

Stain removers

NO MAC GEL

Product to remove coloured stains such as coffee, wine, tea, ink, algae, mould and similar substances.



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NO MAC GEL is a water-based stain remover to be used to extract and remove coloured stains from all types of surface

With its innovative formulation, the product can offer effective, definitive action on:

- **Coffee stains, wine, tea, coca-cola, tomato, and food and drink** in general;
- Stains from **marker pens** and **ink**;
- **Mould, algae** and **the spread of plants and residues** in general, such as stains from leaves, grass and clippings.

NO MAC GEL is a product that can be applied on all surfaces - even the most delicate types such as polished marbles and acid-sensitive finishes - without attacking them or causing them to lose their shine. The special gel formula of **NO MAC GEL** boosts its stain-extracting action, guaranteeing improved efficiency in terms of stain removal. It is also easy to use and effective on vertical surfaces. Once applied over the stain to be removed, the product works alone without needing any further processes, until it completely removes the stain. **NO MAC GEL** is quick and easy to apply, and its use will not alter the surface's original appearance.

CHARACTERISTICS AND BENEFITS

- ✓ **Water-based product**
- ✓ Excellent **stain-removing** power
- ✓ **Quick** and **easy** application
- ✓ **Will not ruin** treated surfaces
- ✓ **Versatile** product
- ✓ Also suitable for **vertical surfaces**

USES

This product **can be used** on both indoor and outdoor surfaces.

Suitable for use on: Marble-cement agglomerate, Marble-resin agglomerate, Quartz-resin agglomerate, Slate, Sandstone, Basaltina - Lava stone, Molten basalt, Cementina, Concrete, Craquelé ceramics, Glazed ceramics, Clinker, Cotto, Granite, Lapped porcelain stoneware, Polished porcelain stoneware, Natural porcelain stoneware, Textured porcelain stoneware, Cement grout, Limestone, Marble, Exposed brick, Reconstituted stone (Eco stone), Porphyry, Quarzite, Terracotta, Travertine, Tuff

COVERAGE

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APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

Brush, Spatula, Direct application to stains

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APPLICATION STEPS

Preparing and cleaning the surface

1. Carefully clean the surface, making sure to remove any dust or dirt present.
2. Do not apply NO MAC GEL to overly heated surfaces. We recommend applying the product during the coolest periods of the day.
3. In the case in which the surface to be treated has a previous surface layer of wax, proceed to the removal of the same with *Double Stripping*.

Application

NO MAC GEL must only be used alone. NEVER mix it with other chemicals.

4. The product is for use without dilution. Pour the product straight onto the surface being treated. Use a brush, spatula or if simpler, pour directly onto the surface, covering it completely with a thick layer of product. When used on particularly large surfaces, such as when removing mould and algae from floors, the product can be applied and worked with a mechanical polisher.
5. Leave the product to act on the surface until the stain has been completely extracted. The time required will depend on the intensity of the stain, its depth, stubbornness and the amount of time it has been there.

Although all cases have different characteristics that may require specific and different timeframes, generally the time required to extract the stain can be summed up as follows:

- **Coffee** stains, **wine**, **tea**, **coca-cola**, **tomato**, and **food** and **drink** in general: from 30 minutes to 2 hours.
- Stains from **marker pens** and **ink**: from 30 minutes to 3 hours
- **Mould**, **algae** and the spread of **plants and residues** in general: from 15 minutes to 1 hour

6. After the set period of time, proceed to remove the product and its residues, whether these are wet or dry. To remove NO MAC GEL it is possible to use absorbent paper or cloths in case of small surfaces, soaking up and removing residues until the surface is completely clean. Wipe the surface with a slightly damp cloth and wait for it to dry thoroughly before assessing the stain removal results. In case of medium or large surfaces, remove all residues - wet or dry - with a broom and absorbent rags or a damp mop, until all excesses have been completely eliminated. Wipe the surface with a slightly damp cloth and wait for it to dry thoroughly before assessing the stain removal results.

If the finished result is not totally satisfactory, repeat the product application process as described above, or decide on the need to sand the surface beforehand. If the stain is mixed in origin, it may be a good idea also to use another type of stain remover.

When treating particularly absorbent surfaces, such as untreated natural stone or cotto, to prevent too much product from being absorbed by the material, wet the surface with a little water before applying No Mac Gel.



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When working to remove more complex, deeper stains from natural stone, it may be necessary to pass over the surface with a mechanical polisher to increase the surface absorption and therefore, the penetration of the stain remover, for more effective results.

The depth of polishing will depend on the extent of stain penetrations. For very deep stains, you may need to work with lower grain size. This preliminary operation will achieve a much deeper extraction and in far less time.

We always recommend that, before using stain remover on large areas, you perform an initial test to see whether or not it is necessary to use a mechanical polisher on the surface beforehand. Once the stain has been removed, pass over the surface until it has the required shine.

Opening to floor traffic

7. After rinsing the surface with water, wait for the floor to dry completely before opening to foot traffic.

COMPLEMENTARY CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE PRODUCTS

- For *routine cleaning* of a surface treated with NO MAC GEL we recommend: NEUGEL or ALGAFLOOR
- For *extraordinary cleaning* of a surface treated with NO MAC GEL we recommend: FABER 30 or DETERFUG, according to the type of surface to be cleaned
- Following a stain removal operation using NO MAC GEL we recommend using a *damp-proofing and/or stain-proofing treatment* to be selected according to the characteristics and intended use of the surface.

INSTRUCTIONS AND GUIDELINES

NO MAC GEL must only be used alone. NEVER mix it with other chemicals, except for Faber Poulitice thickening powder

- Do not apply the product to overly heated surfaces.
- Do not apply the product when there is an imminent risk of rain or frost, or in the presence of mist.
- While applying the product to the surface concerned it must not be exposed to direct sunlight.
- Apply the product to surfaces in temperatures of between +5 and +40°C
- When using on recently laid or grouted surfaces, wait for the grout to cure completely.
- To achieve a visually pleasing, even result, above all in case of absorbent surfaces, we recommend applying the stain remover by treating areas that are larger than the single stained portions, such as a whole tile or room. These area can be decided according to the size and spread of the stain.
- Before applying the product to the whole surface, it is advisable to test a small, unexposed area or unused piece to check its suitability for use.



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EQUIPMENT CLEANING

At the end of application, the equipment used can be washed using water.

SAFETY

When applying the product, always use suitable personal protective equipment and carefully follow the instructions on the product safety data sheet.

PHYSICAL AND TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Aspect:	Gel
Colour:	Transparent
Odour:	Hypochlorite
pH	11.5 ± 0.5
Specific Gravity a 20°C	1120 ± 10 g/l
Flash Point(ASTM D 56)	Not inflammable

STORAGE

Keep the container tightly closed and store in a cool, dry place.

SHELF LIFE

24 months in the original, sealed packaging, stored in a cool, dry place.

PACKAGING

- 0.5 l bottles - 12 bottles per box - 1 l bottles - 12 bottles per box

HAZARD IDENTIFICATION



H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
UEH 031	Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.
P234	Keep only in original container.
P264	Wash ... thoroughly after handling.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

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