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## OMEGA Heavy Duty Paint Stripper

### Product Data Sheet

#### Product Description

**OMEGA HEAVY DUTY PAINT STRIPPER** is a heavy-duty paint and coating remover, which is non-flammable, super strong and quick acting. It has a non-alkali formula, which is solvent-based and will not damage bared surfaces

#### Areas of Application

- Removes coatings from wood, plaster, metal and glass
- Removes enamel paints
- Removes varnishes
- Softens acrylic paints and old glue
- Removes bitumen

#### Technical Data

Appearance	: Translucent paste
Thinning & Clean Up	: Not required. Clean with water
Coverage	: Approximately 1 sqm. per litre
Softening time	: 10-20 minutes on enamels
Packs available	: 5L, 10L, 20L
Shelf life	: 1 year

#### Method of Application

Ensure good ventilation by opening all windows before use. Remove all loose material from surface. Sanding the surface will speed up the stripping process

Do not dilute OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER. Apply OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER to small areas at a time with a brush. Spread a heavy layer evenly over the surface. Do not brush it out thinly like paint. Leave for approximately 15 minutes until paint or

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coating has softened. Remove paint with metal scraper. Steel wool can be used in difficult areas. More than one application may be needed to completely remove the coating; therefore repeat the application if necessary. Wipe the scraped surface with water to remove any excess OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER and allow the surface to dry. Dispose of removed paint carefully. Keep lid closed between applications. If Applied by brush, horse hair or similar is most suitable

\*Notes: Some coatings are difficult to remove, such as two part varnishes, acrylic paints and old glue. To improve efficiency of OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER, cover the applied product with plastic sheeting (tape in place if necessary) and leave for 1 hour. This prevents the drying out of the stripper and the active solvent component has more time to soften the coating

### **Handling & Storage**

Do not store the product in direct sunlight, as this can lead pressurisation of the container or in areas that are prone to higher temperatures.

OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER has a shelf life of at least 12 months if stored in a cool (below 25°C), dry place in its original moisture-tight container

If the material is kept beyond the recommended shelf life, it is not necessarily unusable, but a check should be performed to observe whether the product is still useable

To maximize the shelf life of the opened container, it would be advisable to create an airtight environment by screwing on the lid tightly after use and storing in a cool environment

### **Health & Safety Information**

Read Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) prior to using.

Open OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER container with caution and away from face as contents may be under pressure. When working with product, it is advisable to wear gloves and safety glasses in order to avoid direct contact with the skin or eyes. If product comes in contact with skin or eyes, flush thoroughly and immediately with water. If irritation continues, seek medical attention. Always work in a well-ventilated area. Do not breathe in vapours. For unventilated areas, a NIOSH approved respirator will be necessary. Keep OMEGA PAINT STRIPPER out of reach of children!

Refer to our Material Safety Data Sheets for further toxicological information and comprehensive handling instructions