

We used to have a large ficus tree on our marble floor. When it died, we removed it and found a brown stain where the plant had sat. What should we use to remove this stain?

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The brown stain is the result of minerals from the soil of the ficus tree. This type of stain is difficult to remove and will require a poultice. Refer to the book “Stain Removal Guide for Stone” and apply the poultice as instructed.

TIP To remove the stain try a poultice with 50% hydrogen peroxide. Let the poultice stay on the spot for at least 24 hours. If the peroxide doesn't do the trick you may want to try a product called “Iron-Out”.

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