

**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

**SMART 'N AMERICAN™ PAINT & VARNISH REMOVER GEL** with **ORANGE CITRUS SCENT** effectively removes up to 15 layers of acrylic, latex, oil, and water-based paints, coatings, and varnishes. This powerful, non-drip citrus scented gel formula clings to virtually ALL indoor and outdoor surfaces. It's a perfect choice for DIY projects like furniture, cabinets, moldings, doors, bathtubs, decks, and more!

**PAINT & VARNISH REMOVER GEL** removes even the toughest paints and coatings without the need for ANY caustic chemicals. This water-based formula does NOT contain dangerous methylene chloride or NMP commonly found in many other paint removers.

**MAIN FEATURES & BENEFITS:**

- Do it Yourself Friendly Paint and Varnish Remover.
- Strips Acrylic, Latex, Oil, and Water-Based Paints, Varnishes, Stains, and Coatings.
- Does **NOT** Contain Methylene Chloride, NMP, or Any Caustic Chemicals.
- Can Remove Up to 15 Layers of Coatings in a Single Application.
- Ideal for Wood (furniture, doors, floors, and cabinets), Brick (fireplaces, walls), and Much More!  
See full list under "Recommended Substrates".
- Water-Based Citrus Gel Formula that Clings to Vertical Surfaces.
- Suitable for Interior and Exterior Applications.
- pH Neutral and Non-Flammable.
- Made in the USA with High Quality Globally Sourced Ingredients.

**TECHNICAL DATA:**

<b>FORM:</b>	Yellow Viscous Liquid Gel
<b>WEIGHT/QT:</b>	Approx. 3 lbs.
<b>pH:</b>	6-7 pH
<b>FREEZING POINT:</b>	32°F / 0°C
<b>COVERAGE:</b>	Approx. 10 - 15 sq. ft. per quart.
<b>SHELF LIFE:</b>	Approx. 3 years when stored in a tightly sealed container at room temperature, in a clean, dry environment.

**RECOMMENDED SUBSTRATES:**

For use on brick, cast iron, cement, concrete, copper, enamel, granite, iron, marble, plaster, steel, slate, stone, terra cotta, terrazzo, tin, and wood. Not recommended for use on some types of glass, plexiglass, some plastics, vinyl, or rubber. If you do not see your substrate in this section, or are unsure of compatibility, perform a small test to determine product efficiency.

**LIMITATIONS:**

**Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** works on almost all types of paints and coatings. ALWAYS perform a test before full application, to ensure product effectiveness.

**TESTING:**

Always perform a test with this product **BEFORE** a full-scale application. Testing is the best way to ensure product effectiveness, application thickness, and proper dwell time for your specific project. Failure to do a test patch may result in failed applications, unnecessary additional applications, or application of the wrong product.

**SURFACE & AIR TEMPERATURES:**

**Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** is a water-based removal gel, thus the product can freeze, evaporate, or harden depending on the temperature. This product is designed for temperatures between 40°F/4.4°C to 90°F/32.2°C. It can be applied outside this range; however, effectiveness may be reduced, and work time may be affected. Surface temperature is usually 10 to 12 degrees colder or hotter than the air temperature, depending on the substrate. Keep this in mind during the colder or warmer months. Product may not perform below 40°F/4.4°C.

**PREPARATION:**

Prepare the surface by pressure washing or rinsing the substrate to remove any loose debris or coatings. Allow the substrate to dry before applying **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel**. Protect and cover all areas with plastic where paint removal is not desired.

**APPLICATION & SPREAD RATE:**

Apply using a brush, roller, or airless sprayer. Product should be applied approximately 1/8" to 1/4" thick, depending on the type of coating and number of layers being removed. Refer to test for best results. When a second coat is required, 1/8" thickness should be sufficient.

For an airless sprayer, ensure it can pump at least ¾ gallon per minute or greater. Use a new 3/8th inch hose line with a .25 to .31 textured tip. Remove all filters and lower the pressure before spraying. Do not leave any remaining product in the sprayer or spray line for an extended time. Keep a clean bucket of water available after use to alleviate clogs and flush the pump.

**DWELL TIME:**

The time required for softening/lifting of coatings will vary according to the number of layers, type of coating being removed, and surface temperature. Testing will help determine the proper work time. Higher temperatures will speed up the removal process, but the product may dry out more quickly.

Allow 1 - 24 hours to remove paint layers. **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** must remain in a wet state to work properly. Check product periodically to ensure gel hasn't dried out. Do not leave product on surface for more than 24 hours. Do not allow **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** to dry out and harden.

**REMOVAL:**

To remove **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel**, use a scraping tool or pressure washer. Clean 1 - 2 sq. ft. of area at a time. This will prevent other sections from drying out during removal. Insert a trowel, spatula, or paint scraping tool underneath the paste and lift while slowly scraping. Product should come away from the surface easily.

Scrub all surfaces clean with a sponge or nylon bristle brush and water, or a pressure washer. Rinse thoroughly with water to ensure all remaining residue is removed. Collect paint and product residue in plastic bags and dispose of it in compliance with federal, state, and local regulations.

If **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** has dried out, it will harden and adhere to the substrate. If this has occurred, remove as much product as possible, and apply additional **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** to the surface to reactivate the dry material. Let sit for 1 – 2 hours and then fully remove.

**AVAILABILITY:**

**Smart 'n American Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** is available in 1 Quart containers exclusively at Walmart retail stores and at [www.walmart.com](http://www.walmart.com). Product may not be available online in all areas, see web listing for details.

**HEALTH & SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:**

The full Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for **Paint & Varnish Remover Gel** can be found online by clicking this link: [www.dumondglobal.com](http://www.dumondglobal.com). View the SDS **BEFORE** product use for required safety information.

**CAUTION: KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

Contains: Benzyl alcohol and Calcined Kaolin

**ADVICE ON SAFE HANDLING:** Avoid contact with skin, eyes, or clothing. Wear protective gloves and clothing as needed and remove after handling this product. Wash thoroughly after handling before eating, drinking, smoking, or using toilet facilities. Avoid breathing product vapors. Store in a dry, cool, and well-ventilated place.

For additional emergency assistance, please call **1-800-535-5053** in the United States.

International assistance is available at **1-325-323-3500**. Both numbers are available **24/7/365**.

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