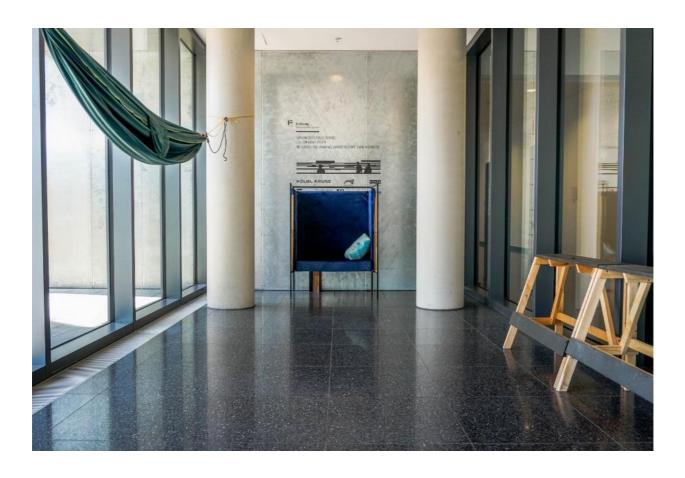


## **CARE & MAINTENANCE SHEET**

# Care and maintenance for EUVAL terrazzo







# PRE-INSTALLATION ANTI-CONTAMINANT TREATMENT

If the installation site is humid or subject to contaminants rising from the substrate, we recommend applying a water based sealer before installing the material.

The sealer should be applied on the back and sides of the material before installation. If needed, the sealer may also be applied on the front of the material.

For this operation we recommend using PW10.

### What it's for

- Prevents contaminants in the substrate from rising to the surface (salts, tannins, ferrous substances, etc.);
- Prevents streaks and/or substrate contaminant stains;
- Has a water-repellent consolidating effect if applied on 6 sides.

Coverage: the product has a coverage of up to 10 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it



Clean the material surface well on all sides.



On a clean and dry surface, apply the product evenly with a paintbrush or roller.



Wait 10-15 minutes, then remove any residue.
Do not wet or install the material during the following 24 hours.

**FOR PROFESSIONAL USE ONLY:** If needed, the product may be applied with an airless sprayer until the surface is fully saturated. Use the appropriate PPE, as indicated on the safety data sheet.

WARNING: On polished materials, pay special attention during application to ensure that the product does not pool or drip on surface. Do not apply the product on the front of polished surfaces. For best results, verify with the manufacturer the best adhesive to use for the material installation. If the back of the material has mesh or resin, apply PW10 only on the sides or front. The product does not protect against acid stains. Test the product before use.

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## **END-OF-WORK CLEANING**

End-of-work cleaning allows the removal of installation residue. It is an essential stage in the care and maintenance of surfaces over time. Such operations must be carried out following the instructions on the technical data sheet of the grout manufacturer, including the indicated waiting time before the grouted surface can be used.

For this operation we recommend using **CLEANER PRO**.

### What it's for

- Removes grout haze and construction dirt (grout, adhesive, paint);
- The surfactants in the formula effectively deep clean surfaces;
- Prepares the surface for subsequent protective treatment without damaging even the most delicate surfaces.

Coverage: The product diluted at 1:30 has a coverage of up to 50 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it

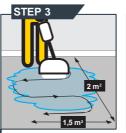
### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MACHINE CLEANING



Sweep the floor well.



Dilute CLEANER PRO 1:30 (250mL of CLEANER PRO in 5L of water)



Distribute the solution with a floor scrubber fitted with a white pad.



Leave to act for 4-5 minutes and then wash the floor with a brush or floor scrubber fitted with a white pad.



Remove residue with a wet vacuum and rinse with clean water.



Do not walk on the surface until it is completely dry.

#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MANUAL CLEANING



Sweep the floor well.



Use CLEANER PRO diluted 1:30 (250mL of CLEANER PRO in 5 litres of warm water).



Distribute the diluted CLEANER PRO solution evenly, scrubbing the floor a few metres at a time.



Scrub the floor with a brush.



Remove the residue with a clean cloth and rinse.



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### STAIN-PROOF PROTECTION

### **Option 1: Water Base Solution**

Correct protection keeps surfaces beautiful and hygienic over time. To protect the material, we recommend using a sealer which, by limiting the absorption of water and non-acid staining agents, makes regular cleaning easier and conserves the surface.

For this operation we recommend using MP90 ECO XTREME.

### What it's for

- Reduces the absorption of the material without altering its aesthetic appearance;
- Water and oil repellent: blocks the absorption of common oil and water stains;
- Has anti-graffiti properties: the protected surface allows the graffiti to be easily removed during cleaning.

Coverage: The product covers up to 30 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it





When the floor is clean and dry, apply a moderate amount of MP90 ECO XTREME evenly on the material and grout joints with a fleece pad or other appropriate applicator.



Massage the surface with a cloth or floor cleaning machine fitted with a white disc.



Within 10 minutes, completely remove any residue with a microfibre



Do not walk on the surface until it is completely dry.

#### Please note:

Indoor surfaces: For porous materials such as natural and engineered stone, agglomerates and encaustic cement tiles installed in indoors, you may apply a finishing wax according to the material and the desired surface look (MATT, SATIN, CLASSIC). Do not use wax in exteriors and places with standing water.

CAUTION: Test the product in a small, inconspicuous area or loose sample before full application to test for any discolouration. Do not apply the product outdoors if rain is in the forecast. The product does not protect against acid stains.

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### STAIN-PROOF PROTECTION

### **Option 2: Solvent Base Solution**

Correct protection keeps surfaces beautiful and hygienic over time. To protect the material, we recommend using a sealer which, by limiting the absorption of water and non-acid staining agents, makes regular cleaning easier and conserves the surface.

For this operation we recommend using FOB XTREME.

### What it's for

- Blocks the absorption of common oil and water stains;
- Reduces the absorption of the material without changing its aesthetic appearance.
- Makes maintenance easier.

Coverage: The product covers up to 20 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it





When the floor is clean and dry, apply a moderate amount of FOB XTREME evenly on the material and grout joints with a fleece pad or other appropriate



Massage the surface with a cloth or floor cleaning machine fitted with a white disc.



Within 10 minutes, completely remove any residue with a microfibre cloth.



Do not walk on the surface within the first 8 hours and do not wet for 24 hours.

### Please note

Indoor surfaces: For porous materials such as natural and engineered stone, agglomerates and encaustic cement tiles installed in indoors, you may apply a finishing wax according to the material and the desired surface look (MATT, SATIN, CLASSIC, LONGLIFE). Do not use wax in exteriors and places with standing water.

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### SURFACE FINISH

On interior floors, subsequent to the sealer application, we recommend completing the treatment with a coat of a protective wax. The wax makes regular maintenance easier and allows the surface finish to be changed. In this case, FILA proposes the application of 4 different types of waxes, to be chosen according to the desired surface appearance.

For this operation we recommend using:

CLASSIC (Polished Effect); SATIN (Satin Effect); MATT (Matte Effect).







### What it's for

- Makes regular maintenance easier;
- Helps maintain the surface protection;
- Maintains or changes the finish according to the desired effect.

Coverage: The product covers up to 35 m<sup>2</sup>/L.

### How to use it





When the floor is clean and dry, apply a moderate amount of WAX evenly on the material and grout joints with a fleece pad or other appropriate applicator.



Wait one hour and apply a second coat if necessary.



When the floor is clean and dry, when applying CLASSIC, polish the surface with a polishing machine or lambswool pad.



Do not walk on the surface until it is completely dry.

### **Maintenance**

Every 2-3 months: after cleaning the surface with CLEANER PRO diluted 1:200, apply the wax by diluting 500 ml of product in 5 litres of water. The floor may be walked on after it is dry.

**ONCE A YEAR:** apply the wax slightly diluted (200 ml of water in 1 litre of water) with a fleece pad, cloth or other applicator. The floor may be walked on after it is dry.

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### REGULAR CLEANING

The term "regular cleaning" refers to all the operations related to everyday cleaning. Regular cleaning is fundamentally important because it maintains the appearance and characteristics of the material over time. For everyday cleaning, it is essential to use neutral cleaners which do not leave a residue and do not damage the material and any treatments applied.

For this operation we recommend using **CLEANER PRO**.

### What it's for

- Delicately cleans all wall and floor coverings;
- The highly concentrated formula may be used in various dilutions depending on the situation;
- When used at the correct dilution, it can be used in a floor scrubber and does not leave a residue.

Coverage: The product diluted 1:200 has a coverage of up to 1500 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MACHINE CLEANING



Vacuum dirt or dust.



Dilute CLEANER PRO 1:200 (25mL of CLEANER PRO in 5L of water)



Set the floor scrubber dryer and then clean the surface.



Do not walk on the surface until it is completely dry.

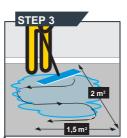
#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MANUAL CLEANING



Sweep the floor well.



Dilute CLEANER PRO 1:200 (25mL of CLEANER PRO in 5L of water)



Clean 2-3 m<sup>2</sup> at a time with a mop following an S-shape pattern.



Rinse and wring the mop before washing a new area. If the floor is very dirty, wash it twice.



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### **EXTRAORDINARY CLEANING**

Heavy duty cleaning should be carried out when the surface has layers of built-up dirt and stains which cannot be removed with regular cleaning. It is the first step to take when renewing surfaces to their original condition

For this operation we recommend using CLEANER PRO.

### What it's for

- Removes dirt built up over years;
- Renews the original appearance of the surface;
- Prepares the material for subsequent treatment.

Coverage: The product diluted at 1:30 has a coverage of up to 50 m<sup>2</sup>/L.



### How to use it

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR MACHINE CLEANING



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Distribute the solution with a floor scrubber fitted with a white pad.



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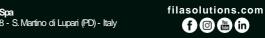


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# **STAIN CHART**

# use the following stain removers to eliminate tough stains

| OIL AND GREASE                  | NOSPOT       |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| CARBONATED BEVERAGES AND JUICES |              |
| URINE AND VOMIT                 |              |
| COFFEE AND WINE                 |              |
| BLOOD                           | SR95         |
| INK / MARKER                    |              |
| NICOTINE                        |              |
| HAIR DYE                        |              |
| TYRE MARKS                      | FASE ZERO**  |
| CRAYON                          | ZEROSIL      |
| CANDLE WAX                      |              |
| RUST                            | NORUST       |
| ASPHALT                         | ZEROSIL      |
| GRAFFITI / PAINT                | NOPAINT STAR |

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| CONSTRUCTION SITE | SILICONE              |             |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
|                   | POLYURETHANE FOAM     | ZEROSIL     |
|                   | ADHESIVE TAPE RESIDUE |             |
|                   | CAR POLISHING WAX     |             |
|                   | REGULAR MAINTENANCE   | CLEANER PRO |

For particularly dirty areas or stubborn stains, contact FILA technical assistance at info@filasolutions.com.

### **CAUTIONS**

Do not use acid cleaners, degreasers (alkaline pH) or highly abrasive tools for daily maintenance.

If the use of acid or alkaline cleaners is absolutely necessary, contact the material supplier for information about applying such substances. This is a generic maintenance sheet. For specific projects, we can evaluate alternative protocols.

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