

HydraGUARD™

1. When used as a grout release agent, what do you do if HydraGUARD pools in the joints?
 - Wipe out of the joint before it has dried.
2. Is HydraGUARD required with Pre-Mixed, Epoxy or Cement Grouts?
 - Pre-sealing is not required but improves cleanup on porous stone and polished tiles.
 - Pre-sealing reduces the potential for pigment staining.
3. Is HydraGUARD safe for use in food preparation areas?
 - Yes, once completely dried.
4. Does HydraGUARD change the look of stone and grout?
 - Yes, color is enhanced (deepened) and enriched. If a natural appearance is desired do not use. **Always test in an inconspicuous area before using.**
5. What types of stains and chemical does HydraGUARD protect against?
 - Typical household water-based and oil-based stains. Acidic products such as tomato juice, lemon juice, wine and coffee. Greases are more difficult to prevent staining. Immediate cleanup is recommended.
6. Will HydraGUARD prevent tile surface wear or etching from strong acids and caustics?
 - No
7. Will HydraGUARD make the tile surface more slippery?
 - No
8. When sealing tile, how long do I need to wait after grouting to HydraGUARD?
 - 48 – 72 hours to allow moisture to leave.
9. How long is HydraGUARD expected wear?
 - Reapplying every three years is recommended length varies depending on tile hardness, texture, weather conditions and cleaning methods.
10. What does NSF mean?
 - NSF stands for National Science Foundation NSF –R2 certification means that the ingredients used in HydraGUARD have passed a strict toxicology assessment. --- non-toxic ingredients. All NSF-R2 products can be found on the NSF “White Page Listing”.
11. What is the difference between HydraGUARD and ProColor Stain Guard additive?
 - HydraGUARD is a penetrating topical sealer for grout and porous tile that provides an invisible barrier to stains. Stain Guard is a cement grout additive that provides integral stain protection that is not topical.