C² DEGREASE™

Step-by-Step Application Instructions – C² Degrease

Before beginning, always read SDS and technical data sheet for complete instructions and safety information. Always prepare a test panel before proceeding.

- Use to remove oil, grease, soot, grime, tire marks, adhesives. C² Degrease™ is not recommended for deep embedded oil and grease stains. Use C² Stain Clean™.
- Use C² Degrease™ on initial clean (appropriately diluted), then use C² Stain Clean™ if you have spots that are deeply embedded.

Coverage Rates

- 1 L of concentrate will clean about 5 m² (Must dilute, see dilution specs below)
- 3.50 L of concentrate will clean about 17.5 m² (Must dilute, see dilution specs below)

Dilution

Do not alter product except as specified. C² Degrease™ should be diluted with hot or cold water for all applications.

Use soft water to improve performance at high dilution rates. Minimum recommended dilution is one part concentrate to four parts water.

Use the recommended dilutions. Always test for highest possible dilution that gives effective results.

Low-pressure Sprayer

- Heavy oil & grease removal: 1 part concentrate: 4 parts fresh water
- Light oil & grease films: 1 part concentrate: up to 30 parts fresh water
- Adhesive tape residues: 1 part concentrate: up to 15 parts fresh water
- Paint and sealer residues: 1 part concentrate: up to 6 parts fresh water

Equipment

- In high pressure washers: 1 part concentrate: minimum 50 parts fresh water
- In auto-scrubbers: 1 part concentrate: minimum 30 parts fresh water

At dilutions lower than 1:4, C² Degrease™ may dull painted concrete floors and polished finishes like C² Seal™ or C² Ultra Seal™. Not diluted properly C²Degrease™ will create a heavy foam buildup, which is difficult to clean.

Hot water (up to 60°C) improves results on some applications and may allow further dilution.

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Application

C² Degrease™ can be applied three different ways

1. **Sprayer & Auto-Scrubber**. Apply properly diluted C² Degrease™ with low-pressure pump sprayer. Let it dwell on surface for 3-5 minutes. Do not allow to dry. Over dwelling C² Degrease™, run auto-scrubber with hot water, stiff bristle brushes (not pads), max-down pressure and lowest water setting for best performance. Heated water (65–80°C) may improve cleaning efficiency. Using too much water will only further dilute C² Degrease™, lowering its performance. Do not run vacuum at this point. You want C² Degrease™ to be worked into the surface for at least 2-3 passes with auto-scrubber. Do not allow to dry. After 2-3 passes, vacuum up residue. The floor needs to be rinsed well with clean water to ensure no residue is left behind.

2. **Auto-Scrubber.** Apply properly diluted C² Degrease™ into auto-scrubber tank. Run auto-scrubber with hot water, stiff bristle brushes (not pads), max-down pressure and lowest water setting for best performance. Heated water (65–80°C) may improve cleaning efficiency. Using too much water will only further dilute C² Degrease™, lowering its performance. Do not run vacuum at this point. You want C² Degrease™ to be worked into the surface for minimum 3-4 passes with auto-scrubber. More passes are needed since C² Degrease™ was not allowed to dwell prior to auto scrubbing. Do not allow to dry. After 3-4 passes, vacuum up residue. The floor needs to be rinsed well with clean water to ensure no residue is left behind.

3. **Pressure-washing.** Apply properly diluted C² Degrease™ into pressure-washer tank. Pressure washing at 25-65 atm with a water flow-rate of 20–30 liters per minute is the best pressure/water combination for rinsing porous concrete. Use a 15–45° fan spray tip. Heated water (65–80°C) may improve cleaning efficiency. Do not allow to dry. Once done, rinse floor with clean water and vacuum up residue.