

FRAGMENTI COTTO

INSTALLATION & CARE GUIDELINES

INSTALLATION

We suggest to install our Fragmenti Cotto using an high-performance cementitious adhesive with no vertical slip.

For a seamless solution we suggest to lay the mosaic sheets with 2 mm of joint.

The grouting of the joint must be completed using cementitious grouts.

For walls in direct contact with water we recommend to create an appropriate waterproof membrane on the substrate.

After grouting and only when the "package" is completely dried, the surfaces must be cleaned with buffered phosphoric acid diluted (15-20%) with water (*FRAGMENTI EASYCLEANER*).



The cleaning is very a important operation in order to ensure optimum results during the final treatment.

In order to dissolve effectively all traces of grout, adhesive, lime and calcium residues, the acid solution must be left on the surface for maximum 2-3 minutes.

Longer exposition could modify and damage the cement grouting mortar in the joints.

Rinse the surface thoroughly (until the water runs off clean), and before it has time to dry after being cleaned with acid.

Be sure to remove all traces of grout, adhesive, lime and calcium from the surface.

If the outcome is not satisfactory you could repeat the cleaning operation, slightly increasing the percentage of the acid in the solution.

TREATMENTS

For walls in direct contact with water we recommend to protect the surface with 2 layers of our *FRAGMENTI EASYCARE*.



It is one-step natural sealer which create a hydro oil repellent membrane on the product surface without change the natural looking of the material.

FRAGMENTI EASYCARE is the result of careful research using a new generation of silane fluorinated acrylic copolymers with unique hydro-oil repellent characteristics, for the protection of surface

materials. It guarantees a longer duration of the product and excellent protection of the treated support.

It is very easy to apply with spreader fleece, cotton cloth or brush.

On vertical surfaces apply the product wet on wet, on floors instead wait 30-60 minutes between the first and second application.

For **Floor Installations** we recommend to complete the treatment with *FRAGMENTI EASYWAX*.



FRAGMENTI EASY WAX is a special matt protective wax to be used after 24 hours of the FRAGMENTI EASYCARE treatment.

FRAGMENTI EASYWAX with its special formula has the advantage of providing greater protection to surface treated without alter the natural effect of the surface and, at the same time, simplifies routine maintenance operations.

We suggest to finish the surface with two coats of FRAGMENTIEASYWAX, applied with the aid of a cotton cloth or brush, taking care to spread a thin veil.

We recommend to wait 2 hours between the first and second application.

MAINTENANCE

For normal and routine cleaning purposes, we recommend to use neutral detergents.

Floor installations needs to be freshened up periodically, depending on the level of wear and tear, with FRAGMENTI EASYWAX.