



15 EXTRA HEAVY DUTY STRIPPER

SPECIALTIES FOR MAINTENANCE AND SANITATION SINCE 1947



TODAY'S BETTER STRIPPER FOR HARD TO REMOVE MODERN FINISHES

Production rejects, components, conveyor hooks and hangers are stripped easily by immersion in Foremost 15 solutions.

For stripping multiple coatings of paint and tenacious grease-bonded soils from machinery, trucks and equipment. Apply Foremost 15 solution by mopping or swabbing, or by air or pump-powered flow-on sprayers.

CUTS PAINT STRIPPING TIME, CUTS CLEANING COSTS

WORKS FAST—Fast acting Foremost 15 saves **time** and **labor**. Foremost 15 is sharp and intense! Powerful new built-in additives make it many times faster than old-fashioned caustic strippers on typical enamels and lacquers. It readily removes tougher finishes that other compounds will not cut at all. Also highly effective for stripping oil and grease-bonded soils and protective coatings.

LONG SOLUTION LIFE—Extra long life of tank solutions have proved Foremost 15 retains causticity longer, slashing labor and use coats. Solutions are sludge-free longer for active, thorough action.

RINSES EASILY—Leave surfaces ready for painting. No acid chemical rinse needed.

EFFECTIVE—On all ferrous and copper metals. No toxic fumes. Do not use on aluminum or other soft metals..

ECONOMICAL—Foremost 15 is sold in anhydrous, granular form. Readily soluble in water.

— NOTE —

Foremost 25 Compound successfully stripped many epoxy and epon based finishes tested!

RECOMMENDED FOR:

- Production Rejects • Farm Machinery
- Conveyor Hooks • Purging Paint Booths
- Road Equipment • Steam Cleaning
- Many Other Applications

Packed In 500 lb. Drums

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TECHNICAL DATA

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- DESCRIPTION:** Highly active alkaline product designed for stripping paint from ferrous and cuprous alloyed surfaces. It provides long solution life and excellent penetration.
- APPLICATION:** Recommended primarily for paint stripping from ferrous metals in soaker vat operations. It can be used in cold vat operations if heat is not available, however better performance can be achieved through heating.
- DIRECTIONS:** **NOTE: OPERATOR CAUTION!** Charge vat slowly to avoid spattering or boil out. For hot or cold vat paint stripping, use 8 to 16 ounces per gallon of water. The higher range of concentrations (12 to 16 ounces per gallon) are usually required for stubborn coating and multiple layers of paints. Maintain the temperature as near to boiling as possible when heat is available. It is important that all surfaces be thoroughly rinsed after they are removed from the vat, either by immersion in clear hot water or by power rinse.
- For manual application, ready-to-use stripping solutions may be prepared by admixing a sufficient quantity of starch or flour into the dissolved FM 15 solution to attain proper consistency. This mixture is then sprayed, mopped or brushed on the equipment, allowed to remain until paint is loosened and then flushed off with water. Repeat process as needed. Stripping may also be efficiently accomplished by using through a steam unit without the presence of the starch or flour as additives.
- For optimum efficiency it is always advisable to clean the vat periodically in a paint stripping operation. Where sludge is apt to build up rather fast, if practical to do so, the sludge may be allowed to settle and be removed by use of a sludge tray in the bottom, thereby extending the life of the vat solution.
- PRECAUTIONS:** **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.** Contains potassium hydroxide. Causes severe burns to eyes and skin. Do not get in eyes, skin, or clothing. Do not take internally. Wash thoroughly after handling. When handling, always wear chemical splash goggles, face shield, rubber gloves and protective clothing.
- FIRST AID: EYES AND SKIN:** In case of contact, immediately flush eyes or skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Destroy contaminated shoes. **INGESTION:** If swallowed do not induce vomiting. If person is conscious, give large quantities of water or milk, if available. Get medical attention immediately.
- Before using this product, read the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for more detailed information regarding safe handling.