

# Technical Data Sheet

## Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial

**Description:** **Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial** is a user friendly, water-based, biodegradable High Strength paint remover. Developed specifically for the removal of a range of industrial coatings from metal and concrete substrates. **Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial** is ideally used in applications where abrasive blasting is not practical and low odour paint removal is required.

- Features:**
- Water-based
  - Fully biodegradable
  - Non-flammable
  - Low VOC, contains no toxic or hazardous air pollutants)
  - Easy clean up

**Safety Precautions:** Observe all Occupation Health and Safety (OH&S) precautions. Refer to the relevant Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for product safety related information. For further information and support: **Nutech Paint 03 9770 3000**  
www.nutechpaint.com.au

Use impervious gloves, eye protection and if the TLV is exceeded or used in a poorly ventilated area, use NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection in accordance with applicable Federal, state and local regulations

**Provisions:** **Airless sprayer** is recommended for larger areas. Use only equipment with chemical resistant components. 19' thou. or larger tips (519 – 425) are recommended. **Other equipment:** brushes, short nap rollers, paint scraper, masking tape, polyethylene sheet, electric drill with mixer. **For Clean Up:** empty pails, scourer pads, a suitable absorbent spill kit, clean water.

**Chemical Type:** Water based paint stripper  
**Product** pH (direct reading): 3.5 – 4.5  
**Attributes:** Per Cent Volatiles (VOC): 42%  
 Solubility: In Water  
 Minimum Film Forming Temperature: N/A

**Typical Applications:** **Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial** will remove: Epoxy, polyurethane, alkyd enamel, water-based acrylic, elastomeric coatings, automotive grade enamels, lacquers and acrylic hybrid finishes.

**Appearance:** Blue coloured liquid

**Coverage / Spread Rate:** 2m<sup>2</sup>/L depending on the type and thickness of the coating to be removed

**Packaging** 1L, 4L, 15L

**Storage** Cool, dry location. Avoid contact with direct sunlight and heat  
Keep from freezing

**Shelf life** Stored 24 months @ 25°C

**Recommended Substrates:** **Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial** is suitable for metals, timber, masonry, brick, concrete and other similar building and construction substrates, where effective low odour paint removal is required.

**NOTE:** Whilst this product is low in VOC, Nutech Paint recommends adequate internal air ventilation during works.

**Mixing/ Thinning:** DO NOT shake Nu-EcoSafe Strip products. Shaking will cause product to separate. Use a drill mixer, mix product until it is uniform in appearance.

<b>Test Patch:</b>	In accordance with the application procedure of this TDS, conduct a small test patch in an inconspicuous area to ensure adequate product performance, substrate porosity and provide an indication of the time required to complete project.
<b>Substrate note:</b>	All surfaces must be clean and in sound condition. Remove all oil, dirt, grease, flaking paint and contamination. Ideal active conditions are above 13°C. If working in cooler conditions expect a longer dwell time.
<b>Application:</b>	Brush, Roller or Airless Spray
<b>Procedure:</b>	<p><b>Masking:</b> Cover / protect areas where stripping is not required, including adjoining surfaces where over-spray may travel. Plants should be covered or washed thoroughly with water before, during and after application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Polythene drop sheets are an effective barrier.</li> <li>• Masking tape - Apply two layers of tape and remove the top layer immediately after application as the stripper may soak through the tape.</li> </ul> <p><b>Brush/ Roller:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply a thick, even layer at the recommended rate onto the coating being removed and allow time to activate.</li> </ul> <p><b>Airless spray:</b> Is the most effective means for application for large areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DO NOT use high air pressure and/or small gun tips</li> <li>• Remove all filters from the pump, sprayer and gun.</li> <li>• Prime the pump and run stripper through the hose and gun until all previous water / solvent / paint residue has been cleaned out.</li> </ul> <p>Always start the sprayer pump at the lowest pressure setting and slowly build up the pressure until an adequate fan pattern has been generated to minimise overspray.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allow time to activate.</li> <li>• DO NOT rinse between applications</li> </ul> <p><b>Vertical surfaces:</b> Re-apply <b>Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial</b> after approximately 5 – 30 minutes to build up the level of stripper and allow to activate.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repeat this process as required applying extra <b>Nu-EcoSafe Strip Industrial</b> to stubborn sections where needed – Allow for activation</li> </ul>
<b>Activation Time:</b>	The time required for penetration varies according to ambient conditions and the type and thickness of paint to be removed. Allow 2 to 36 hours checking every 4 hours where practical.
<b>Recoat:</b>	Allow surface to dry out and prepare and coat accordingly
<b>Clean Up:</b>	Protecting Our Environment is important to Nutech Paints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Begin removal when coating system can be easily scraped off.</li> <li>• Scrape the softened coatings onto polythene sheets and remove from work area.</li> <li>• Collect all lifted paint and dispose of in accordance with local government regulations.</li> <li>• In accordance with the relevant manufacturer's TDS apply a suitable, absorbent spill kit to any work areas that require liquid removal and dispose in accordance with local government regulations.</li> <li>• Clean up brush/ spray equipment with clean, fresh water.</li> </ul>

- Spray equipment should be cleaned as soon as practical after application.
- Once the components are completely stripped, a final rinse with fresh water to remove any residual material.
- Wipe down the substrate with a clean rag and allow the substrate to thoroughly dry prior to preparation and repainting.

Clean up with fresh water or dispose of equipment. Do not pour leftover stripper down drains or in rubbish bins. Unwanted stripper should be kept in a sealed container and then disposed of via specialised waste collection services. Empty containers should be left open in a well ventilated area to dry out. Dispose of empty paint containers in accordance with local authority's guidelines.

Always check with your local council first.

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**First Aid:** **SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.** Refer to the appropriate *Nutech Safety Data Sheet* (SDS) for further information. For medical emergencies only, call: 000

- In case of eye contact, flush thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes
- In case of skin contact, wash affected areas with soap and water
- Remove and wash contaminated clothing
- If inhalation causes physical discomfort, remove to fresh air
- If discomfort persists, or any breathing difficulty occurs or if swallowed seek medical advice

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