

CreteCare Strip&Clean Datasheet

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Acrylic floor polish stripper, remover, and cleaner suitable for use on most acrylic polymer floor dressings available on the market. Can be used on existing cement-based floors, as well as cement-based floors and walls sealed with Cemcrete's range of sealers. (Please ensure a test area is done if other sealers have been used).

Technical Data

Physical state	Liquid
Colour	Violet
Specific gravity (density)	1.04 - 1.06g / cm ³ at 20°C
Solubility	Soluble in water
pH	± 12
Odour	Typical to detergents and degreasers
Boiling point	100°C
Coverage	10m ² - 30m ² / litre (depending on dilution)

Purpose

CreteCare Strip&Clean is a powerful cleaning and stripping agent formulated to tackle tough stains, grime, and patinas caused by oxidation, weathering, or chemical reactions. It is designed to effectively remove acrylic polymer floor polishes and other stubborn build-ups.

Applications

CreteCare Strip&Clean is ideal for use on all surfaces where acrylic polymer-based floor polishes have been applied or where dirt build-up is evident on cement floors sealed with Cemcrete sealers or other types of sealers (please test on a small area first before using on non-Cemcrete sealers). The highly active product delivers an immediate reaction, helping to save time and reduce labour costs. It is effective in removing tough stains, grime, and patinas caused by oxidation, weathering, or chemical reactions.

Uses

- Cleaning of stubborn dirt build-up on floors, walls and skirtings (including Exposed Aggregate and Stone Carpet).
- Stripping acrylic polymer-based floor polishes.
- Suitable for both interior and exterior use.

Recommended Dilution Rates

Supplied as a concentrate, it can be diluted with clean water to suit various applications.

CreteCare Strip&Clean to Water Ratios:

- 1:5 – General cleaning for medium dirt build-up (1-part **CreteCare Strip&Clean** to 5-parts water).
- 1:3 – Intensive cleaning for tough dirt build-up (1-part **CreteCare Strip&Clean** to 3-parts water).
- 1:1 – Stripping old acrylic-based polishes (1-part **CreteCare Strip&Clean** to 1-part water).

Masking

Be mindful of adjacent surfaces when using **CreteCare Strip&Clean** for general cleaning. When using the product to strip build-up polish from floors, ensure that all windows, doors and nearby surfaces - especially glass or aluminium - are properly masked with painter's tape and plastic drop sheets to prevent possible etching or staining. If tape is applied to adjacent walls or floors coated with sealer, ensure that it is removed at the end of the day to avoid fraying the edges or causing plasticizer migration between the tape and the sealer. Take care when removing the tape to ensure that no product or sealer is lifted in the process.

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Interior Floor Finishes

1. Clear the area of any loose debris using a fine bristle broom. Spillages should also be removed. Use a vacuum to eliminate finer dirt and dust.
2. Mix **CreteCare Strip&Clean** according to the specific end-use instructions, ensuring the correct water dilution ratio is used.
3. Using the prepared solution, scrub the floor as needed: for general cleaning, use a soft bristle brush or a microfibre mop to remove dirt; for deeper stains or grime, use a Doodlebug (available at Cemcrete); and for commercial applications, use a mechanical polisher or scrubber.
4. Rinse the surface with clean water using a microfibre mop. Maintain the surface regularly with CreteCare Mop&Shine. If the polish has been completely stripped, apply a fresh layer of CreteCare Polish, followed by regular maintenance with CreteCare Mop&Shine.

Note: Change the prepared solution when transitioning between different areas to avoid redistributing dirt. Using the same prepared solution across a large space can result in spreading dirt instead of effectively cleaning.

Exterior Floor Finishes

1. Remove debris and dirt using a blower or broom.
2. Pre-dampen the surface.
3. Mix 1 part **CreteCare Strip&Clean** with 3 parts water. Use a soft-bristle broom or a microfibre mop to clean the dampened surface with the solution.
4. Rinse with a high-pressure cleaner and clean water.

Shelf Life & Storage

Store between 10°C to 38°C. Use within 12 months of purchase.

Packaging

Available in 1 and 5 litre containers.

Safety Precautions

May cause burns and respiratory irritation. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective equipment, including gloves.

Manufacturer's Warranty

Cemcrete warrants that the products manufactured by it shall be free from material defects and will be consistent with its normal high quality. Should any of the products be proven defective, the liability to Cemcrete shall be limited to replacement of the product ex-factory. Cemcrete makes no warranty as to merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose and this warranty is in lieu of all other warranties expressed or implied. The user shall determine the suitability of the product for his intended use and assume all risks and liability in connection therewith.

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