



GROUT SEALER

SATIN FINISH - PENETRATING CLEAR WATERPROOFING SEALER FOR GROUT.



500ml

APPLICATION:

Mildly shake the container before using. It is very easy to apply using the spray bottle. Spray along the grout joints and then wipe excess overspray off the tiles. Typically this would be done after 4 – 5 minutes which allows it time to tack to the grout however it is recommended that a test tile is used to ensure sealer can be completely removed prior to application of a large area. Sealer will penetrate and seal all the fine pores. Can also be applied using an artist's brush. Should apply 2 coats and should wait for ½ - 1 hour between coats. Each coat should be enough to be soaked into the grout surface – do not over apply to cause ponding and formation of a milky layer. Allow to cure for 24 – 48 hours before any water is applied. To check – put some drops of water on the grout sealed surface and water should bead and not be absorbed by the grout. Do not apply if temperature is below 5oC as it will take extended time to cure and dry.

DESCRIPTION:

Cemix® Grout Sealer is stain resistant water based penetrating clear waterproofing sealer that can be used for impregnating and sealing of the grout that resists water, oil and acid based contaminants. There is little or no impairment of the grout's ability to breathe and exhibits a good moisture vapour transmission rate. It can be successfully applied on damp grout. The application does not produce any discolouration of the surface. Recommended for use on cementitious sanded and un-sanded porous grout joints. Effective for interior and exterior applications.

TYPICAL APPLICATION/USES:

- Makes grout easy to clean
- Makes grout fully waterproof
- Resists stains and scum build up
- To be used with tiling and in wet areas.

ADVANTAGES:

- Environmentally friendly green product
- Makes the substrate water repellent
- Can be applied on damp but surface dry grout
- Hybrid Sealer – Penetrates as well as coats
- Allows the substrate to breath
- Chemically resistant and non toxic
- UV Stable – will not go yellow over time
- Weathering resistant
- Resistant to dirt pick up
- Kills and resists micro-organisms
- Simple application – preferably by roller or spray
- Non Toxic
- Fast drying and a clear gloss finish.
- It is advisable to wear the appropriate safety equipment when spraying this product – goggles, respirator and gloves

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION:

The grout surface should be free of efflorescence, dust, grease, wax, oil, dirt and all other friable materials and contaminants likely to prevent the sealer bonding. Ideally this sealer should be applied on new freshly laid and cured tiled joints. The grout should have cured for a minimum of 48 hours before application of this sealer. Make sure there are no existing stains or marks as these will be visible through this clear finish sealer. Apply using a soft bristle paint brush or sponge paint applicator. Allow a minimum of 30 minutes drying time between coats. Always test apply on an area first to approve the look and feel.

GOLDEN RULE:

There is no one sealer for all types of surfaces. The golden rule is to never apply more product than is being absorbed into the surface you are sealing. If product is pooling on the surface, brush the excess off. Do not let product pool on surface as this can result in excessive build up which is difficult to remove. If you feel no product or very little is being absorbed, stop, and seek technical advice from Cemix®. Always do a small test area first and approve look and feel.

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TECHNICAL DATA:

APPEARANCE:	Milky White Liquid Satin gloss finish.
FULL CURE:	7 days @ 25°C
APPLICATION TEMP:	5°C - 30°C
RECOAT TIME:	Allow 30 - 60mins between coats.
<i>The data shown above reflects typical results based on laboratory testing under controlled conditions. Reasonable variations may occur on site.</i>	

COVERAGE:

Varies according to tile and grout joint width from approximately: 10m² - 20m² for a 500ml container.

PACKAGING:

Cemix® Grout Sealer is available in 500ml spray bottles.

STORAGE & SHELF LIFE:

Cemix® Grout Sealer Twelve (12) months when stored in unopened, original containers. Storage area should be not exposed to extreme temperatures. Do not expose to direct sunlight in storage.

CLEANING:

Clean all tools with water & brush immediately after use.

SAFETY:

Avoid contact with eyes & skin, both from wet & dry mix. Do not breathe in dust. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, eye protection & barrier cream. Wear a suitable dust mask. Wash thoroughly after handling & store any leftover material properly.

FIRST AID:

Irrigate eyes & skin with plenty of water & seek medical advice immediately.

SPILLS AND LEAKS:

Keep out of sewers & storm water drains & dispose of any leftover material as trade waste in accordance with local authority guidelines.

DISCLAIMER:

Please Note: Recommendations and advice regarding the use of this product are to be taken as a guide only. Other than as appears on this products packaging, Cemix® LTD. does not give any warranty express or implied as to the suitability of this product for your particular use, because the usage of this product is beyond the control of Cemix® LTD. If you need advice concerning the use of suitability of this product for your particular application, please contact Cemix® LTD first. If this product is defective because of Cemix® LTD's fault, please contact the supplier or Cemix® LTD. who will replace it at no cost.

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