



HG Cement mortar and efflorescence remover



Description

HG Cement mortar and efflorescence remover is a concentrated hydrochloric acid based cleaning and etching agent.

Uses

It is used to remove efflorescence⁽¹⁾ from Dryvit cementitious base coat systems, mineral finishes or substrate surfaces with cement-based product contamination.

- (1) Efflorescence is caused by soluble salts in building materials, or soluble salts transferred into building materials by water, being drawn towards a drying surface by the movement of water. At the surface of the building material the water responsible for the transportation of the salts evaporates leaving behind the salts as a surface deposit. It is most likely to occur in damp low temperature conditions.

Application Method

Depending on the degree of residues or extent of efflorescence dilute the neat product from 1 : 4 to 1 : 10 using clean water. Wet the surface down with clean water before using. Then apply and spread the diluted product with a scrubbing brush or pad. Leave to work for a couple of minutes. Scrub thoroughly till clean then rinse off with plenty of water. Repeat treatment if necessary.

It is advised that the suitability of HG Limex and its compatibility with surrounding materials is assessed on a small inconspicuous area first. Protect plants and paintwork during application and do not apply HG Limex Cement Mortar and Efflorescence Remover to calciferous natural stone such as marble, travertine, blue (hard) stone, slate, terazzo, granito, basalt and cement tiles.

Coverage

1 litre is enough for a surface area of approx. 20 to 40 m².

Cautions and Limitations

The use of HG Limex may lighten the colour of cementitious surfaces. Do not use HG Limex in combination with other products, hazardous gasses (chlorine) could be released.

Packaging

1 Litre poly bottles

Storage

Store in original unopened packaging in cool dry conditions away from sunlight.

Cleaning

Clean all tools immediately after use with plenty of clean water.

Disposal

Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable materials via a licensed water disposal contractor. Do not pour untreated product into sewers or water courses unless fully compliant with the requirements of all Local Authorities. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way and incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible.

Health and Safety

Refer to the product Safety Data Sheet.

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