



STONETECH® Stain Protecting Grout Additive

DS 215.5-1017

**Globally Proven
Construction Solutions**



Item Numbers and Packaging

D14822821 – 27 oz. (798 mL), 6 units per Case

D14822832 – 64 oz. (1.9 L), 4 units per Case

Products Not Available for Sale in Canada.

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 <90°F (32°C).

VOC Content

<10 g/L in product

Cautions

Consult SDS for more safety information.

- Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
- Skin contact: Wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
- Eye contact: Flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if symptoms persist.
- Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.
- Storage and Handling Instructions:
CAUTION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY CAUSE EYE, SKIN AND RESPIRATORY IRRITATION. Do not spray. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Avoid prolonged exposure to vapors. Use only in a well-ventilated area. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Do not freeze or store above 100 °F (38 °C). Do not mix with other chemicals. Do not release into natural waterways.

4. TECHNICAL DATA

Physical Properties

Form	Liquid
Color	Clear to light yellow
Odor	none
pH	7-9

Working Properties

Full Cure	Follow grout manufacturer's recommended grout dry times.
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Specifications subject to change without notification. Results shown are typical but reflect test procedures used. Actual field performance will depend on installation methods and site conditions.

1. PRODUCT NAME

STONETECH® Stain Protecting Grout Additive

2. MANUFACTURER

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3. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

STONETECH Stain Protecting Grout Additive improves grout to ensure a lasting stain-resistant finish.

Uses (Interior and Exterior)

- Countertops
- Backsplashes
- Floors
- Walls

Advantages

- Grout and seal in one easy step
- Protects grout against stains
- Water-based formula
- Simply replaces water when mixing grout

Recommended Surfaces

For use with cement based grouts which allow for use of latex additives.

5. INSTALLATION

Surface Preparation

Read entire label before using. Use only as directed. Ensure work area is well-ventilated during mixing and until surface is dry. Keep children and pets out of the area until surface use resumes.

Directions

1. Use STONETECH® Stain Protecting Grout Additive instead of water when preparing grout.
2. Prepare grout according to the grout manufacturer's recommended mixing instructions using a grout trowel or low speed mixer to achieve the appropriate grout consistency.
3. Allow the grout to stand (slake) for 10 minutes, re-mix before application.
4. Apply grout in accordance to the grout manufacturer's recommended application instructions.
5. Follow grout manufacturer's recommendations for time to traffic. Protect grout from water immersion or freezing for 10 days, or per grout manufacturer's instructions, whichever is longer.

6. AVAILABILITY AND COST

Availability

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

For Distributor Information, Call:

Toll Free: +1.888.786.6343

Telephone: +1.203.393.0010

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 STONETECH sealer used, adversely affecting stain resistance. Tile and stone routine cleaning with a neutral pH cleaner such as STONETECH® Stone & Tile Cleaner is recommended. For tough or difficult to remove soil use STONETECH KlenzAll™ Cleaner, a nylon scrubbing pad or a long handled stiff bristle brush. 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. For additional information, please refer to the TDS 262 Stone and Tile Care Guide.

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
DS 211.0:	STONETECH Stone & Tile Cleaner
DS 215.0:	STONETECH KlenzAll Cleaner
TDS 262:	Stone and Tile Care Guide

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