# Finalit No. 5

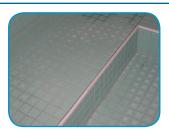
# **Coating Remover**

- removal of coatings from e.g. wax, acrylate resin, dispersion coatings, cotto wax, floor polish, silicone epoxy resin or lacquer/varnish
- pH-value: not applicable
- apply undiluted
- 1L treats up to 20m<sup>2</sup> depending on the thickness of the coating











# 1) The product – Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover



### a) Materials

Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover is suitable for all surfaces that are not solvent-sensitive. It is not suitable for materials such as synthetic resin bound industrial floors, plaster, paints, agglomerated marble, floors made of synthetic resin,...

Soft stones (e.g. marble, lime stone, sand stone, terrazzo,...) will not be etched by Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover, also, if mixed with Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner or Finalit No. 39 Compact at a 1:1:1 ratio.

#### **BEFORE STARTING TO WORK**

- Take pictures of damages caused by daily cleaning and use of the premises, starting at the door, running clockwise.
- The bottom of wooden pieces of furniture (e.g. door frames) must be siliconed with transparent silicone, otherwise it may be damaged by water or detergent. Use special acid-resistant plastic tapes that do not cause adhesive residues!
- Already existing coatings have to be removed completely with Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover or with a low-odor mixture
  of Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner, No. 5 Coating Remover and No. 39 Compact (1:1:1) before working on the stain removal.
  Otherwise the cleaners cannot work effectively! Sometimes coatings are not visible. Perform tests with a) a blade ("scrape") or b) spill water if the water drips off, the surface is coated.
- Switch off floor heating systems!

# b) Application



- · apply pure / untdiluted
- 1 liter treats up to 20 m<sup>2</sup>, depending on the thickness of the coating
- apply, rub in with a brush, let set for about 5-10 minutes
- rinse with water thoroughly
- repead procedure if neccessary and increase the exposure time
- preceding tests recommended

ATTENTION! Cover plastic items or plastic-coated items a such as bathtubs, fittings, shower trays, window frames, doors,... carefully with acid- and solvent-resistant tapes that do not cause adhesive residues! Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover affects colors, even if mixed 1:1:1 with Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner and Finalit No. 39 Compact. Preceding tests recommended!

# 2) Pro tips for Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover



#### a) Increasing the efficiency

To increase the efficiency of Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover for especially thick coatings a special mixture of three Finalit pro-



ducts can be used:

- 1 part Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover
- 1 part Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner
- 1 part Finalit No. 39 Compact

#### b) Removal of Buffalo wax

Apply the 1:1:1 mixture of Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover, Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner and Finalit No. 39 Compact. Let set for about 5 minutes and repeat the procedure until the wax layers are starting to dissolve. Residues can be removed by using quartz sand 0.1-0.5 / 0.5-1.0 / 0.5-2 mm (depending on the porosity of the stone), a single disc machine with a brown pad or a brush grit 180 and water.

# c) Epoxy resin: grouting residues

In most cases residues remain when working with epoxy resin. They can be removed with Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover or the 1:1:1 mixture described above. Exposure time is about 1 hour. For a perfect finish use quartz sand 0.1-1 mm, a single disc machine with a brown pad or a brush grit 180 and water.

The same procedure can be applied on rough or studded R11, R12 and R13 ceramic tiles (slip-proof), as well as on sandblasted or flamed granites that have been sealed with epoxy resin.

# 3) General advice



#### a) Odor nuisance

ENSURE GOOD VENTILATION when using Finalit No. 5 in a closed space. In case of odor nuisance mix Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover with Finalit No. 1 Intensive Cleaner and Finalit No. 39 Compact (1:1:1). This mixture is less smelly. Preceding tests recommended!

#### b) Persistant coatings

To dissolve persistent coatings apply Finalit No. 5 Coating Remover (or the 1:1:1 mixture described above) and let set overnight. Another way is to apply the product multiple times at intervals of 5-10 minutes until the coating starts to dissolve. In order to remove the product "Fleckstop Plus" the exposure time is about 12 hours.

#### c) Cleaning of terracotta, brick, clinker, antique marble floors and polygonal slabs

Usually these materials have wide and recessed joints which can be cleaned with the 1:1:1 mixture described above, a single disc machine with a brown pad or a brush grit 180, plenty of quartz sand 0.1-1.0 mm and water.

# 4) Specification



Appearance fluid, colorless pH value not applicable

Packaging 0,25L, 1L, 5L, 20L tinplate containers

Storage Protect from frost. Recommended shelf life: 1 year after opening.

# 5) Security regulations



The common precautions when handling chemicals must be observed. Ensure good ventilation/extraction at the workplace. Prevent formation of aerosols. Keep away from food, beverages and animal feed. Remove soiled and contaminated clothing immediately. Wash your hands before breaks and when work is finished. Avoid any contact with eyes and skin.

## 6) Note



This product information is based on careful laboratory tests and extensive practical experience. These are informal details. We recommend to determine whether the product meets the respective needs by sufficient testing. Our company shall not be held responsible for damages resulting from improper use of the product.