

# **Grout Shield**

#### Packaging





#### Application





#### Substrates

Cement based floor and wall grouts

# Water based grout sealer (does not change the grout's appearance)

## Description

A water based silicone sealer that repels water and shields the grout from contaminants and staining. Does not change the appearance of the grout.

#### Uses

A grout sealer for sanded and fine grouts on exterior and interior floors and walls.

#### **Features**

- Does not change appearance
- Shields the grout from contaminants
- Allows the grout to breathe

#### **Coverage** (Approximate)

3-8m<sup>2</sup> per coat/250ml, depending on grout width and porosity.

#### **Surface Preparation**

The grout to be sealed must be clean, dry, porous and not contaminated by previous sealers. New grout must have cured for 48 hours before applying the sealer.

#### Test Area

Apply **Grout Shield** to a small area to test suitability and application before commencing the whole area. Read the label thoroughly before proceeding.

### Application

Apply a coat of **Grout Shield**, holding the sealer close (2-5cm away) and spray the grout. After 4-5 minutes remove sealer that has not penetrated into the grout with a clean rag or paper towel.

# Do not let unpenetrated sealer dry on the surface.

To check the performance of the sealer, after 2 hours by applying some water drops to the surface. If water is absorbed apply a second coat. Repeat the procedure until the grout is sealed. Do not wet for 12 hours, but is fully cured in 24 hours.



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Limitations

- 1. **Grout Shield** penetrates into the grout and the application should last 5+ years. However, in high wear situations on areas subject to harsh cleaning, chemical wear, more frequent repeat sealing may be required.
- Do not allow the sealer residue to dry on the surface, as residue will be visible. If this does occur, remove residue with an abrasive bathroom cleaner or baking soda mixed with water.

# Caution

Use rubber gloves and eye protection when applying product. Flush thoroughly with water product that is in contact with skin or eyes or if ingested seek medical assistance.

Sealer Disclaimer: This product is used under conditions that are beyond our control, the manufacturer will not be responsible for the results obtained. Liability is restricted to the replacement of any material proved faulty and the manufacturer is not responsible for loss or damage arising from incorrect usage. Determining the suitability of the product for any intended use shall be the sole responsibility of the user.



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