



**Product Number: 657A**

**Product Name: Multi-Strip Professional Paint Remover**

## **USE AND SAFETY INFORMATION**

\*Capable of removing up to 15 layers in a single application using a stripping tool.

- Biodegradable • Non-Flammable • Low Odor • Water Clean-up
- No drip formula clings to vertical surfaces and completely fills detailed areas.
- Use on interior or exterior surfaces including wood, plaster, concrete, brick, stone, masonry, marble, metal and veneers. (DO NOT use on sheetrock, plastic, rubber or linoleum surfaces) Stir only. **DO NOT SHAKE. DO A TEST AREA FIRST TO DETERMINE RESULTS.**

**Directions:** Mask any areas not being stripped with plastic and masking tape. Apply MULTI-STRIP liberally to the surface with a brush, 1/2" nap paint roller, or putty knife so that the remover completely masks or covers the color of the surface to be stripped. **Do not brush out too thin like a coat of paint.** Coverage is approximately 60-100 sq. ft. per gallon. Check applied area at 2-4 hours, then periodically thereafter. As a rule of thumb, the greater the layers of paint, the longer the product should be left on. The stripper will usually remove 8-12 layers of paint in 24 hours. More layers of paint (20+) may take longer (2-3+ days). Use a stiff putty knife to lift paint from flat surfaces or a stiff bristle brush for detailed areas. After initial lifting, use a nylon brush or stripping pad with READY-STRIP Paint Remover Wash or light amounts of water to remove any residue. Final clean-up should be done with water. No need to neutralize (acid wash) surface. Surface should be completely dry before painting. Clean tools promptly after use with soap and water

In some situations where there are newer latex paints on top of oil paints, the top coats may soften easily causing the surface to pull away (usually in 2-6 hours). If this occurs, scrape off paint and reapply immediately, if necessary to penetrate bottom layers. A thinner coat is all that is needed to remove the latex. Follow with a thicker coat.

**Hints: Give the stripper the proper time to penetrate the layers or you defeat its purpose.** Misting the area to be removed with water prior to removal may make lifting of the coating easier. If desired results are not achieved at first, leave stripper on longer if still wet, or apply a thicker coat. If still tacky and moist, reapply stripper over itself. If completely dry, scrape off and reapply. Product activity is reduced below a temp. of 60°F and may require additional dwell time before all layers of paint are removed.

**CAUTIONS:** CONTAINS ETHYL-3-ETHOXYPROPIONATE, BENZYL ALCOHOL, DIBASIC ESTERS, AND FORMIC ACID. Do not transfer to unlabeled containers. May cause eye and skin irritation on contact. Close container after use.

**WARNING:** THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS CHEMICALS KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER AND BIRTH DEFECTS, OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

**SAFETY & FIRST AID:** Rubber gloves and safety glasses are recommended for eye and skin protection. Avoid eye contact. If eye contact occurs, immediately flush with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Avoid prolonged and repeated contact with skin. If skin contact occurs, wash with soap and water. Do not take internally. If swallowed do not induce vomiting. Give 1 or 2 glasses of water and call a physician immediately. Provide adequate ventilation in confined areas or use NIOSH approved respirator.

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

California SCAQMD Rule 443.1:Max.: VOC 566 g/L; Max Vapor Pressure of VOC: 28.5 mm Hg. Nonv photochemically Reactive. Less than 50% VOC.