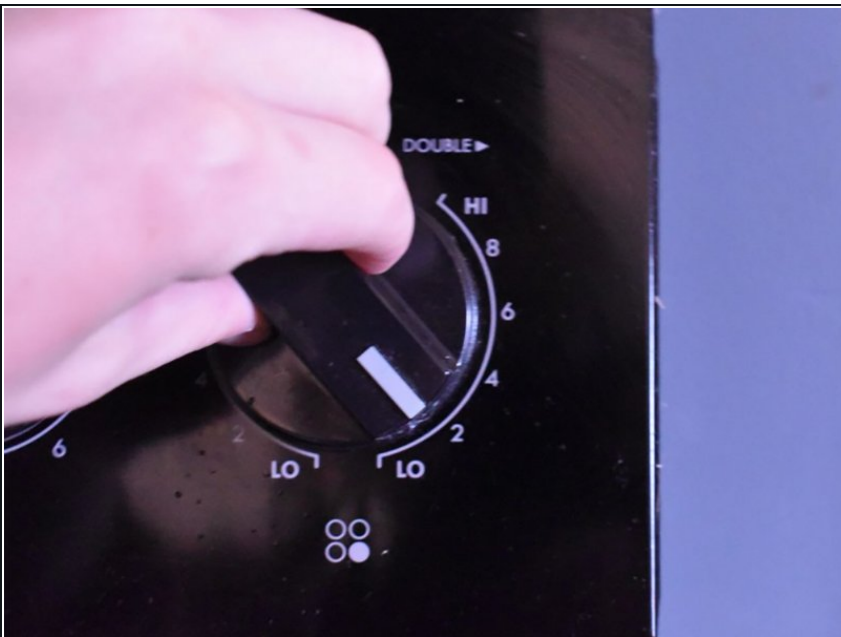
- Add 1 tsp of dish detergent to the pot.

Step 4



- Cover the pot and let the water reach close to boiling temperature ~200 degrees Fahrenheit.

Step 5



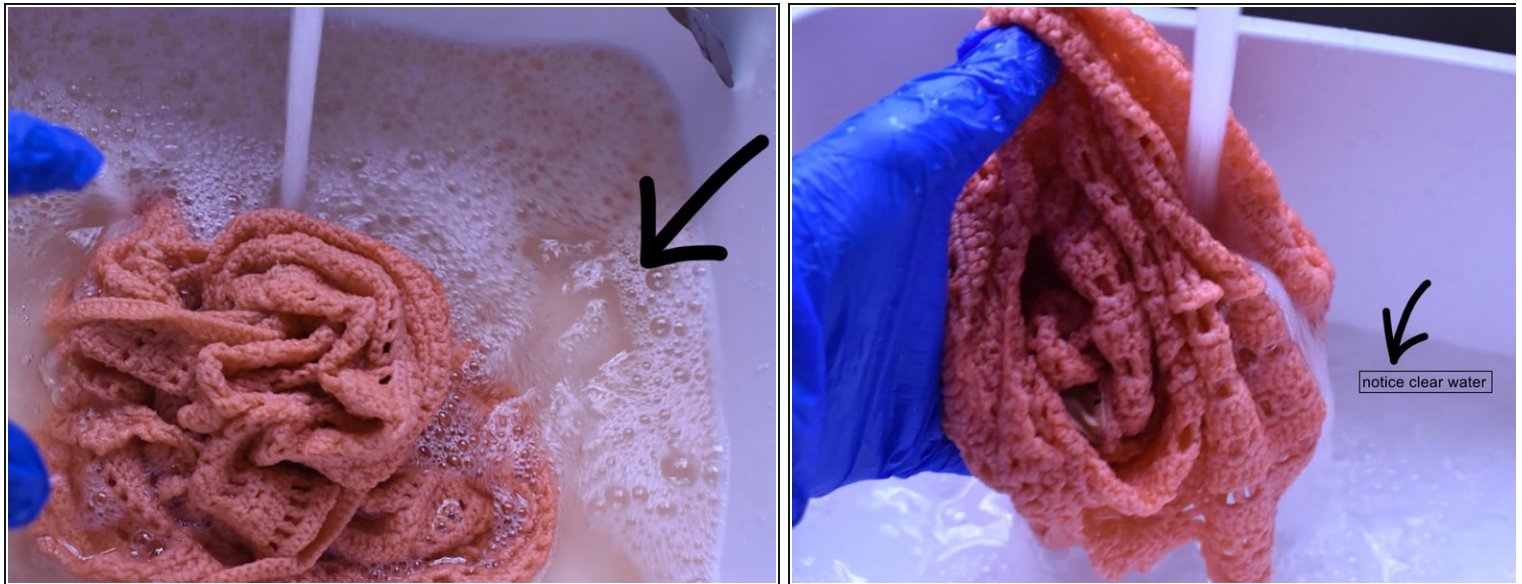
- Add the desired amount of dye that was measured via the bottle to the water and turn the stove top temperature to simmer.

Step 6



- Place wet clothing item in the solution.
- Stir slowly for 10 minutes.

Step 7



- After the desired color is achieved, remove the item from the solution.
- Rinse the clothing item with warm water.
- Gradually use cooler water until the water runs clear.
- Wash the clothing item in warm water.
- Dry and enjoy your new clothing item!

Enjoy your new wardrobe!