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Product Description

3M™ Floor Stripper is designed to remove floor finishes and sealers from hard floors easily and completely, including finishes hardened by frequent burnishing. It aggressively attacks heavily built-up finish and has an easy rinsing formula. It provides fast, thorough and uniform stripping results.

Special Features

- Aggressively removes finishes and sealers, including finishes hardened by frequent burnishing, excess finish buildup and tough metal interlock finishes.
- Easy-rinsing formula.
- Non-ammoniated formula is comfortable to work with, even in confined areas.
- Provides fast, thorough and uniform results.
- Low-foaming formula

Where and When to Use

- Use to remove all water-based floor finishes and sealers prior to the application of floor finish or sealer.
- Do not use on wood floors or floorings (such as linoleum) that may be affected by highly alkaline cleaners.

Packaging

- 2-1/2 gal. plastic containers - 2 per case.

General Use Directions

Dilution of Concentrate:

Mix 1 part concentrate with 4 parts warm water (32 ounces per gallon of water) to remove most finishes and sealers.

Mix 1 part concentrate with 2 parts warm water (64 ounces per gallon of water) to remove heavy buildup or finish hardened by frequent burnishing.

Floors

1. Dispense 3M™ Floor Stripper using the above-mentioned dilution ratios into a mop bucket.
2. Sweep or dust mop the floor.
3. Properly locate caution signs for wet floor conditions.
4. Liberally apply the diluted stripper solution with a mop (100 sq. ft./gallon), leaving the floor uniformly wet.

Note: Floors become very slippery when stripper softens finish.

5. Allow 5-10 minutes for the stripper to penetrate and soften the finish. Observe the floor and apply additional diluted stripper to areas that may be drying out.
6. Use a low-speed floor machine (175 rpm) with the appropriate 3M stripping pad to thoroughly remove the old finish from the floor.
7. Pick up the soiled solution with a wet vacuum.
8. Flood rinse the floor with clean water and remove with wet vacuum.
9. Check dry floor for residue by wiping with dry hand. If residue is observed, repeat step 8 to ensure full removal.
10. Inspect floor for any remaining finish and repeat steps 4-9 as necessary to remove fully.
11. Mop the floor with a tightly wrung mop of clean water.
12. Let the floor dry completely before applying new finish.

Note: If more than 10 coats, contact 3M Rep for ideas on how to quickly remove.

Note: To remove heavy buildup especially along baseboards, apply 3M™ brand TroubleShooter cleaner and scrub using a 3M™ brand Doodlebug Pad Holder fitted with a 3M™ brand Doodlebug pad.

Note: When using an automatic scrubber equipped with the appropriate 3M pad, remember to allow the stripping solution to remain wet on the floor for at least five minutes before agitation and pickup.

Note: Refer to product Safety Data Sheet SDS (19-4136-8) for specific health hazard, first aid and precautionary information.

Precautionary Summary

Do not use on soft metal and plastic surfaces, painted surfaces or other surfaces that are easily scratched.

Health and Safety

When handling any chemical products, read the manufacturers' container labels and the Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for important health, safety and environmental information. To obtain SDS sheets for 3M products, go to 3M.com/SDS, or by mail; or in case of an emergency, call 1-888-364-3577 or 1-651-737-6501. When using any equipment, always follow the manufacturers' instructions for safe operation.

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Product Use

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