

# **STONETECH®** Grout Haze Remover

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# Globally Proven Construction Solutions



1. PRODUCT NAME STONETECH® Grout Haze Remover

# 2. MANUFACTURER

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# **3. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

STONETECH Grout Haze is a heavy duty cleaner designed to remove cementitious grout haze and residue left from installation. The super concentrated formula will yield 9 times the product when mixed with water.

#### Uses

- Countertops
- Backsplashes
- Floors
- Walls

#### Advantages

- Removes grout haze and residue
- Reduces overall installation time
- Maximum strength, alkaline formula

# **Recommended Surfaces:**

Natural stone and Masonry Surfaces such as:

- Marble
- Granite
- Slate
- Limestone
- Travertine
- Sandstone
- Ceramic tile

- Porcelain tile
- Grout
- Masonry
- Concrete

## Item Numbers and Packaging

ST318-0632-20 - Quart - 32 oz (946 mL), 6 units per Case

## Shelf Life

Factory sealed containers of this product are guaranteed to be of first quality for two (2) years if stored at temperatures >50°F (10°C) and <100°F (38°C).

## **VOC Content**

2.8%

## Storage and Handling Instructions

CORROSIVE. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY CAUSE SEVERE EYE AND SKIN BURNS, AND RESPIRATORY IRRITATION. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Use protective eyewear and gloves while handling concentrate. Avoid prolonged exposure to vapors. Use in a well-ventilated area. For repeated or professional spray use, a respirator is recommended. Consult SDS. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Do not mix with other chemicals. Do not release to natural waterways.

#### Cautions

Consult SDS for more safety information.

- Inhalation: In high concentrations, vapors may be irritating to the respiratory system. If irritation occurs, remove person to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Seek medical attention if any discomfort continues.
- Skin contact: May cause skin irritation. Wash skin with soap and water if contact occurs. Launder contaminated clothes before wearing. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist.
- Eye contact: Immediately flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach contents don't get into the lungs. Seek medical attention.
- Keep out of reach of children and pets.

# 4. TECHNICAL DATA

#### **Physical Properties**

	Form	Liquid
	Color	Light Yellow

Odor	Mild
рН	11.5 – 12.5

# 5. INSTALLATION

# **Surface Preparation**

Read entire label before using. Use only as directed.

Avoid skin and eye contact with product. Wear protective eyewear, gloves, long sleeves, and long pants while handling concentrate. Ensure work area is well-ventilated during application and until surface is dry to the touch. Keep children and pets out of the area during application and drying. Do not freeze or store above 100°F/38°C.

## Directions

#### **During Grout Clean-Up**

- 1. Clean-up residual grout according to the grout manufacturer's instructions.
- 2. Dilute 1 part STONETECH Grout Haze Remover with 8 parts water.
- For the final grout removal wipe-down and rinse, wet a grout sponge or clean towel with STONETECH Grout Haze Remover cleaning solution and wring out.
- 4. Wipe the dampened sponge/towel diagonally across the surface to be cleaned. Rinse and wring out sponge/towel regularly.
- 5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 as necessary.
- 6. Using a clean grout sponge and/or cloth towel, remove remaining cleaning solution.

## Post Grout Clean-Up

- 1. After 72 hours dilute 1 part STONETECH Grout Haze Remover with 4 parts water if grout haze was not completely removed during the initial clean-up. After 7 days, use product full strength but do not leave product on surface for more than 10 minutes.
- Apply directly to the surface to be cleaned and lightly rub with a scrub brush or white nylon pad. To facilitate use, product can be sprayed directly onto problem areas. Do not use a power sprayer to apply product.
- 3. Remove product using a clean sponge, mop or wet/dry vacuum.
- 4. Rinse area well with clean water and dry.

#### Cleaning

Clean tools used during application with water

# 6. AVAILABILITY AND COST

#### Availability

LATICRETE®, STONETECH and LATAPOXY® materials are available worldwide.

#### For Distributor Information, Call:

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For on-line distributor information, visit LATICRETE at www.stonetech.com or www.laticrete.com

#### Cost

Contact a LATICRETE Distributor in your area.

# 7. WARRANTY

See 10. FILING SYSTEM: DS 230.13: LATICRETE Product Warranty

# 8. MAINTENANCE

Highly alkaline, acidic, ammoniated, or abrasive cleaners are not necessary for daily maintenance and may also degrade the sealer used, adversely affecting stain resistance. Tile and stone routine cleaning with a neutral pH cleaner such as STONETECH Stone & Tile Cleaner is recommended. Please note: Prior to using any cleaning material on a tile, stone, etc. installation, test a discrete area or scrap piece of tile to insure desired results.

# 9. TECHNICAL SERVICES

#### **Technical Assistance**

Information is available by calling the LATICRETE Technical Service Hotline:

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## Technical and Safety Literature

To acquire technical and safety literature, please visit our website at www.laticrete.com or www.stonetech.com.

## **10. FILING SYSTEM**

Additional product information is available on our website at www.stonetech.com. The following is a list of related documents: DS 230.13: LATICRETE® Product Warranty

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