

D/2 Biological Solution

A safe well tested cleaner to kill biological growth

There are a variety of ways to use D/2. Here are two methods that come straight from the manufacturer.

The Immediate Result Method

Apply D/2 Biological Solution with a brush, roller, hand pump sprayer (garden style pump sprayer) or low pressure power sprayer.

- 1...Allow undiluted D/2 to remain on the surface 10-15 minutes.
- 2...Apply additional D/2 as necessary to maintain a wet surface.
- 3...Scrub with soft nylon or natural bristle brush. DO NOT USE METAL BRUSH.
- 4...Lightly mist with water and continue scrubbing.
- 5...Rinse thoroughly with clean, potable water.
- 6...Reapply if rain occurs within 12 hours of application.

The No Scrub/No Rinse Method

- 1...Using a sprayer (pump-up, low pressure, or other,) wet the entire surface with D/2.
- 2...Allow to air dry.

D/2 works with the elements and results occur within one week to one month, depending on severity of soil. Reapply if rain occurs within 12 hours of application.

A Variety Of Methods Found By Others

Conservators in the field as well as others, have found additional D/2 cleaning methods based on those recommended by the manufacturer. You may find many of these methods could save you time and money. The following three methods are most preferred by conservators and those who have scrubbed a number of markers before.



Method 1

- 1...Dry brush and scrape the biological growth off first
- 2...Wet down the marker with water and scrub it thoroughly with water
- 3...Rinse off the marker thoroughly with water washing away the biological debris
- 4...Thoroughly mist coat the stone with D/2 and walk away

Method 2

- 1...Wet down the marker thoroughly and brush and scrape the biological growth off
- 2...Wet down the marker with water and scrub it thoroughly with water
- 3...Rinse off the marker thoroughly with water washing away the biological debris
- 4...Thoroughly mist coat the stone with D/2 and walk away



Method 3

- 1... Dry brush and scrape the biological growth off or Wet down the marker thoroughly and brush and scrape the biological growth off
- 2...Wet down the marker with water and scrub it thoroughly with Orvus Paste
- 3...Rinse off the marker thoroughly with water washing away the biological debris
- 4...Thoroughly mist coat the stone with D/2 and walk away

Whichever method you choose, or combination of methods, you cannot go wrong because D/2 is a proven safe product that involves no mixing. There is nothing you could make too strong or get wrong.

From the Manufacturer...A Further Treatment and Maintenance Program

Add years to the life of your property. After initial treatment of substrate, a once-a-year light spraying will help maintain a clean, stain-free surface. NOTE: Heavy biological deposits can be loosened using a low pressure washer (600 psi), and may require repeat applications of D/2 to achieve complete cleaning after detachment. Alternatively, heavy growth can be detached by manual scraping using wooden or plastic tools immediately after application. In the event of excessive plant exposure, rinse all plants and water-in all planted ground areas contacted by D/2.