

Slate

Pre-Grouting Sealing

Purpose: To protect porous slate from grout staining and ease grout clean-up.

Desired Result	Product Options	# of Coats	Approx. Coverage Per/Coat Per/Gal (3.8 L)	Cure Time Prior To Grouting	Int.	Ext.	Notes
Premium No-Sheen Natural Look	Sealer's Choice® Gold Ultra-Solv®	1	400 sq.ft. (35m ²)	2 hours	Yes	Yes	Recommended for maximum stain protections when a no-sheen, natural look is required.
Economical No-Sheen Natural Look	Penetrating Sealer Pro-Solv®	1	400 sq.ft. (35m ²)	2 hours	Yes	Yes	Provides more limited protection than premium sealers.
Low-Medium Sheen	Seal & Finish Low Sheen	1	400 sq.ft. (35m ²)	2 hours	Yes	Yes	Easy reapplication. No stripping necessary. Excellent stain protection.
High-Sheen (Interior Only)	High-Gloss Sealer	1	400 sq.ft. (35m ²)	2 hours	Yes	No	Easy reapplication. Rough, Textured surfaces only.
Premium No-Sheen Darkened Color Enhancement	Enrich 'N' Seal™	1	500 sq.ft. (45m ²)	2 hours	Yes	Yes	Use only on unsealed stone surfaces. Critical to test for desired look as darkening is non-reversible.
Economical No-Sheen Darkened Color Enhancement	Stone Enhancer	1	500 sq.ft. (45m ²)	2 hours	Yes	Yes	Use only on unsealed stone surfaces. Critical to test for desired look as darkening is non-reversible.

Sealing/Finishing

Purpose: To protect porous stone from sub-surface staining and ease ongoing maintenance.

Desired Result	Product Options	# of Coats	Approx. Coverage Per/Coat Per/Gal	Grout Cure Time Prior (3.8 L)	Expected Wear To Sealing	Int.	Ext.	Notes
Premium No-Sheen Natural Look	Sealer's Choice® Gold Ultra-Solv®	2	400 - 600 sq.ft. (35m ² -55m ²)	48 hours	Up to 15 Yrs	Yes	Yes	Recommended for maximum stain protection when a no-sheen, natural look is required.
Economical No-Sheen Natural Look	Penetrating Sealer Pro-Solv®	2	400 - 600 sq.ft. (35m ² -55m ²)	48 hours	Up to 5 Yrs Up to 10 Yrs	Yes	Yes	Provides more limited protection than premium sealers.
Low-Medium Sheen	Seal & Finish Low Sheen	2-3	400 - 600 sq.ft. (35m ² -55m ²)	48 hours	Up to 3 Yrs	Yes	Yes	Easy reapplication. No stripping necessary. Excellent stain protection.
High-Sheen (Interior Only)	High-Gloss Sealer	2-3	400 - 600 sq.ft. (35m ² -55m ²)	48 hours	Up to 3 Yrs	Yes	No	Easy reapplication. Rough, textured surfaces only.
Premium No-Sheen Darkened Color Enhancement	Enrich 'N' Seal™	1-2	500 - 1,000 sq. ft. (45m ² -95m ²)	48 hours	Up to 15 Yrs	Yes	Yes	Use only on unsealed stone - seals the surface as it darkens. Critical to test for desired look as darkening is non-reversible.
Economical No-Sheen Darkened Color Enhancement	Stone Enhancer	1-2	500 - 1,000 sq. ft. (45m ² -95m ²)	48 hours	Up to 5 Yrs	Yes	Yes	Use only on unsealed stone - seals the surface as it darkens. Critical to test for desired look as darkening is non-reversible.

Maintenance

Purpose: To safely maintain a clean slate and grout surface and to preserve the tile's beauty and integrity.

Type of Maintenance	Product Options	Dilution Ratio	Expected Coverage Per Gallon (3.8 L)	Notes
Routine	Concentrated Stone & Tile Cleaner AquaKleen™	1-4oz./gallon of water (30-118ml/3.785L) Use undiluted	10,000-20,000 sq.ft. (930m ² -1,860m ²)	Highly-concentrated. Neutral pH. For regular use. Quick spray and wipe cleaning.
Periodic Heavy-Duty	Heavy-Duty Tile & Grout Cleaner Stone Deep Clean	Add up to 4 parts water	500 - 600 sq. ft. (45m ² -55m ²)	Contains no acid. Safe on tile and grout/mortar
Periodic Heavy-Duty Large Commercial Areas	1 & 2 Deep Clean	1/4 to 1/2 cup (60 - 120 ml) of powder & liquid to 2 1/2 gallons (10 L) of water.	8,000 - 32,000 sq. ft. (743m ² -2,973m ²)	Recommended for large commercial floor applications.

Always refer to product Data Sheets for complete application, use, safety, limitation and warranty information.
Always test first. Keep surface clean and dry to reduce possibility of slip-fall accidents.