



Material Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME: Safest Stripper(TM) Paint and Varnish Remover, Catalog Nos. 10100, 10101, 10102, and 10103

MANUFACTURER: 3M

DIVISION: Construction and Home Improvement Markets

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Product Use:

Intended Use: paint and varnish remover

SECTION 2: INGREDIENTS

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>C.A.S. No.</u>	<u>% by Wt</u>
WATER	7732-18-5	65 - 75
DIMETHYL ADIPATE	627-93-0	20 - 30
DIMETHYL GLUTARATE	1119-40-0	1 - 5
SMECTITE	12199-37-0	1 - 5

SECTION 3: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

3.1 EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Odor, Color, Grade: off white, slight ester odor.

General Physical Form: Liquid

Immediate health, physical, and environmental hazards:

3.2 POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Eye Contact:

Mild Eye Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include redness, pain, and tearing.

Skin Contact:

Mild Skin Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, and itching.

Inhalation:

Respiratory Tract Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

Ingestion:

Gastrointestinal Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 FIRST AID PROCEDURES

The following first aid recommendations are based on an assumption that appropriate personal and industrial hygiene practices are followed.

Eye Contact: Flush eyes with large amounts of water. If signs/symptoms persist, get medical attention.

Skin Contact: Wash affected area with soap and water. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

Inhalation: Remove person to fresh air. If signs/symptoms develop, get medical attention.

If Swallowed: Do not induce vomiting unless instructed to do so by medical personnel. Give victim two glasses of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention.

SECTION 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES

Autoignition temperature	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flash Point	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Flammable Limits - LEL	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flammable Limits - UEL	<i>No Data Available</i>

5.2 EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Material will not burn.

5.3 PROTECTION OF FIRE FIGHTERS

Special Fire Fighting Procedures: Wear full protective equipment (Bunker Gear) and a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Not applicable.

Note: See STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (SECTION 10) for hazardous combustion and thermal decomposition information.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions

Evacuate unprotected and untrained personnel from hazard area. The spill should be cleaned up by qualified personnel. Ventilate the area with fresh air. For large spill, or spills in confined spaces, provide mechanical ventilation to disperse or exhaust vapors, in accordance with good industrial hygiene practice. Warning! A motor could be an ignition source and could cause flammable gases or vapors in the spill area to burn or explode.

Environmental procedures

For larger spills, cover drains and build dikes to prevent entry into sewer systems or bodies of water. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities.

Clean-up methods

Contain spill. Working from around the edges of the spill inward, cover with bentonite, vermiculite, or commercially available inorganic absorbent material. Mix in sufficient absorbent until it appears dry. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Seal the container.

In the event of a release of this material, the user should determine if the release qualifies as reportable according to local, state, and federal regulations.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 HANDLING

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water. Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. Avoid eye contact with vapors, mists, or spray. Keep out of the reach of children. Avoid contact with oxidizing agents.

7.2 STORAGE

Store away from acids. Store away from oxidizing agents.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Use with appropriate local exhaust ventilation. Provide local exhaust ventilation at transfer points. Use in a well-ventilated area. If exhaust ventilation is not available, use appropriate respiratory protection. Use general dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation to control airborne exposures to below Occupational Exposure Limits and/or control mist, vapor, or spray. If ventilation is not adequate, use respiratory protection equipment.

8.2 PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

8.2.1 Eye/Face Protection

Avoid eye contact with vapors, mists, or spray.

8.2.2 Skin Protection

Avoid skin contact. Select and use gloves and/or protective clothing to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible materials.

If irritation of the skin occurs, discontinue use. The use of gloves is recommended for removal of the stripper and paint residue if prolonged contact may occur. Wash thoroughly after use.

8.2.3 Respiratory Protection

Avoid breathing of vapors, mists or spray. Consult the current 3M Respirator Selection Guide for additional information or call 1-800-243-4630 for 3M technical assistance.

8.2.4 Prevention of Swallowing

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water.

8.3 EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>Authority</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Limit</u>	<u>Additional Information</u>
DIMETHYL ADIPATE	CMRG	TWA, as Dimethyl Esters	1.5 ppm	
DIMETHYL GLUTARATE	CMRG	TWA, as Dimethyl Esters	1.5 ppm	

SOURCE OF EXPOSURE LIMIT DATA:

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CMRG: Chemical Manufacturer Recommended Guideline

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration

AIHA: American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environmental Exposure Level (WEEL)

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Odor, Color, Grade:	off white, slight ester odor.
General Physical Form:	Liquid
Autoignition temperature	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flash Point	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Flammable Limits - LEL	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flammable Limits - UEL	<i>No Data Available</i>
Boiling point	>=100 °C
Density	<i>No Data Available</i>
Vapor Density	<i>No Data Available</i>
Vapor Pressure	Approximately 8 mmHg [<i>Details: CONDITIONS: 77 degrees F</i>]

Specific Gravity	1.00 - 1.03 [<i>Ref Std:</i> WATER=1]
pH	Approximately 7
Melting point	<i>No Data Available</i>
Solubility In Water	<i>No Data Available</i>
Evaporation rate	Approximately 1 [<i>Ref Std:</i> WATER=1] [<i>Details:</i> CONDITIONS: Estimated, based on formulation.]
Volatile Organic Compounds	Approximately 216 g/l [<i>Test Method:</i> South Cost Air Qual Mgmt Dist]
Kow - Oct/Water partition coef	<i>No Data Available</i>
Percent volatile	94 - 97 % weight
VOC Less H2O & Exempt Solvents	<i>No Data Available</i>
Viscosity	60000.0 - 110000.0 centipoise

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable.

Materials and Conditions to Avoid:

10.1 Conditions to avoid

Temperatures above the boiling point

10.2 Materials to avoid

Strong acids

Strong bases

Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous Polymerization: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products

<u>Substance</u>	<u>Condition</u>
Carbon monoxide	Not Specified
Carbon dioxide	Not Specified

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Please contact the address listed on the first page of the MSDS for Toxicological Information on this material and/or its components.

SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not determined.

CHEMICAL FATE INFORMATION

Not determined.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method: Incinerate in an industrial or commercial facility in the presence of a combustible material.

EPA Hazardous Waste Number (RCRA): Not regulated

Since regulations vary, consult applicable regulations or authorities before disposal.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ID Number(s):

70-0702-4874-8, 70-0702-4875-5, 70-0702-4876-3, 70-0702-5448-0, 70-0702-5449-8, 70-0702-5450-6, 70-0703-1086-0, 70-0703-1087-8, 70-0703-5787-9, 70-0703-6043-6, 70-0703-6073-3, 70-0703-6149-1, 70-0703-8518-5, 70-0703-8789-2, 70-0704-1340-9, 70-0704-1382-1, 70-0704-1931-5, 70-0704-1932-3, 70-0704-6281-0, 70-0704-7032-6, 70-0704-7033-4, 70-0704-7034-2, 70-0704-7104-3, 70-0705-2898-2, 70-0705-5395-6, 70-0705-8855-6, 70-0705-8856-4, 70-0705-8857-2, 70-0706-3646-2, 70-0707-9597-9, 70-0707-9598-7, 70-0707-9599-5, 70-0711-8727-5, 70-0714-9458-0, XT-0004-4414-8

For Transport Information, please visit <http://3M.com/Transportinfo> or call 1-800-364-3577 or 651-737-6501.

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

US FEDERAL REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

311/312 Hazard Categories:

Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No Immediate Hazard - Yes Delayed Hazard - No

STATE REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

CHEMICAL INVENTORIES

The components of this product are in compliance with the chemical notification requirements of TSCA.

All applicable chemical ingredients in this material are listed on the European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances (EINECS), or are exempt polymers whose monomers are listed on EINECS.

Contact 3M for more information.

INTERNATIONAL REGULATIONS

Contact 3M for more information.

This MSDS has been prepared to meet the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Hazard Classification

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Special Hazards: None

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) hazard ratings are designed for use by emergency response personnel to address the hazards that are presented by short-term, acute exposure to a material under conditions of fire, spill, or similar emergencies. Hazard ratings are primarily based on the inherent physical and toxic properties of the material but also include the toxic properties of combustion or decomposition products that are known to be generated in significant quantities.

HMIS Hazard Classification

Health: 1 Flammability: 0 Reactivity: 0 Protection: B

Hazardous Material Identification System (HMIS(r)) hazard ratings are designed to inform employees of chemical hazards in the workplace. These ratings are based on the inherent properties of the material under expected conditions of normal use and are not intended for use in emergency situations. HMIS(r) ratings are to be used with a fully implemented HMIS(r) program. HMIS(r) is a registered mark of the National Paint and Coatings Association (NPCA).

Reason for Reissue: The MSDS has been revised because 3M has adopted the 16-section ANSI/ISO format. The potential hazards of the product have not changed. We encourage you to reread the MSDS and review the information.

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Section 2: Ingredient table was modified.

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Section 6: Personal precautions heading was added.

Section 10.1 Conditions to avoid heading was added.

Section 10.2 Materials to avoid heading was added.

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