

Safety Data Sheet

Pre-Grout Stone & Porcelain Paving Sealer

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Water based pre-grout treatment for interior and exterior use

PaveCare™ Pre-Grout Stone & Porcelain Paving Sealer is a water-based pre-grout treatment for all types of porcelain, natural stone or concrete paving surfaces. Designed to help with grout or jointing compound release this product should be used once the paving has been firmly laid in position upon a suitable bedding area. Can also be used once any grouting has been completed, and is fully cured, to protect the paving and aid with the removal of stains and dirt from organic matter.

Directions for use

Paving should be sound, clean and free from dirt, dust, oil etc. Surfaces can be damp prior to application, but a better seal would be achieved if the paving is dry. We recommend cleaning with Nexus Paving & Driveway Cleaner prior to application.

The Pre-Grout Sealer is designed as an invisible coating but may darken very light surfaces slightly. **As with all sealants, test on a small inconspicuous area before full application.** The sealer is supplied ready for use and should be applied when the surface temperature of the paving is between 5°C and 25°C. As a guide, the stone should be cool to the touch.

Shake the container well prior to use. Application may be made by brush, roller or spray (ensuring appropriate PPE is worn). Apply a complete, even coat over the whole surface ensuring any excess is removed - allow to dry for 30 minutes. Apply a second even coat and leave to cure. Dependent on temperature, this second coat should be fully cured in around 1 hour (an extra coat may be required on porous paving). Once the sealer has fully cured, the paving can be grouted/pointed. For additional temporary grout protection a final coat can be applied. For a longer lasting seal we recommend using the PaveCare PRO-820 ECO Invisible Water-Based Sealer once the Pre-Grout Sealer has faded. *All tools/equipment should be thoroughly cleaned after use. Waste material should not be emptied into drainage systems.*

Coverage

Depending on substrate porosity, this product covers up to 15m² per litre per coat when applied to natural stone or concrete, and up to 30m² per litre per coat on porcelain.

Storage information

PaveCare™ Pre-Grout Stone & Porcelain Paving Sealer should be stored in sealed containers in a cool, dry and frost-free environment, protected from extremes of temperature. Shelf life - up to 2 years for *un-opened* containers.

Health, Safety & Environmental

Contains: 2-METHYLISOTHIAZOL-3(2H)-ONE **May cause an allergic skin reaction.** Keep out of the reach of children. Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.



WARNING

This information is offered without guarantee. The material should be used so as to take account of the local conditions and the surfaces to be treated. In case of doubt, the product should be tried out in an inconspicuous area.