

Surface Care & Maintenance Guide

Terracotta

Pre-Grouting Sealing

Purpose To protect porous surface from grout staining and ease grout cleanup.

Desired Finish and Level of Stain Resistance	Product Options	# Coats	Approx. Coverage per coat per 3.785 L	Cure Time Prior to Grouting	Notes
Natural Look, No Sheen Premium	Sealer's Choice™ Gold	1	35m ²	2 hours	Recommended in food areas or where maximum stain protection is required.
	Ultra-Solv™	1	35m ²	2 hours	
Natural Look, No Sheen Standard	Pro Solv™	1	35m ²	2 hours	Provides limited protection in food areas. Use where standard stain protection is required.
Natural Look, No Sheen Economical	Penetrating Sealer	1	35m ²	2 hours	Provides limited protection in food areas. Use where basic stain protection is required.
Low-Medium Sheen Premium	Seal & Finish Low Sheen	1-2	35m ²	2 hours	Use only on unsealed, textured porous surfaces.
High Sheen (Interior only) Premium	High Gloss Sealer	1-2	75m ²	2 hours	Use only on highly textured porous surfaces. Interior only.

Note The product selected for pre-grouting sealing should also be used for sealing.

Helpful Tip Add Aqua Mix Grout Haze Clean Up to last bucket of clean water used in grout cleanup. This will facilitate removal of remaining grout residue on surface.

Sealing

Purpose To protect porous surface from staining and ease ongoing maintenance.

Desired Finish and Level of Stain Resistance	Product Options	# Coats	Approx. Coverage per coat per 3.785 L	Grout Cure Time Prior to Sealing	Notes
Natural Look, No Sheen Premium	Sealer's Choice™ Gold	2	35-55m ²	48 hours	Recommended in food areas or where maximum stain protection is required.
	Ultra-Solv™	2	35-55m ²	48 hours	
Natural Look, No Sheen Standard	Pro Solv™	2	35-55m ²	48 hours	Provides limited protection in food areas. Use where standard stain protection is required.
Natural Look, No Sheen Economical	Penetrating Sealer	2	35-55m ²	48 hours	Provides limited protection in food areas. Use where basic stain protection is required.
Low-Medium Sheen, Premium	Seal & Finish Low Sheen	2-3	35-55m ²	48 hours	Use only on unsealed, textured porous surfaces.
High Sheen (Interior only) Premium	Seal & Finish Low Sheen with Floor Shine & Hardener	2-3	35-55m ²	48 hours	For high-sheen on interior areas, apply Floor Shine & Hardener after final application of Seal & Finish Low Sheen
		2	95m ²		
High Sheen (Interior only) Premium	High Gloss Sealer	2-3	35-55m ²	48 hours	Use only on highly textured porous surfaces. Interior only.

Maintenance

Purpose To safely maintain a clean surface and to preserve it's beauty and integrity.

Type of Maintenance	Product	Dilution Ratio	Approx. Coverage per coat per 3.785 L	Notes
Routine	Concentrated Stone & Tile Cleaner	30 – 118 ml per 3.785 L water	930 m ² – 1,860 m ²	Highly-concentrated. Neutral pH. Safe for regular use.
Routine Countertop & Walls	Stone Clean & Shine OR Brilliance	Use undiluted	N/A	Quick spray and wipe cleaning.
Periodic Heavy-Duty	Heavy Duty Tile & Grout Cleaner OR Stone Deep Clean	Add up to 4 parts water	45 m ² – 55 m ²	Contains no acid. Safe on stone and grout. Will remove wax-type finishes.
Periodic Heavy-Duty Large Commercial Areas	1 & 2 Deep Clean	60-120 ml of powder and liquid to 10 L of water	743 m ² – 2,973 m ²	Recommended for large commercial areas. Will remove wax-type finishes

These recommendations are intended as general guidelines for pre-grout sealing, sealing and maintenance.

Read product directions thoroughly prior to use. Always test first. Keep surface clean and dry to reduce possibility of slip-fall accidents.

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