CUTEK® QUICKCLEAN

GENERAL PURPOSE OUTDOOR CLEANER CONCENTRATE



CUTEK® Quickclean is a powerful general-purpose outdoor cleaner that removes dirt, grease and grime from all your exterior hard surfaces.

CUTEK® Quickclean will easily remove dirt, grease, and grime as well as even out CUTEK® Colourtone that has started to wear or erode unevenly on your wood.

It is the perfect way to regularly keep all your wood clean, and it prepares wood to optimize the performance of maintenance coats of CUTEK® Extreme.

CUTEK® Quickclean is a concentrate that should be diluted with water. The dilution will vary depending on the build-up of dirt/grease on the surface.

WHY CUTEK® QUICKCLEAN?

- **Powerful outdoor cleaner** – general-purpose cleaner that removes dirt, grease and grime from outdoor surfaces.
- **Perfect for regular wood cleaning** – prepares wood for a maintenance coat of CUTEK® Extreme.
- **Clean up CUTEK® spills with ease** – easily cleans accidental spills of CUTEK® Extreme.
- **Cleans all hard surfaces** – including composite decking, plastic, PVC, tiles, pavers, concrete and glass.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

WHAT YOU WILL NEED



Brush, roller, broom or low-pressure garden sprayer.



Bucket



Pressure washer



Drop sheets and tarps



Safety equipment

DILUTION & COVERAGE GUIDE

	DILUTION	MIXED VOL.	COVERAGE
To remove oil and fat based stains	Full strength	1.89 L / 64 oz	Spot cleaning
Wood and composite decking, wood shingles	1:8	17 L / 4.5 gal	79 m^2 / 850 ft^2
PVC and capped composite decking	1:20	39.7 L / 10.5 gal	186 m^2 / 2000 ft^2
Plastic / PVC / ceramic tiles / canvas / metal	1:50	96.4 L / 25.5 gal	446 m^2 / 4800 ft^2
All purpose glass cleaner	1:100	190.9 L / 50.5 gal	883 m^2 / 9500 ft^2

IMPORTANT: These figures represent typical averages for common substrates and are to be used as a guideline only.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CUTEK® Quickclean is a powerful general-purpose outdoor cleaner. It easily removes dirt, grease and grime and is the perfect way to clean your wood in preparation for a maintenance coat of CUTEK® Extreme.

It is important for the user to determine the suitability of CUTEK® Quickclean for its intended application.
CUTEK® Quickclean should be used diluted. The dilution will vary depending on the type of surface being cleaned and the buildup of dirt/grease on the substrate.

ALWAYS test product on a small test area, referring to the dilution guidelines, before making a full mixture and applying to any large sections. As the substrates and conditions can vary significantly, testing will enable you to accurately estimate the dilution ratio, working time, and amount of CUTEK® Quickclean required to complete your project. It will also enable you to perfect the cleaning technique that works best for your situation.

NOTE: Not all stains can be removed with CUTEK® Quickclean. To rejuvenate greyed, weathered wood or to remove stubborn stains such as iron stains, water marks, tannins, resins, mould and fungus etc. you will need to use CUTEK® Wood Reviver.

CUTEK® Quickclean will not remove film coatings. If you need to remove film forming coatings, we recommend using CUTEK® Wood Stripper.

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PRECAUTIONS

Before you begin to Prepare and Protect your wood, note the hazards and precautions on the product label and ensure that you have obtained and know how to use the correct safety equipment. CUTEK® Quickclean is a hazardous chemical. It is important to refer to the health and safety considerations listed in the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) prior to starting your project.

When using CUTEK® Quickclean all adjacent surfaces and vegetation must be adequately protected. It is also important to be aware of the potential for damaging wind drift into areas with cars or pedestrian traffic when rinsing. Water flush all equipment, vegetation, paths, concrete, asphalt and other adjacent surfaces before and after contact.

DO NOT SWALLOW

CUTEK® Quickclean will make surfaces slippery, DO NOT walk on the surface until it is dry.

A full list of precautions and the SDS is available at www.cutekstain.com.

STEP 1 ▸ PREPARE

APPLICATION: Dilute the CUTEK® Quickclean concentrate with water as required and complete a test patch to ensure that the dilution being used is effective in cleaning. Wet your substrate with water prior to applying CUTEK® Quickclean. Apply diluted CUTEK® Quickclean liberally with a brush, roller, broom or low-pressure garden sprayer.

Let CUTEK® Quickclean do the work by leaving it on the surface for 5 to 15 minutes depending on the severity of dirt/ soiling/grease. It may be necessary to scrub stubborn stains moderately with a stiff fibre brush.

REMOVAL: Rinse off thoroughly, using a pressure washer set to approximately 50 bar (750 p.s.i.) with a fan jet pattern. Keep an operating distance of at least 4" from the wood.

CAUTION must be used to avoid damage to the wood fiber and 'furring up'. Adjust your cleaning process by reducing the pressure or your operating distance from the wood. DO NOT use "turbojets" on wood.

Rinse from the highest point and work down methodically using long even strokes in the direction of the grain.

Where pressure washing is not practical, rinse off with clean water from a bucket or a garden hose using a light scrubbing action with a stiff brush.

CLEAN-UP: Equipment may be cleaned with water. Ensure wash water is disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

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STEP 2 ▸ PROTECT

Following the cleaning of your wood, complete the maintenance process by protecting your wood with CUTEK® Extreme after ensuring it is completely dry with a moisture content less than 17% (this typically takes 2-3 days, however, this time can vary depending on ventilation and weather exposure).

Designed for and proven to work in the harshest of Canadian environments, CUTEK® Extreme penetrates and diffuses deeply into the wood core to protect against liquid and gas phase moisture and extend service life.



CUTEK® Extreme

High performance penetrating oil-based wood stabilizer with a unique self-healing effect that highlights the natural beauty of wood and controls moisture to improve dimensional stability and minimize cupping, warping and splitting.

Maintenance with CUTEK® Extreme is simple, easy and cost effective. Simply clean and recoat – no need to sand or strip.

For other hints, pro-tips and videos on how to use CUTEK® Prepare and Protect products, visit the CUTEK® website: cutekstain.com.