



# **FIBONACCI STONE**

Installation, Sealing & Maintenance

## Why Seal?

Sealers are designed to improve stain resistance, assist with maintenance and help preserve the natural appearance of the tile and grout. Aqua Mix® water-based natural look penetrating sealers will not alter the colour, appearance or slip resistance of the surface and are suitable for both internal & external areas including wet areas.

### **Pre-Sealing**

To assist with the grout haze removal process, applying a coat of sealer prior to grouting is recommended. You can use either <u>Aqua Mix® Sealer's Choice® Gold - Rapid Cure</u> for a natural look or <u>Aqua Mix® Enrich'N'Seal™</u> to enhance the colours of the stone. These products should only be applied to the top surface prior to grouting.

**Please note:** If a strong pigmented coloured grout been selected, we recommend to test on a spare tile first to ensure it is compatible with the tile and no staining occurs.

#### **Grout Haze Removal**

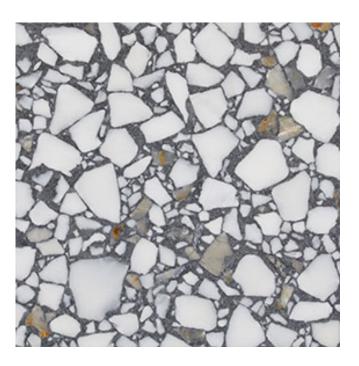
Prior to applying the final coats of sealer, the surface needs to be clean, dry and free from any grout residue. The best way to remove grout residue from Fibonacci Stone is by cleaning the surface with <u>Aqua Mix® Concentrated Stone & Tile Cleaner</u> (light haze) or <u>Aqua Mix® NanoScrub®</u> (heavy haze).

**Please note:** It is important that no acidic cleaners are used on Fibonacci Stone.

## **Final Sealing**

The final sealing process will provide maximum protection to the Stone and the grout. If you used Aqua Mix® Sealer's Choice® Gold - Rapid Cure as your pre-sealer, then apply another 2 coats of the same sealer. If Aqua Mix® Enrich'N'Seal™ was used, then another coat of the same product should be applied.

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#### Maintenance

The surface should be cleaned regularly using Aqua Mix® Concentrated Stone & Tile Cleaner, which is a pH neutral biodegradable cleaner. Regular use helps prevent a build up of soap scum and hard water deposits. To remove any heavy soiling or surface build-up the surface should be periodically cleaned using Aqua Mix® Stone Deep Clean. Followed by rinsing thoroughly. Aqua Mix® Stone Deep Clean is a safe, non-acidic, biodegradable cleaner specifically designed to be safe on sealed limestone surfaces. Spills should be cleaned up immediately to reduce the possibility of staining.

**Please note:** This is a general guide for installation, sealing & maintenance of Fibonacci Stone, as situations vary we suggest that you always do a test area first. Fibonacci Stone is acidic sensitive, sealing the stone will not prevent acidic liquids from etching/dulling the surface of the stone.

