Peel Away® Marine Safety Strip Pro is a revolutionary new concept in marine paint removal. Environmentally safer: will remove antifouling and other marine paints from fiberglass (will not attack gel coat), wood, metal (including aluminum), and easily removes varnishes and urethanes from teak woods.

Advantages: Environmentally safer. Does not contain Methylene Chloride, caustic or flammable solvents. Stays effective longer. Clings to vertical surfaces. Can be applied by brush, roller or sprayed. Will remove antifouling and most other marine paints and varnishes from fiberglass gel coats, wood and metal (including aluminum).

Limitations: Efficiency is reduced when the ambient temperature is below 50° F (10° C). Will not work on some two-part epoxy coatings.

Caution: When you are removing bottom paint, Peel Away may remove epoxy barrier coat. Some patching compounds may be affected. Precautions should be taken not to remove any sealants.

Important Test Area: The surface type or condition may be unknown before the paint is removed. To ensure satisfactory results, it is advised a small test area be stripped before beginning a project.

Preparation: All areas not to be stripped, including boot stripe, should be protected with proper tape and plastic. Lay plastic under and around the area you are stripping. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and goggles.

Application: Depending on thickness of paint, apply product generously up to 1/8" (3mm) thick with a wide brush. Do not brush back and forth more than a couple of times. (You should feel a cushion of paste under the cloth.) Cover paste with laminated cloth printed side out. Gently rub surface of cloth to increase contact with paste and to remove air pockets (a paint roller can be used).

Spraying: A Graco 1000 airless sprayer or equivalent with a 23/1000 tip can be used. **Note:** The internal packings should be teflon or equivalent.

Dwell Time: Dwell time can be between 4 and 24 hours. Check test patches after 4 hours and then after 8 hours. If coatings are not completely dissolved, leave on overnight. (When checking test patches, remove residue with Peel Away All Purpose Cleaner and Surface Prep or Mineral Spirits.)

Removal: Remove by sliding a broad putty knife along substrate removing bulk of the paste and paint onto the laminated cloth. Put paint, paste and cloth into a container or plastic bag. Wipe on Peel Away All Purpose Cleaner and Surface Prep or Mineral Spirits and agitate with a course synthetic wool pad. Limit cleaning area to 20–40 sq.ft. (6.1 sq m –12.2 sq m). Use a large sponge and water to remove dissolved residue. If some paint still remains, a second application of Peel Away Marine Safety Strip Pro may be necessary. Repeat test patch process, but dwell time on second application should only be 1–2 hours maximum.

Disposal: Collect residue and dispose of in compliance with local regulations.

Storage: Keep in a cool place. **Spillage:** Wash down with water.

Health and Safety Instructions: Applicators should wear rubber gloves, goggles and protective clothing to avoid contact. If clean running water is not immediately available on site, always keep a large bucket of clean water available in the working are with the lid on, marked "Clean Water for Emergency Use Only."

CONTENTS HARMFUL. FUMES HARMFUL. MAY IRRITATE EYES AND SKIN. Do not mix with any other product or chemical. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Do not breathe vapours.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Wear rubber gloves. Use only in a well-ventilated area.

FIRST AID TREATMENT: Contains dimethyl glutarate, and dimethyl adipate. If swallowed, call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING. IF IN EYES, OR ON SKIN, RINSE WELL WITH WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. IF ON CLOTHES, REMOVE CLOTHES. IF BREATHED IN. MOVE PERSON INTO FRESH AIR.

Contains: Dibasic Ester 1119-40-0, 627-93-0; n-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone 872-50-4; Aluminum Silicate 1332-58-7; Nonvlphenol ethoxylate 68412-54-4. VOC Content: 762a/L. Rev. 10/97

Fiberglass: Some gel coats are more chemically resistant than others. While Peel Away Marine Safety Strip Pro is made with less aggressive chemicals, it is important to do a small test patch below the natural water line to ensure satisfactory results.

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