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TILE PLUS

Fast acting, heavy duty tile cleaner

Key Benefits:

- ✓ Fast acting degreaser
- ✓ Removes carbonised deposits
- ✓ Cuts through grease and soil
- ✓ Contains corrosion inhibitor
- ✓ Non-flammable (solvent free)
- ✓ Odour free in use

Insist on **Whiteley Industrial** when ordering your hard floor cleaning products

Tile Plus is a concentrated alkaline detergent designed for use as a heavy duty cleaner and degreaser. **Tile Plus** is a water soluble cleaner and degreaser which rapidly emulsifies, suspends and removes all types of animal, vegetable and petroleum oils. It is also extremely efficient at removing grease and grime in industrial, commercial and food processing areas.

Tile Plus has the added benefit of a corrosion inhibitor and does not impart any cleaning odours. **Tile Plus** being a non-flammable water based detergent makes it the ideal replacement for solvent-based cleaners and degreasers.

Clean Floors, no fuss when you use Tile Plus.

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GENERAL CLEANING & MAINTENANCE OF TILED AREAS

Many mistakes are commonly made in the cleaning of ceramic & porcelain glazed and unglazed tiles.

Three golden rules for all types of tile cleaning:

1. Remove loose debris first by sweeping, dust mopping, or vacuuming.
2. Rotate detergents on a regular basis.
3. Always rinse with copious amounts of clean water after cleaning to remove residue. If tiles are inadequately rinsed or have dried before rinsing, an off-white deposit may be left which could be difficult to remove.

Things to avoid when cleaning tiles:

- **Do Not** use scouring type powder as this does not dissolve effectively and can develop a 'haze' from the residue.
- **Do Not** use Steel Wool. Steel wool pads can leave particles which can rust and leave an unsightly brown stain.
- Only use a highly alkaline cleaner on a periodic basis otherwise it will leave a glazed type finish, quickly re-soil and become extremely slippery over time.

Cleaning dirt and grease build up from tiles

Quite often ceramic and vitrified tiles will appear quite dirty. Due to the porous nature of these tiles, dirt and detergent get trapped in the tile and are difficult to remove with normal cleaning methods. As an initial clean, scrub tiles with **Tile Plus** as per directions. Allow 5-10 minutes dwell time on tiles then agitate with a stiff bristle brush or pad. Remove residue and rinse thoroughly with water.

Interior glazed or unglazed porcelain tiles

(Foyers, Common and Commercial Areas – not Bathrooms)

Remove loose debris by sweeping. Mop floors daily with **Tempo HD** – neutral detergent. Once a week mop with hot water to remove any residue.

Grout quite often darkens over time which is caused by residue build up. To remove this residue use a stiff nylon or bassine type deck scrubbing broom and scrub the floor with water. Sweep up any debris and rinse thoroughly with a fresh mop and water. Mechanical agitation is recommended for larger areas.

Bathroom and washroom floors and tiles

Due to constant use, bathroom floor and wall tiles need strict cleaning routines to remove body oils, soap scum, hard water deposits and mould. Floors need to be mopped daily (if possible) with **Tempo HD** and once a week with clean water to remove any residue. Physical agitation will be required from time to time to remove residue, use a stiff nylon or bassine type deck brush and scrub while still wet.

Cleaning bathroom wall and shower tiles with a cloth can cause the soil to spread and reset on the surfaces. To ensure the tiles are cleaned effectively the cloth needs to be rinsed thoroughly between wiping.

To clean and remove soiling on bathroom wall and shower tiles use **Sansol** or **Zest**. **Sansol** is scientifically proven to improve the hygiene of bathrooms, decreasing the transmission of infection. **Sansol** can be applied via a foaming gun for large scale application. **Sansol** kills Norivirus (gastro bug), HIV, Hepatitis B Group viruses, removes algae, mildew, mould and odour causing bacteria for long lasting deodorisation.

Always wear gloves when using and handling cleaning chemicals. Do not use chlorinated bleach/chlorine as they will react with acid and can be a health hazard.

Commercial kitchens

Oils and fats can quickly build up on commercial kitchen floors. If there is a residue on the floor **Tile Plus** should be used to remove residue then followed by daily maintenance cleaning with **Resolve** or **Treble**.

Watch the 'How to clean tiled surfaces using Tile Plus' online at www.whiteley.com.au

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