

# **Technical Data Sheet**



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## Silicone Sealant Remover

## Remover for silicone sealant residues

### **CHARACTERISTICS**

- Easy removal of silicone residues from baths, showers, toilets, sinks, worktops, uPVC, windowsills, etc.
- Excellent material compatibility.
- Can be used on a wide variety of surfaces.

### **APPLICATION FIELD**

Unibond Silicone Sealant Remover is a thick gel which breaks down cured silicone sealant residue for easy removal. It is the ideal way to remove old or unwanted sealant from ceramic or porcelain tiles, most plastics, most metals, glass, and painted surfaces.



### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

## **Preparation**

Ensure as much of the old sealant as possible has been removed with a sealant remover tool (e.g., UniBond Sealant Remover & Smoother Tool) before using Silicone Sealant Remover. The substrates should be clean and dry.

## **Application**

- Wear suitable work clothes, gloves and eye protection and thoroughly protect all surrounding areas.
- 2. Mechanically remove as much sealant as possible with a sealant remover tool taking care not to damage surrounding areas.
- 3. Ensure that remaining sealant is clean and dry.
- 4. Unscrew cap and squeeze tube gently. As Silicone Sealant Remover is expelled ensure all sealant is covered with at least 5mm of remover.
- 5. Clean all spillages immediately.
- 6. Leave for at least 3 hours, depending on bead size, then gently remove the sealant when it has swollen with the sealant remover tool.
- 7. Wipe the area clean with a dry cloth ensuring all residues are removed.
- 8. Wash all tools immediately after use with water.
- 9. Surfaces to be resealed should be cleaned with methylated spirit before applying fresh sealant.



Thick layers may require longer contact time. The contact time depends on the thickness of the silicone residue:

Thickness < 2 mm: max. 4 h	Thickness = 2 mm: approx. 4-6 h	Thickness > 2 mm: approx. 6-12 h
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If traces of silicone sealant remain - repeat application.

Wash all tools immediately with water after use.

Surfaces that are to be resealed should be cleaned with methylated spirit before applying fresh sealant.

#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

Composition	mixture of organic solvents	
Color	Transparent	
Consistency:	non-slump paste	
Density (20°C)	approx. 0,92 g/cm³	
Odour	characteristic; no unpleasant odors.	
Application temperature	+5°C to +30°C.	
Shelf Life	at least 12 months in unopened container, stored in a cool, dry place.	

## **LIMITATIONS**

Only suitable for removal of silicone sealant residue.

Not suitable for removal of acrylic, PU, hybrid polymer, intumescent or other sealants.

Not suitable for use on natural stone, brass, copper, or nylon.

In case of coated surfaces, unknown materials or if in doubt, check on an unexposed area to ensure the product will not attack or stain the substrate.

## **Cleaning tools**

Tools can be cleaned with methylated spirit.

#### Storage

Store in a cool dry place. Protect from frost and direct sunlight.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Before using the product, please see related Material Safety Data Sheet that is available to download from mymsds.henkel.com.

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