

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY®

REMOVES SALT AND UNSIGHTLY WHITE EFFLORESCENCE FROM BRICKS, STONE AND CONCRETE

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Efflorescence is commonly caused by soluble salts within building materials, or dissolved salts transferred into building materials by water. At the surface of the building material the water containing these dissolved salts evaporates leaving behind unsightly white deposits. Left untreated efflorescence can cause corrosive damage to many building surfaces.

EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY® is a non-hydrochloric acid based treatment for the removal of unsightly efflorescence from most common mineral surfaces including bricks, stone concrete and flag stones. Quick and easy to apply, EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY® can be used on walls, driveways, floors and patio areas etc.

### USES

- Removing efflorescence from most common mineral surface including brick, stone, render, pathways, patio areas etc.

### CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Biodegradable safe formula.
- Available in bottles or as a ready to use spray, no need to dilute
- Water clean up.
- Can be poured, sprayed or brushed on.

Odour

Acrid

### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Packaging	1Ltr spray bottle & 5Ltr jerry can
Colour	Pale green
Shelf Life	24 months form date of manufacture.
Storage Conditions	Store in original containers in cool (5 - 25°C) dry conditions. Do not allow to freeze.
Density	ca. 1.08g/cm <sup>3</sup> @ 20°C
pH-Value	1.0-3.0
Yield	Approx. 8-10m <sup>2</sup> per litre depending on porosity of substrate.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Remove any loose surface dirt or debris with a stiff brush.

### APPLICATION

Always test a small inconspicuous area prior to full application.

Dampen the surface to be treated with water. Spray or pour EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY® onto the affected area ensuring complete coverage. Take care not to overspray EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY® onto surrounding areas particularly lawns, plant beds or metal surfaces. Leave EVERBUILD® SALT-AWAY® for 5-10 minutes depending on levels of efflorescence. Wash down area with clean fresh water. Repeat application may be necessary for badly affected areas.

In order to help prevent further efflorescence re-appearing, walls can be treated using Everbuild 402 Waterseal or 408 Superseal, paths & patios with Block Guard or Path & Patio Seal.

### LIMITATIONS

- Always test a small inconspicuous area prior to full application
- Do not use on artificially coloured stones/blocks or pavers.
- Wash off any overspray immediately with clean fresh water.
- It is the user's responsibility to determine suitability for use. If in doubt contact Technical Services for advice.

### VALUE BASE

All technical data stated in this Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

### LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data and uses.

## ECOLOGY, HEALTH AND SAFETY

Consult MSDS for full list of hazards.

### LEGAL NOTES

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