

ABSTRACT

A cleaning member (1) of the present invention includes a nonwoven structure (2) whose shape is retained by entanglement between single fibers having a median fiber diameter of from 100 to 2000 nm. The nonwoven structure (2) has an apparent density of from 0.05 to 0.60 g/cm³. Preferably, the cleaning member (1) may further include a support (3), and the support (3) and the nonwoven structure (2) may be arranged in contact with one another. Preferably, the single fiber may be an electrospun fiber. A method for manufacturing a cleaning member of the present invention includes: a step of performing spinning by electrospinning, and thereby forming a deposit of a single fiber; and a step of pressing the deposit, and thereby forming a nonwoven structure having an apparent density of from 0.05 to 0.60 g/cm³.