

## BASWA Blonde

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### Product Description and Applications

Liquid hydrogen peroxide solution BASWA Blonde has been formulated for the partial bleaching of organically soiled or discolored BASWaphon surfaces. It is part of the BASWA maintenance concept and was developed for the cleaning and refurbishment of BASWA surfaces. Hence, it is compatible with other BASWA maintenance concept techniques (dry cleaning of heavily or partially soiled surface, restoring of the original color of surfaces discolored over time with BASWA Fresh). The partial bleaching of impurities in the surface with BASWA Blonde is not a substitute for complete refurbishment; however, it can significantly prolong the useful life of a BASWaphon surface. Its professional application lightens the organically soiled hue and gives the surface an aspect of freshness without impairing the acoustic performance capabilities (a slight shimmering effect will appear on the surface after multiple uses). BASWA Blonde can be used on white BASWaphon surfaces. If used on dyed surfaces, there is a risk of discoloration and clouding!

### Product Data

<b>Product basis</b>	Transparent and stabilized diluted hydrogen peroxide
<b>Item number</b>	a355
<b>Properties</b>	Bleaches partial organic impurities caused by beverage spots, green plants, blood, etc. in porous surfaces
<b>Consistency</b>	Liquid, transparent like water

<b>Preparation</b>	Before application, mechanically clean heavy, partial residue (dry cleaning) in compliance with the BASWA maintenance concept
<b>Consumption</b>	Max. 0.35 liters / m <sup>2</sup> (roller application)
<b>Storage</b>	Store in a tightly closed container in a dry, cool and dark place

## Delivery

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<b>Delivery packaging</b>	Bottles of 0.5 liters each (net); cap with pressure relief valve
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## Usage Provisions

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<b>Purpose</b>	Cleaning of acoustic surfaces (BASWaphon)
<b>Application</b>	<b>Partial:</b> Partially blot or apply with a foam roller <b>Complete surface coverage: not recommended!</b> The use of BASWA Clean F01 is recommended for full surface cleaning!
<b>Consumption</b>	About 0.17 liters / m <sup>2</sup> per work step
<b>Approx. job completion time</b>	5–10 min. / m <sup>2</sup> (1–2 work steps)
<b>Drying time</b>	About 12 h (based on 20° C / 50% rel. humidity)

### Base

The BASWaphon acoustic system surface has to be cleaned and / or repaired in accordance with the instructions in the BASWA maintenance concept. Before applying the product, it must be dry and free of any dust. Contact us for advice if the surface is heavily soiled.

### Preparatory work

Make certain that all adjacent elements and installations, walls and floors are covered with plastic film and floor liners to protect them during the application. Turn off ventilation and air conditioning systems.

### Scaffolding

For rooms that are up to 3 meters high, use a secured ladder.  
For rooms that are 3 meters and higher, use a wheeled scaffolding system.

## **Pre-treatment**

Heavily soiled or damaged surfaces must be prepared for treatment by specifically trained companies (certified BASWA partners). Repair any damages through the partial re-construction of the system. Dry clean heavy, partial residue of impurities before applying the product (see BASWA Maintenance Manual).

## **Handling**

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Only specifically trained companies (certified BASWA partners) must use BASWA Blonde.

Great care is required when bleaching organically soiled materials with BASWA Blonde. If the top coating of the BASWAphon is soaked too much, the surface may begin to macerate and even peel off. Repeat the application process a maximum of 4–5 times until the area to be bleached is sufficiently moistened with BASWA Blonde and slowly begins to lighten. Do not apply excessive moisture!

If you should observe surface deformations despite these precautions, smooth the surface back into its original form after about 10 minutes using a stainless steel Japan scraper. Exercise extreme caution – there is a risk that the stucco will peel off!

Depending on the type of impurity, the bleaching process will take between 20 and 120 minutes. If any minor residue should remain after the cleaned surface has completely dried, the process may be repeated; twice at the most. The chance of any further attempts to bleach the material completely after completing these steps are rather slim.

### **Blotting application**

Moisten the tip of the foam roller with BASWA Blonde and blot the soiled areas evenly with the moist tip. Repeat this process 2–3 times until the area which is to be bleached has been sufficiently moistened with BASWA Blonde and slowly begins to lighten up. Do not apply excessive moisture!

### **Roller application**

Place some BASWA Blonde into a paint roller tub and roll the foam roller in it to pick up the BASWA Blonde. Roll the product evenly across the soiled area. Repeat this process 2–3 times until the area to be bleached has been sufficiently moistened with BASWA Blonde and slowly begins to lighten up. Do not apply excessive moisture!

### **Handling conditions**

When working in enclosed areas, make sure they are properly ventilated < 30° C / > 15° C.

### **Setting conditions**

Air dry. When completely dry (< 10% moisture).

## Important handling instructions

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**BASWA Clean F01 must not be used in combination with BASWA Blonde (hydrogen peroxide H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 10%)!** The interaction between the two products will produce undesirable bubbles in the topcoat!

Detailed information can be found in BASWA Maintenance Manual, which is issued to specifically trained companies (certified BASWA partners).

## Important safety information

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Before performing any cleaning work, generously cover the entire area beneath and adjacent to the cleaning work to prevent undesirable bleaching effects on other materials. Make absolutely certain you wear protective goggles for your eyes, gloves on your hands as well as respiratory masks!



For more information concerning product safety during transportation, storage and handling as well as on proper disposal, please consult the BASWA Safety Data Sheet ([www.baswa.com](http://www.baswa.com)).

## Disclaimer

The above information, in particular the recommendations for the handling and use of our products, is based on our know-how and experiences under normal circumstances, provided the products have been properly stored and applied. Given the diversity of the materials, base materials and deviating working conditions, warranties for the achievement of work results or any liabilities, regardless of the legal relationship, may neither be construed from the information provided herein, nor any verbal advice given unless we are culpable of acts of intent or gross neglect in conjunction with such claims. In such cases the user shall be required to prove that the user has provided BASWA with all knowledge required for the proper and successful assessment by BASWA in timely manner, completely and in writing. The user shall undertake to verify that the products are suitable suitability for the intended application. BASWA reserves the right to change the product specifications. Third party intellectual property rights shall be observed. Incidentally, our respective sales and delivery terms and conditions shall apply. The respective latest version of our product data sheet shall apply; it is available from us upon request.