

# EPOXY RESIDUE REMOVER

Alkaline cleaner specifically for the removal of grouts and epoxy residues



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**EPOXY RESIDUE REMOVER** is an alkaline-based cleaner specifically developed to remove residues and films from grouting and sealing operations carried out using seals or epoxy-based products, quickly and easily.

The product can be used for end-of-installation cleaning as well as to remove film or stains caused through incorrect or lack of cleaning once installation has been finished. **EPOXY RESIDUE REMOVER** is also extremely effective on epoxy residues that have been there for some time.

**EPOXY RESIDUE REMOVER** acts quickly and easily, even when used on surfaces that are particularly difficult to clean, such as low-thickness materials or those with a micro-textured surface finish.

Its mild but effective formula makes it ideal for use on acid-sensitive surfaces since it will not cause corrosion or aggression. **EPOXY RESIDUE REMOVER** is also particularly effective for the removal of synthetic residues, even if stubborn and have been there for some time, such as graffiti, paint and enamels.

## CHARACTERISTICS AND BENEFITS

- ✓ Excellent **power to break down residues** and **epoxy patinas**
- ✓ **Top-level cleaning power**
- ✓ **Gentle on materials and on grout**
- ✓ **Fast acting**
- ✓ **Quick and easy application**
- ✓ **Will not attack treated materials**

## USES

This product **can be used** on both indoor and outdoor surfaces.

**Suitable** for use on: Marble-cement agglomerate, Marble-resin agglomerate, Marble-quartz agglomerate, Slate, Sandstone, Basaltina - Lava stone, Molten basalt, Cementina, Concrete, Glazed ceramics, Clinker, Cotto, Granite, Lapped porcelain stoneware, Polished porcelain stoneware, Natural porcelain stoneware, Textured porcelain stoneware, Limestone, Marble, Reconstituted stone (Eco stone), Porphyry, Quarzite, Terracotta, Travertine, Tuff

## COVERAGE

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## APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

Cloth, mop, single-disc machine



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#### **APPLICATION STEPS**

##### **Preparing and cleaning the surface**

1. Before proceeding to wash the surface with Epoxy Residue Remover, it is advisable to clean away any surface residues, such as dust, debris and coarse dirt, using a broom or a vacuum cleaner,

We recommend treating small areas of the surface at a time. The size of the area to be treated individually should be decided according to the absorption level of the material.

When applying to highly absorbent surfaces, such as cotto or terracotta, it is necessary to work on an area of no more than about 4-5 sq. m, to ensure that the wax remover does not penetrate the surface completely, which would prevent it from carrying out its function. When applying to low-absorption surfaces, such as stoneware or ceramic tiles, the treated area may be larger, according to the requirements and the capability of the operator.

##### **Application**

2. This product is applied undiluted

3. Apply the product to the surface, covering the whole area being cleaned and distributing it evenly and vigorously with a single-disc machine or large brush.

4. Leave the product to work for about 10-15 minutes for soft residues, 20-30 minutes in case of stubborn or aged residues, helping its dissolving action on the material by passing over with a single-disc machine or large brush at more or less regular time intervals, according to the difficulty in removing the residues that need to be dissolved. This will boost the dissolving action of the product and give you better results.

When applied to particularly absorbent surfaces, while working with the product, it may be necessary to pour some more onto the surface, to compensate for the product absorbed by the material. For the best possible results, it is important for the surface to be completely covered by a fine layer of product throughout the treatment.

This operation can be carried out using a more or less abrasive disc or brush, to be selected according to the type of material and the type of dirt or treatment being removed. White pad: for less dirty or more compact surfaces, such as glazed ceramics, for example. Green or light blue pad for rough, unpolished surfaces such as cotto, terracotta, etc.

5. After the above amount of time, remove the cleaning residues by pouring a sufficient amount of clean water onto the surface to form an emulsion with the solution on the floor; distribute this evenly with the single-disc machine or brush, and then remove any excess. This operation is best performed with a liquid vacuum cleaner, although alternatively, the excess liquid can be absorbed with cloths or absorbent paper towels.

6. After removing the residues, rinse the surface thoroughly using clean water. If the results are not completely satisfying, repeat the operation, following the steps above.



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#### **Opening to floor traffic**

After rinsing the surface with water, the floor can be opened for use as soon as it is dry. When applying the treatment again, it is necessary to wait for the surface to be completely dry, all the way through. The amount of time for this will vary according to the type and absorption level of the material.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS AND GUIDELINES**

- Before applying the product to the whole surface, it is advisable to test a small, unexposed area or unused piece to check its suitability for use.
- When applying to recently laid or grouted surfaces, wait for the adhesive or grout to cure completely.
- Do not mix with other chemical compounds
- If the finished result is not totally satisfactory, repeat the process as described above.

#### **EQUIPMENT CLEANING**

At the end of application, the equipment used can be washed using water.

#### **SAFETY**

When applying the product, always use suitable personal protective equipment and follow the instructions on the product safety data sheet with care.

#### **PHYSICAL AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

Aspect:	Gel
Colour:	White
Odour:	Typical
pH:	11,0±0,5
Specific Gravity at 20°C	1120 ± 40 g/l

#### **STORAGE**

Keep the container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry place.

#### **SHELF LIFE**

24 months in the original, sealed packaging, stored in a cool, dry place.

#### **PACKAGING**

- 1 l bottles - 12 bottles per box



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#### HAZARD IDENTIFICATION



H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.
P234	Keep only in original container.
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P264	Wash ... thoroughly after handling.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

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