

Technical Data Sheet

Graphenstone Cleaning & Care

This guide has been developed to provide cleaning and care recommendations for the range of Graphenstone top coat paint finishes. Whilst all endeavours have been taken to provide best, industry practice information for all aspects of preparation and the application of our products, the user must understand that all some situations are quite unique and may not be covered in this guide.

Where practical, avoid the use of harsh chemicals and abrasive cleaners as this could damage the coated surface. If cleaning chemicals are used, be sure to read the manufacturer's directions and ensure responsible use at all times.

If in doubt, always test on a small inconspicuous area first to ensure the desired result is achieved. Should you have any doubts or require further technical recommendations and advice, please contact Nutech Paint.

Light dirt and grime:

Cleaning the area as soon as you notice the damage gives you the best results and will reduce the chances of having to touch up or repaint.

Start with the gentlest form of stain removal, usually a clean soft damp sponge and clean fresh water is sufficient. Lightly rub the affected surface to remove any dirt or grime and wipe the area dry with a soft, dry clean cloth to allow for the surface to dry.

Stubborn dirt and grime and light scuff marks:

Try a few drops of environmentally friendly dish washing detergent in a medium sized bowl of warm water, moisten a clean soft sponge or cloth and lightly rub the affected surface to remove any dirt or grime and wipe the area dry with a soft, dry clean cloth to allow for the surface to dry.

Nutech Tip:

For more stubborn dirt or grime try adding a few drops of environmentally friendly detergent directly to the sponge or alternatively, try a mild spray on house hold cleaner observing the application directions.

Stubborn scuff marks:

Make a small amount of paste with baking soda and clean fresh water. Place a small amount of the paste on the end of a clean or sponge and gently scrub the mark. Rinse the cleaned area with a separate damp sponge and wipe the wall dry with a clean cloth.

Nutech Tip:

Try using a non-abrasive, rubber eraser. Gently rub the affected area increasing pressure until the scuff mark disappears.

Feel the wall where the mark is with your hand. If it is indented or noticeably rougher than the wall surface surrounding it, you may need to consider touching the area up.

Touching up scuff marks

Containing the area as small as possible, lightly sand with fine-grit sandpaper such as P220 grit. After two passes, feel it again. Repeat this process until the area is smooth and do not try to remove the finish.



Mix a can of touch-up paint thoroughly and pour some into a small plastic dish.

Dilute the top coat touch-up paint with a paint water according to the relevant Graphenstone technical data sheet (Up to 15% by volume or 150ml per litre). This slows down the drying time of the paint, helping the patch blend in seamlessly with the surrounding area.

Dip the end of a paintbrush into the paint. Wipe the excess paint on a paper towel. Stipple the paint onto the wall staying directly over the damage until you achieve a thin, even coat. Let the paint dry completely.

Clean Up: Pr

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Clean up with clean warm water. Do not pour leftover paint down drains or in rubbish bins. Unwanted paint should be kept in a sealed container and then disposed of via special waste collection services.

Empty paint containers should be left open in a well ventilated area to dry out. Dispose of empty paint containers in accordance with local authority's guidelines. Always check with your local council first.

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