

Chemical resistance of Twinson® material

Twinson® material has been extensively tested on a large number of products that it may come into contact with during its application.

- ❖ Is resistant to: This product leaves no permanent mark on the material or the stain disappears in a short space of time after outside exposure.
- ❖ Is less resistant to: This product leaves a light mark on the material.
- ❖ Is not resistant to: This product leaves marks on the material that remain clearly visible.

Resistant to	Less resistant to	Not resistant to
Floor soap + water Concentrated bleach solution (chlorinated water)	Butter	Silicone (= a silicone based sealant)
	Milk	Acrylic paint
Concentrated ammonia	Sun cream	Synthetic paint
Road salt (for icy roads)	Vinegar	Shoe polish
Weed killer household product used to clean windows (e.g.Instanet)	Red wine	Felt-tip
	Ketchup	Deceuninck cleanup
White spirit chlorinated water used in swimming pools dish washing detergents (e.g.Dreft)	Candle wax	Lipstick
	Cement cleaner	PVC glue
		Strong acids
Coffee		Strong bases
Fruit juice		Acetone
Coca cola		
Drinking chocolate		
Chalk		
Isobetadine Silicone oil (=a silicone based Iubricant)		
Fuel oil (diesel & petrol) Lubricants based on petrol derived products (liquid & solid)		

Cement

Synthetic thinner

Graffiti cleaner





Cleanability of Twinson® material

Remember that any marks should be removed as soon as possible, using water, any mild cleaning product and a sponge. Consult the list below if marks have not disappeared or dried immediately.

Generic name	Product	Special cleaning instructions if not removed immediately (*)
Vegetable, animal and other fats & oils	Butter Milk Yoghurt Olive oil Salad oil Fondue oil Mayonnaise Cocktail sauce Frying oil Sun cream Lubricant Motor oil Petrol Heating oil	Spray O CLEAN on the mark and rub if desired. Leave to act for a few minutes, then rinse with large quantities of water.
Burns	Cigarettes Charcoal Ketchup	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
Stubborn food residues	Tomato puree Spaghetti sauce Red wine Fruit Instant soup	Scrub well with a diluted bleach solution, then rinse with large quantities of water. The use of a pressure washer (***) is recommended to remove stubborn residues.
Sugar–containing soft drinks	Coca cola Fruit juice Soft drinks	Scrub well with a diluted bleach solution, then rinse with large quantities of water. The use of a pressure washer (***) is recommended to remove stubborn residues.
Hot drinks	Coffee Tea	Scrub well with a diluted bleach solution, then rinse with large quantities of water. The use of a pressure washer (***) is recommended to remove stubborn residues.
General cleaning products	Floor soap Bleach solution 	





	Cement cleaner	Scrub well with a diluted bleach solution, then rinse with large quantities of water.
Special cleaning products	Deceuninck cleanup	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
	Graffiti cleaner	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
	O CLEAN Acetone MeCl MEK	
Organic solvents	Trichloroethylene Isopropanol Tetrahydrofuran Diethyl ether 	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
Acids	Sulphuric acid Nitric acid	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
Bases	Caustic soda Ammonia	Lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or steel wool (**).
Paint	Water-based	Remove paint with a filling knife and lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or
	Synthetic	steel wool (**).
	Silicone	Repeated treatment with O CLEAN.
Hardened materials	Glue	If this treatment is unsuccessful, remove material with a filling knife and lightly sand surfaces with fine sandpaper, a steel brush or
	Candle wax	steel wool (**).

- (*) If certain marks have not been removed immediately for any reason, they may dry on the surface. They typically fade or disappear after exposure to outside conditions (sun and water).
- (**) Sand in the direction of the grooves to prevent unnecessary damage to the surface. By removing the upper layer the original colour as established at installation is acquired. This minor difference will be rectified after no more than 12 weeks by which time the colour will be uniform.
- (***) Pressure washer (max 100 bar) combined where needed with a mild cleaning product. Always use the water jet in the direction of the grooves, avoiding any turning movements. Note: This must be set on single stream setting and not on multi stream





General schema

