



**ZINSSER®
POWER STRIPPER**

DESCRIPTION AND USES

Zinsser® Power Stripper is designed to remove up to 5 layers of finish in one application. This non-flammable, semi-paste formula clings to rounded and vertical surfaces to make removal easy. It quickly attacks the finish and lightens wood stain but will not harm wood or corrode metal. Use on wood, metal, masonry, marine and automotive finishes removing latex and oil-based paint, lacquer, shellac, varnish, epoxy and polyurethane finishes.

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

- Clings to round and vertical surfaces
- Works in 10 minutes
- Excellent for wood, metal, masonry & marine

PRODUCTS

SKU	Description
42151	1-Gallon
42154	1-Quart

PRODUCT APPLICATION

SURFACE PREPARATION

Spread a solvent resistant drop cloth covered with newspapers around the work area in case of drips and spills. Protect eyes and skin. Wear safety goggles and chemical resistant gloves. Keep away from heat, sparks and flames.

WARNING! If you scrape, sand or remove old paint, you may release lead dust. LEAD IS TOXIC. EXPOSURE TO LEAD DUST CAN CAUSE SERIOUS ILLNESS, SUCH AS BRAIN DAMAGE, ESPECIALLY IN CHILDREN. PREGNANT WOMEN SHOULD ALSO AVOID EXPOSURE. Wear a NIOSH-Approved respirator to control lead exposure. Clean up carefully with a HEPA vacuum and a wet mop. Before you start, find out how to protect yourself and your family by contacting the National Lead Information Hotline at 1-800-424-LEAD or log on to www.epa.gov/lead.

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APPLICATION

USE ONLY WITH ADEQUATE VENTILATION. Apply only when air and surface temperatures are between 65-90°F (18-32°C) and the relative humidity is below 85%. Shake can before using and open can carefully to relieve pressure. Pour Zinsser Power Stripper into a glass or metal container. Use an inexpensive natural bristle brush to apply a heavy coat in one direction. Allow to sit for 10 minutes for maximum penetration. The time required will vary depending on the thickness and type of coating being removed. If another coat of stripper is necessary, wait until the first coat is dissolved before removing.

Remove old, softened finish with a plastic stripping tool or scraper. Clean grooves with stripping tool or scrub brush. Use steel wool to scrub stubborn spots. Reapply a light coat of stripper. Make sure finish is completely dissolved before washing. To further remove wood stains, use Zinsser Wood Bleach. For best results, wash surface with Zinsser Stripper Wash before refinishing.

SPILLAGE

Open containers carefully and close after each use. If spilled, contain spilled material and remove with an inert absorbent. Dispose of contaminated absorbent, container and unused contents in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Clean up rags, papers and waste promptly. Allow solvent to evaporate, then dispose of in a metal container.

CLEAN-UP

Clean up tools and brushes with soap and water.

**TECHNICAL DATA****ZINSSER® POWER STRIPPER****PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Physical Properties		POWER STRIPPER
Composition		Methylene Chloride, Methanol, Alcohol Solvent Blend
Weight	Per Gallon	9.7 lbs.
	Per Liter	1.16 kg
Volatile Organic Compounds		224 g/l
Practical Coverage		Varies with thickness and type of coating
Shelf Life		5 years
Flash Point		>200°F (93°C)
Caution!		Cannot be made non-poisonous. Causes burns to eyes and skin, nose and throat irritation. Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause allergic skin reaction. Wash thoroughly after handling. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.
Safety Information		For additional information, see SDS

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