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RIP TIDE

STRIPPER

TDS 220

PURPOSE

Sealer Stripper & Paint Spot Remover	Strips acrylic, acrylic latex, polyurethane and other resin coatings and sealers
	Removes latex and oil based paint spots

POWERFUL SEALER STRIPPER

FEATURES

Reliable Application Process	 Effectively strips away a variety of sealers * Spray, Scrub and Rinse Application 	
Clean Rinse Technology	• Easily rinse away old sealer and stripper residue with a low or high pressure washer	
Biodegradable	Cleaner residue breaks down quickly in soil	
Ready To Use Formula	No dilution necessary	

SUITABLE SURFACES

- Concrete & Clay Pavers
- Natural & Manufactured Stone
- Travertine
- Flat Concrete

- Segmental Retaining Wall Blocks
- Concrete Walls
- Exposed Aggregate
- Not for use on asphalt

Use caution on wet cast pavers & stamped concrete - may cause damage to color of the surface.

PERFORM A TEST IN A SMALL AREA TO VERIFY SUITABILITY AND DWELL TIME BEFORE STRIPPING ENTIRE SURFACE.

*Rip Tide will remove most film forming Trident Sealers. Not appropriate for use with Break Wall, Sea Wall, Barrier, Jetty, Hurricane Cat 3 and Cat 5.

COVERAGE PER GALLON

APPLICATION	SQ FEET	SQ METERS
All Surfaces	125 - 250	11.6 - 23.2

Coverage based on single treatment. Some applications may require additional treatments.

SURFACE PREPARATION/PRE-TESTING

- Remove all loose soil and debris from surface.
- **Cover/protect** adjacent and surrounding surfaces not intended to be stripped from stripper, old sealer and rinse water. Cover foliage with plastic sheeting or other proven protective material.
- **TEST FIRST:** Before using Rip Tide, test on a small, inconspicuous area to determine the suitability for removing the desired sealer from the surface. Allow test area to dry thoroughly before evaluating final appearance and results. Testing should confirm effectiveness of stripper and necessary dwell time.
- Evaluate waste water disposal. It may be necessary to manage waste water containing old sealer and stripper by reclamation to prevent run-off into storm sewer. Small scale projects can be dammed and residue removed with a shop vac. Larger projects or large volume of residue may be removed with a reclamation unit.

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APPLICATION CONDITIONS

- Use Rip Tide when air and surface temperatures are 40°F or above. If freezing conditions exist, allow time for surface to thaw.
- If air temperatures exceed 90°F, flash cool the surface with water before applying product.
- Do not allow product to dry on a hot surface.
- Always rinse thoroughly while stripper is still wet on surface.

APPLICATION TOOLS

- Low pressure high volume sprayer
- Clean stiff bristle brush or broom
- Cold or Hot Water Pressure Washer, flat surface cleaner attachment (optional)

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Rip Tide is designed for one application stripping, however additional applications may be needed to completely remove some sealers.

- Apply Rip Tide using a low-pressure sprayer.
- If surface is sloped, apply Rip Tide from bottom of slope working up using a side-to-side motion.
- Allow to dwell for at least ten to fifteen minutes. Do not allow Rip Tide to dry on surface during dwell time. Re-apply Rip Tide if
 necessary to keep the surface wet with product.
- Perform a test by scratching the sealer with a plastic putty knife to see if it lifts from surface. If sealer is gummy but not released, allow to dwell for an additional 10 minutes before re-testing. Re-apply Rip Tide if starting to dry.
- Improve results by scrubbing surface with a brush to agitate and remove sealer.
- Rinse surface thoroughly with a pressure washer with a 25° to 40° fan tip, flat surface cleaner attachment or a garden hose with nozzle. Only use as much pressure needed to thoroughly clean as excessive high pressures can damage substrates.
- It may be necessary to do a secondary stripping to remove heavier sealers.
- Before installing joint sand or sealing, allow surface to dry.

CLEAN UP

Rinse all tools and overspray thoroughly with water before product is allowed to dry.

CONTAINER HANDLING/STORAGE

- Keep container tightly closed in a dry, cool, well-ventilated place.
- Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.
- Do not allow to freeze.
- Keep container with cap/lid tightly closed when not in use.

PACKAGING

1 Gallon Containers - 4 Per Case 5 Gallon Pails 55 Gallon Drums

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DISPOSAL

Dispose of contents and container to appropriate waste site or reclaimer in accordance with all applicable laws, regulations, and product characteristics at time of disposal.

SHELF LIFE

2 years when unopened and properly stored

PRECAUTIONARY INFORMATION

- KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
- Read label and obtain special instructions before use
- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
- Wash thoroughly after handling
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- Wear protective gloves, clothing, face and eye protection
- Avoid breathing mist, vapors or spray
- Keep away from hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources
- Use only outdoors in a well ventilated area
- Avoid release to the environment

EMERGENCY & FIRST AID MEASURES

- Get medical attention if exposed and you feel unwell, or are concerned.
- IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER or physician if feel unwell.
- IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or physician. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
- IF ON SKIN: Take off all contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash skin with plenty of water or shower. If skin irritation occurs or you feel unwell get medical attention.
- IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
- IN CASE OF FIRE: Use water fog, dry chemical, CO₂ or alcohol resistant foam to extinguish.

See Safety Data Sheet for complete information.

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