



# Cementone Brick & Patio Cleaner

## REMOVES MORTAR STAINS AND LIMESCALE

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### YOUR SMART ADVANTAGES

- Cleans away algae, dirt and grime
- Apply by brush
- For paving, patios, concrete and brickwork

### USES

Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner (formerly known as Cementone Brick & Patio Cleaner) is an effective and economical way to clean and remove light cement & mortar stains and limescale from brickwork, patio areas, concrete, paving, scaffolding and metal tools (please see 'Precautions in Use' section). It also cleans away dirt, grime and algae from Patios. For exterior use only.

### PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Colour	Pale yellow
Form	Liquid
Specific Gravity	1.05 approx.
Composition	9.8% hydrochloric acid (HCL)
Product Codes	30812502 2.5 litres x 6 30812501 5 litres x 4
Storage/Shelf Life	Store and transport securely in an upright position. Ensure the cap is fully closed. Store for up to 24 months from date of manufacture in original, unopened packaging under cool, dry conditions within the temperature range of +5°C to +25°C and out of direct sunlight. Protect from frost.

### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA (Approx.)

Application Temperature	+5°C to +25°C
Coverage	4m <sup>2</sup> per litre approx. when undiluted
Mix Ratios	General Use: 2 parts Cleaner to 1 part water (by volume) Severe Staining: Apply Cleaner undiluted

### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IMPORTANT: Before using Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner refer to the relevant Health & Safety Data Sheet, available at [www.bostik.com/uk](http://www.bostik.com/uk).

### MIXING

1. Mix Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner only in plastic containers.

GENERAL USE	SEVERE STAINING
2 parts Patio Cleaner to 1 part water	Undiluted

### PREPARATION

2. Use protective goggles, gloves and clothing to cover face, eyes and skin when using Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner.
3. To prevent damage to windows and glass, mask with polythene. N.B. Fumes will tarnish metals.
4. Dilute as necessary and test on a small concealed area before proceeding to clean the whole area. The test area should be examined after 24 hours as the effect may not be immediately noticeable.
5. Do not apply Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner to, or near painted enamel, stainless steel, decorative brass, aluminium, natural limestone, sandstone, marble,

terrazzo or lime/silicate bricks as this cleaner may discolour metal or attack decorative surfaces.

#### APPLICATION

##### Bricks & Patios:

6. Thoroughly wet the area to be treated with water to reduce the absorption of the cleaner.
7. Apply the diluted Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner with a soft brush.
8. It is vital that the cleaner is thoroughly rinsed off with plenty of water before it has had time to dry to avoid a white discolouration developing on the paving. This is very difficult to remove once formed. Do not use a power washer.
9. Repeat the above process if necessary.
10. When used on pigmented concrete some colour loss may occur.

##### Metal Tools:

11. See precautions in use below.
12. Soak tools in undiluted Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner for up to 2 hours.
13. Rinse thoroughly with water and allow to dry.
14. Apply an appropriate metal protector.
15. Do not use on power tools.

#### CLEANING

16. Clean tools and equipment immediately after use with water.
17. Clean at least twice to remove any last residues.

#### PRECAUTIONS IN USE

This cleaner is for external use only.

Transport in an upright position, secured from tipping over. Store securely in the boot, not in the passenger compartment. Always store near the ground on a firm flat surface, in a safe position.

This cleaner gives off acidic fumes which can discolour metal or decorative surfaces. Do not use on or near painted enamel, stainless steel, decorative brass, aluminium, natural limestone, sandstone, marble, terrazzo or lime/silicate bricks. Hydrochloric acid dissolves calcium carbonate based materials i.e. marble, terrazzo, lime/silicate bricks, limestone and cement based paving. Dilute as stated and test on a small concealed area before proceeding to clean the whole area. The test area should be examined after 24 hours as the effect is not immediately noticeable. If there is any indication that the acid is attacking the surface, wash the surface immediately with plenty of water. Do not use a jet or power washer to rinse off the cleaner. When used on pigmented surfaces colour loss may occur. When removing spots of lime, lime-scale or cement it is best to apply the product only where needed.

Do not mix or use with any other chemicals. Protect lawns

and plants during application and when rinsing away cleaner. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with product.

Take care when using on metal surfaces as the acid may damage them. To prevent damage to windows and glass, mask with polythene.

Animals and children must be kept away from the treatment area during application and until the area is completely dry and free of any residual product.

For any application not covered please contact Technical Services on +44 (0)1785 272625 or visit [www.bostik.com/uk](http://www.bostik.com/uk) for advice.

Recommendations and suggestions are for guidance only, since conditions of use are completely beyond our control.

For health and safety instruction, first aid measures and spillage and disposal instructions, see separate Health and Safety Data sheet for Bostik Brick & Patio Cleaner, available at [www.bostik.com/uk](http://www.bostik.com/uk).

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