



# Square One<sup>®</sup>

**finish & wax stripper**

Getting back to basics. Square One is a powerful stripping compound formulated exclusively to remove excessive long-term build up of floor finish and wax. It is an excellent stripper for use in automatic scrubbers.



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**LOW FOAMING:**

Square One is formulated with low foaming wetting agents to speed up the rinsing time. The low foaming characteristics coupled with the product’s superior performance makes it excellent for use in automatic scrubbers.

**ECONOMICAL:**

Square One is economical and a true concentrate. Square One may be diluted from 1:10 to 1:1 depending upon extent of wax or finish build up, method of application, and contact time. Square One’s remarkably fast chemical action substantially reduces time and labor costs normally required for difficult stripping.

**POWERFUL:**

Square One’s formula contains sodium hydroxide, an effective inorganic builder, which increases the product’s alkalinity and in effect, gives it extra “bite”. Glycol ether, a powerful solvent, is incorporated to speed initial penetration. The unique blending of these primary ingredients create unusually fast penetration and re emulsification of even the most highly burnished solids build up, suspending both finish and soil in a detergent solution for easy removal.

The extra strength stripping power of Square One allows its use in extremely difficult stripping tasks, such as excessive and/or long term finish build ups or when repeated recoating and/or spray buffing procedures have resulted in a highly burnished finish.

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

Some individuals may be sensitive to ingredients in this product. Before using, read product label and MSD sheet. Wet floors may be slippery. Prevent pedestrian traffic with signs or barricades.

1. For heavy build up, mix up to one part Square One to five parts water. Dip mop into bucket and apply liberally to a 100 x 100 square foot area. Let set for 5 minutes and, if necessary, apply the second application before machine scrubbing with stripping pads.
2. When stripping dirty waxed or finished floors that have a medium build up, mix one part Square One to ten parts hot water. Let set five minutes; machine scrub using a heavy duty stripping pad.
3. When re stripping baseboards and the floor close to the walls, mix Square One one part Square One to five parts of hot water. Let set 5 to 10 minutes and using a doodle bug type hand scrubber, agitate vigorously and, if necessary, use a wax scraper to remove all build up along the edge and corners.

NOTE: Neutralizers should be used in the first rinse only. Two or three clean water rinses are recommended on the above stripping procedures.

**Be sure to read all Directions, Precautionary and First Aid Statements on product labels before use of this or any Spartan product. If questions remain, consult your employer or a physician. Material Safety Data Sheets for all Spartan products are available from your authorized Spartan distributor or by visiting [www.spartanchemical.com](http://www.spartanchemical.com).**

**SPECIFICATIONS:**

Specific Gravity - .107 @ 24°C/75°F

pH (Concentrate) – 13.5 – 13.8

Active Ingredients – 20 – 22%

Stability:

- a. Storage @ 24°C/75°F - One year minimum
- b. Accelerated @ 52°C/125°F - 60 days minimum
- c. Freeze/Thaw - Can withstand three cycles



Distributed by:

PACKAGING	
007865	330-gallon totes
007855	55-gallon drum
007830	30-gallon drum
007815	15-gallon drum
007805	5-gallon pail
007804	1-gallon (4 per case)



Label copy is provided in English and Spanish. Secondary labels are also available.

GUARANTEE: Spartan’s modern manufacturing and laboratory control insure uniform quality. If dissatisfied with performance of product, any unused portion may be returned for credit within one year of the date of manufacture. Use product as directed and read all precautionary statements.

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