# **Neutra-S**



## Neutraliser

## preliminary Technical Information

## **Product features**

- Aqueous, acidic cleaner
- Ready for use
- For neutralising and after washing
- After application of alkaline paint stripper,
   e.g. Scheidel Drystrip Alkaline Dry Paint Remover
- · After application of alkaline graffiti remover,
  - e.g. Scheidel Cracker Gel Remnant- & Graffiti-Remover / Scheidel Cracker Remnant Remover (liquid)
- For neutralising on wood, metal and other short-term acid-resistant surfaces

## Scope of application

- Wood
- Metal
- Mineral surfaces (also surfaces that are resistant at least for a short time)

#### **Technical limits**

Not suitable for: acid-sensitive natural and artificial stones. Also, not suitable for polished, honed and glazed stone surfaces.

#### **Technical data**

Density at 20°C: 1,04 g/cm³
Colour: colourless
pH-value at 20°C: 1-2

Storage/BBD: cool and dry in closed original container min. 12 months

Water hazard: WGK 1 (water hazard class)

Consumption: depends on application, to be determined by test areas

Packages: 11, 51 Item number: 1353

## **Processing**

Neutralization should always be carried out directly after a paint stripping or graffiti removal process:

## Application on wood after stripping with Drystrip Alkaline:

Spray the surface directly afterwards with Neutra-S or brush thoroughly with a soft brush and moisten. Allow to react thoroughly (approx. 15 to 20 min.), then rinse thoroughly with plenty of clean water.

## For wooden surfaces, neutralisation must be repeated on the completely dry surface (drying time 12-24 hours).

The dried, neutralised surface should have a pH-value of 6-8 after the second work step at the latest. Check this with pH-test-strips: Moisten with water and press it on the surface, check the value. If the pH-value of the surface is still greater than value 8 and thus in the alkaline range, the neutralisation process **must** be repeated.

## Application after graffiti removal with alkaline cleaners:

After graffiti removal with Scheidel Cracker Remnant Remover (liquid) or Scheidel Cracker Gel Remnant- & Graffiti-Remover, the substrate must be neutralised with an acid. Scheidel Neutra-S Neutraliser is recommended for this purpose. After thoroughly washing off the graffiti remover, spray the surface with Scheidel Neutra-S, allow to react well (at least 10 min.) and rinse thoroughly with clear water. The neutralised surface should have the original pH-value again (check with pH-test-strip, press on the surface moistened with water and check the value). The neutralisation process must be repeated until the original pH-value of the substrate is restored.

## Note:

Neutralisation is very important after the application of alkaline paint strippers or cleaners, as otherwise non-neutralised alkaline residues in the substrate may result in coating damage (e.g. flaking/adhesion) in subsequent paint and varnish coats. Before recoating the cleaned surface, check the moisture content of the surface. For wooden surfaces, the residual moisture should not exceed 13%.

## Metal and mineral surfaces:

Neutralisation of the surface is carried out as described above, but the second working step is usually not required. This is to be ensured by measuring the pH-value.

## Use as cleaner:

The product can be used as a cleaner on short term resistant surfaces to remove lime and dirt residues. Test the acid resistance of the substrate in a concealed area before use.

## Wastewater disposal

Avoid release into the environment, do not allow to enter drains. Product residues must be disposed of properly in accordance with official regulations.

## Gefahrenhinweis

## The current safety data sheet is decisive. If required, please request by e-mail: info@scheidel.com

**General:** Always wear protective clothing, gloves, eye protection, face protection. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Avoid inhalation of vapors. Use only outdoors or in well ventilated areas.

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