



Technical Data Sheet

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Grout Whitener

DESCRIPTION

GE Grout Whitener is a ready-to-use water-based dispersion coating suitable for use in kitchen and bath applications. This product is applied directly from a pen applicator, as a coating over existing grout to improve appearance. Grout Whitener cures at room temperature to form a durable, long-lasting coating that contains a fungicide to ensure long-term mold resistance ^[1].

Available as:

| Item # | Country | Package | Size | Color |
|---------|---------|------------|----------------|-------|
| 3014484 | USA | Carded pen | 0.24 oz (7 mL) | White |

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Excellent adhesion to clean, existing old grout lines
- Designed for vertical grout joints
- Low odor
- No need to remove existing grout before use
- Easy to use & clean up

RECOMMENDED FOR

Recommended for refreshing narrow grout wall joints between ceramic and porcelain tiles in bathrooms, laundry rooms, and kitchens.

LIMITATIONS

- Only for use on existing porcelain and ceramic grout joints
- May damage other tile compositions
- Interior use only
- Not recommended for use underwater or in other applications where the product will be in continuous contact with water

COVERAGE

Up to 196 lin. ft. (60 lin. m) - Coverage rate depends on applied coating thickness

TECHNICAL DATA

| Typical Uncured Physical Properties | | Typical Application Properties | |
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| <u>Color:</u> | White | <u>Application Temperature:</u> | Apply and cure above 40°F (5°C) and below 104°F (40°C) |
| <u>Appearance:</u> | Viscous liquid | <u>Drying Time:</u> | Approx. 60 minutes* |
| <u>Base:</u> | Water-based dispersion | <u>Clean up:</u> | Remove excess product immediately using a damp cloth. Clean applicator with water after use. |
| <u>Odor:</u> | Low, characteristic | | |
| <u>Shelf Life:</u> | 24 months from the date of manufacture (unopened) | <u>Lot Code Explanation:</u> | 30524XXXXX 305 = Day of year based on 365 days per year 24 = Last 2 digits of year of manufacture October 31, 2024 is the date of manufacture |

* For a thin crack with 1/8" (3 mm) depth/width. Drying time varies with application thickness, temperature and humidity.

Typical Cured Performance Properties

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| <u>Color:</u> | White | <u>Service Temperature:</u> | 40°F (5°C) to 176°F (80°C) |
| <u>Cured form:</u> | Hard solid | <u>Water Resistant:</u> | Yes |

[1] Fully cured coating is resistant to stain-causing mold & mildew. Regular cleaning is required, as soap and other residue can cause secondary mold and mildew growth on surfaces.



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DIRECTIONS

Tools Typically Required:

Damp cloth or rag

Safety Precautions:

Wear gloves and wash hands after use

Surface Preparation:

Surfaces must be clean, dry, structurally sound and free from dirt, dust, grease, oil, mildew, and other contaminants. Treat existing grout joint with mold remover, if/where necessary to remove mold contamination. Apply and allow to cure when product and surface temperatures are above 40°F (5°C).

Application:

Shake tube well. Remove the cap and depress nib several times until Grout Whitener begins to flow. Apply sparingly to the joint in an even coat. Remove excess before it has dried with a damp cloth. If necessary, re-apply after 1 hour. Apply from bottom to top of tile for vertical joints. Clean applicator after use with water and replace the cap.

NOTE: Allow to dry at least 60 minutes before allowing water contact.

Clean Up:

Clean hands immediately with water and soap. Remove fresh Grout Whitener before it has dried with water or a damp cloth.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

DAMAGED BY FREEZING. Store unopened in a cool, dry area away from heat and direct sunshine under standard conditions. Standard storage conditions are defined as 72 ± 4°F (22 ± 2°C) and < 50% relative humidity. Opened containers should be used up within 6 months or less. Dispose of empty container with trash according to local guidelines.

LABEL PRECAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for further information

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