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PRODUCT TESTING

# Helping hands

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THE MAKERS of these three products say **Vileda gloves** offer protection and comfort when you're doing household chores.

**Cost and where available:** Drug-

stores, supermarkets and discount stores. Suggested retail price: \$2.09 a pair for Vileda Fresh Comfort gloves, \$1.59 a pair for Vileda Sensitive Plus gloves and \$2.19 for a box of 10 Soft & Care disposable gloves.

**How they worked:** I put a staff member to work with a sinkful of dishes. She used the Fresh Comfort gloves and noticed a small improvement compared to other household gloves. The foam-lined glove allowed for dry, comfortable hands.

My crystal glasses don't leave the china hutch often. But this week, I decided to wash a few with the Sensitive Plus gloves. I liked the fingertip grip. The glove seemed less bulky than others I have used.

Vileda also sells Soft & Care disposable gloves that moisturize hands with chamomile lotion. I found the scent unpleasant, but the glove worked well.

**Would I buy these again:** Yes. I usually clean without gloves, but after using these products, I'm



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### Vileda Sensitive Plus gloves.

persuaded to use gloves whenever I'm working in water or with cleansers.

**One more thing:** The disposable

gloves have other uses. They are ideal for protecting hands during beauty tasks, such as applying a self-tanner or hair color.

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