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Applying a sealer to stone

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For the best and most uniform finished results please read in full and follow with care. It's the quickest way to get the job right the first time.

Only seal surfaces that are entirely clean and thoroughly dry particularly grout. Once dirt is sealed in it cannot be removed and any moisture will appear as a white patch after sealing.

Unless otherwise stated here, one/two coats of sealer is enough.

Each litre of sealer is supplied with a sponge applicator designed for the job. Other sponges or adhesives on brushes may dissolve in the sealant.

Read the Health and Safety advice on the tin of sealant.

Tools required: PVC/Rubber gloves, respirator, paint tray, applicator, folded cotton jersey (T-Shirt) cloths.

- Shake can and pour 5mm max depth of sealant into tray. Load sponge lightly; squeeze out excess.
- Apply sealant to a small area within comfortable reach, lightly and uniformly, wetting joints well.
- 3. With a neatly folded cloth wipe up excess sealant carefully but gently; first the edges, then the centre.
- 4. Careful wiping is essential for perfect results, don't just crumple up a rag – this is bound to leave smears.
- 5. Using a clean cloth remove any residual sealant. Wipe edges first, then the centre, with a gently circular motion.
- Fold the cloth to a clean side and polish in light, even circles, overlapping edges to ensure a uniform finish.
- Check from all angles, against the light and straight down; lightly polish away any smears before moving on.

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