



# PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS



**PRODUCT NAME**  
**500 LIMESTONE PREWASH**  
**500 LIMESTONE AFTERWASH**

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## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**500 Limestone Prewash** is an alkaline-based, liquid cleaning solution used to remove carbon, dirt and other atmospheric stains from soiled and dirty limestone surfaces. **500 Limestone Prewash** is designed to work in conjunction with **500 Limestone Afterwash**.

**500 Limestone Afterwash** is a concentrated acidic cleaner formulated for use with **500 Limestone Prewash**. **500 Limestone Afterwash** will neutralize and remove any traces of **500 Limestone Prewash** left behind after rinsing and brighten the surface.

**500 Limestone Prewash** and **Afterwash** do not contain abrasives or harmful ingredients. The limestone is cleaned without damage or alteration to the natural appearance.

**Note:** **500 Limestone Prewash** and **Afterwash** is a two part cleaning system. Application of only one of these products will not completely restore the limestone surface. **500 Limestone Afterwash** is intended for

use immediately after application of **500 Limestone Prewash**.

**Precautions:** Read the entire material safety data sheet for a more thorough evaluation of hazards. Fully protect all adjacent surfaces, including vegetation and aluminum from coming in direct contact with **500 Limestone Prewash** and **Afterwash**. Beware of wind drift onto autos and pedestrians. Have cold running water available close by at all times to flush product's liquid if needed to avoid injury or property damage.

**Caution:** Avoid contact with hair, skin, eyes, mucous membranes and clothing. Wear protective clothing: use long-sleeved rubber suits, neoprene gloves, chemical splash proof goggles and full face shield. Do not breathe vapor. Use with adequate ventilation. This product's hazardous liquid may cause severe burns which may not be immediately painful or visible. Seek first aid in case of contact or suspicion of contact.

## TECHNICAL DATA

### 500 LIMESTONE PREWASH

**Color/Form:** tan liquid

**pH:** 14

**Coverage:** 125 sq. ft. per gallon depending on the porosity and texture of the limestone and dilution.

**Packaging:** one, five and fifty-five gallon containers.

### 500 LIMESTONE AFTERWASH

**Color/Form:** clear liquid

**pH:** 1.8

**Coverage:** approximately 400-500 sq. ft. per gallon when diluted 3 parts water to 1 part **500 Limestone Afterwash**.

**Packaging:** one, five and fifty-five gallon containers.

## INSTALLATION

A test area should be cleaned before beginning overall project to determine precise procedures necessary for most effective cleaning. Note: Make sure to test area with **500 Limestone Prewash and Afterwash**. User shall determine the suitability of the product for its intended use

and assumes all risk and liability whatsoever in connection therewith.

## APPLICATION

### 500 LIMESTONE PREWASH:

1. Mix well before using.
2. Apply with synthetic roller, brush or sponge.
3. Dilute 1 part **500 Limestone Prewash** to 3 parts water or adjust based on test. On highly stained areas, use full strength.
4. Apply a coat of **500 Limestone Prewash** and allow to remain on the surface for 35 minutes or longer as determined by test. Cold temperatures may require dwell times exceeding 8 hours.
5. Using a hose or pressure washer, rinse the surfaces with water.
6. Immediately apply **500 Limestone Afterwash** as per instruction on label. The second wash is necessary to neutralize any latent traces of 500 Limestone Prewash which may still be present in the limestone surface.

### 500 LIMESTONE AFTERWASH:

1. Apply with synthetic roller, brush or hand pump sprayer.
2. Mix well before using.
3. Dilute 1 part **500 Limestone Afterwash** to 3 parts water or adjust based on test.
4. Immediately after rinsing **500 Limestone Prewash** from the limestone surface apply the **500 Limestone Afterwash** solution liberally. If the limestone surface has dried, pre-wet the limestone surface with water prior to applying the **500 Limestone Afterwash**.
5. Allow **500 Limestone Afterwash** to remain on the surface for 3 to 5 minutes.
6. Pressure wash from the bottom of the treated area to the top. Be sure to rinse all of the limestone thoroughly.
7. To waterproof limestone, seal restored area with appropriate **ABRP, Inc HydroSeal™**.

**Clean Up:** Water



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## AVAILABILITY

Available through a network of distributors and dealers established in cities across the United States and Canada.

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## REFERENCING

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