



EXTERIOR



# DILUNETT®

## PAINT AND COATINGS REMOVER

### Product description

DILUNETT® is a powerful, water washable solvent free paint stripper that will remove any oil and alkyd based paint, varnish or woodstain. Requiring no supervision or immediate removal of the softened coating, DILUNETT® strips up to 8 coats of finish in one application. Suitable for virtually any surface including wood, metal, plastic and GRP, DILUNETT®'s gel consistency means it will not run, making it ideal for vertical surfaces and elaborate plaster or wood designs needing to be stripped.

Easy to apply, DILUNETT® dissolves paint in the smallest recess and on the finest detail, softening all accumulated layers for simple, clean removal. VOC free and non flammable, DILUNETT® is safe to use in poorly ventilated or confined areas.

### Properties

- Solvent free - No toxic fumes.
- Easily removed with water.
- DILUNETT® is safe on all surfaces except aluminium.
- Does not harm plastic. Safe on gelcoat.
- Removes up to 8 coats of paint in one operation.
- Does not evaporate - Long active work time.
- Easy to apply. Gel - Does not run.

### Basic uses

- For exterior use only.
- Removes varnishes, stains, paints...
- Works on metal\*\*, wood\*\*, plastic, gelcoat, stone, cement...
- Horizontal or vertical surfaces.

\*\* See "Restrictions"

### Technical data

**Viscosity:** Gel.

**Specific Gravity (at +20°C):** 1.10 ± 0.05.

**Physical State:** Viscous liquid.

**Flammability:** Non flammable.

**Shelf Life:** 12 months in original unopened container.

**Container Size:** 500ml, 1L, 2.5L, 10L.

**Appearance & odour:** Creamy, caustic soda smell.

**Average working times:**

	1 Coat	2 Coats	3 Coats
Alkyd/Oil paint, stains and varnishes	5 - 15 min.	10 - 30 min.	15 - 45 min.
Acrylic paint, stains and varnishes	Test on small area to determine working time		

**Note:** The above are average working times only. A test should be carried out to determine the actual contact time required to remove the requisite number of coats.

**VOC:** Out of scope.

### Restrictions

DILUNETT® will not remove the following types of coatings 2 pack or baked on paints. Polyurethane paint and varnish.

Do not use on "weak" woods such as veneers.

Do not use on aluminium.

### Application tools

Flat blade or a brush with synthetic (nylon) "bristles".

Powerwasher.

## Good application practice

Always carry out a preliminary test to determine the contact time required for stripping. Wear chemical resistant gloves, safety goggles and protective clothing. For best results on wood, do not let DILUNETT® work longer than required to dissolve the paint. Hardwoods, especially those rich in tannins (Teak, Oak, Sapele, Chestnut...) can turn dark if in prolonged contact with DILUNETT®. Where DILUNETT® has darkened the wood DO NOT allow it to dry, prior to using NET-TROL®\*. Treat stripped wooden surfaces with NET-TROL®\* to restore the woods original colour. Cover and protect everything you do not wish to strip, including plants and shrubs. Apply between 5°C and 35°C. Do not apply in direct sunlight or on a hot surface. Do not allow DILUNETT® to dry on the surface. If drying occurs dampen with mist application of water.  
**Consult us for additional information and advice prior to using DILUNETT® on Oak and Chestnut.**

## Surface preparation

Remove any loose and flaking paint.  
Brush off any physical surface contamination i.e. moss, general dirt etc.

## Application

Apply a thick coat of DILUNETT® over the whole surface to be stripped. For woods rich in tannins, work large areas in zones to avoid excessive darkening of the wood. Allow product to work. Remove DILUNETT® and dissolved paint with a stiff nylon scrubbing brush or paint scraper while flushing with water, alternatively use a pressure washer (max 60bars / 870psi).  
**NB:** The use of hot water makes the job easier. Thoroughly rinse surface with fresh clean water. After stripping and rinsing. All porous surfaces must be immediately treated with NET-TROL®\* while still wet to neutralise the surface.  
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## Neutralisation

Always use NET-TROL®\* to neutralise stripped porous and wooden surfaces.

## Coverage

4 m<sup>2</sup> per litre.  
Actual coverage will vary depending on application method, type, texture, age and porosity of the surface.

## Clean-up

Water.

## Storage

Store unused product in a tightly closed plastic or glass container. DO NOT store product in metal containers.  
Keep from freezing and away from high temperatures.

## General information

Every care is taken to ensure that the information provided in this technical data sheet is accurate. **OWATROL International** is unable to guarantee results as we have no control over the conditions under which our products are applied. For further advice and information please contact our technical department by email at [info@owatrol.com](mailto:info@owatrol.com) or the local OWATROL Agent for your country. The information above is correct at the date of issue. All other OWATROL products named in this document should be used as per label instructions and the technical data sheet.

## Safety

Refer to the safety data sheet (MSDS) available at [www.owatrol.com](http://www.owatrol.com) and text on the packaging. Keep out of the reach of children.

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\* Same manufacturer

