

GT-1000™ /GT-2000™ DATA SHEET

GT-1000™ and **GT-2000™** are two very effective gel-type graffiti removers and paint strippers, thickened for use on vertical surfaces. Both can also be used to remove tire marks, motor oil and plant stains from interlocking paving stones or concrete. Both are non-toxic, non-caustic, non-flammable, 100% bio-degradable & environment-friendly. Excellent replacements for products based on petroleum distillates & other high VOC chemicals. Unlike many competitors' products, not a single ingredient of **GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** is classified as hazardous by any state or federal agency, making both gels safe to user and environment alike. **GT-1000™** and **GT-2000™** can be applied to any surface (brick, concrete, glass, metal, plastic, wood, **trees**, etc.) with spray bottle, roller, cloth, sponge, garden or power pressure sprayer. Both immediately begin to re-liquify and encapsulate paint, permanent marker, crayon, grease pencil, white out, ink, soot, cosmetics, oil, etc., which can then be wiped or washed off. **GT-1000™** is instantly neutralized and dissipated by plain water, where as **GT-2000™** will resist dissipation for approximately one to two minutes after exposure to water, providing an advantage in humid or moisture prone environments.

SURFACE PREPARATION AND APPLICATION

Use standard equipment to apply both **GT-1000™** and **GT-2000™**, including trigger-spray, roll, brush, or pressure equipment. The surface must be totally dry before application of **GT-1000™**, but *may be damp with **GT-2000™***. Apply either gel to the surface to be cleaned. Use a stiff bristle brush to work it into the stain (and the pores of a porous surface). The use of goggles is suggested if using pressure equipment. Depending on the type of stain, the surface and the temperature (colder = slower chemical reaction), the stain will re-liquify in a few seconds to a few minutes. Some heavy-duty metallic and epoxy paints may take up to 30 minutes – but they will come off. For large porous surfaces, such as large brick or block walls, a garden-type pressure sprayer can be used for application, as long as it is completely water-free. **FOR **GT-1000™**, MAKE SURE ALL OF THE TOOLS (BRUSHES, ROLLERS, SPRAYERS, HOSES, ETC.) ARE COMPLETELY DRY.** Some surfaces may require repeat treatment, especially if they have several layers of old paint, oil or stain. Rinse the treated surface with water, to clean and neutralize any remaining trace of either cleaner.

NOTE:

GT-1000™ and **GT-2000™** are specifically designed to be water-neutralized for environmental considerations. Both are concentrated, but **CANNOT BE THINNED OR "STRETCHED"**.

CLEANUP

Tools and equipment may be washed in plain water, and must be allowed to fully dry before the next use.

PACKAGING

Both gels are supplied in pints, quarts, gallons and case lots. Contact your distributor for other delivery options. Normal handling; store in a cool, dry place.

PROPERTIES

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| Boiling Point: | | Over 300°F |
| Flash Point: | GT-1000™ : | > 200°F; |
| | GT-2000™ : | @ 160°F |
| Viscosity: | | 16,600 cps |
| Vapor Pressure: | GT-1000™ : | < 0.20 mm |
| | GT-2000™ : | < 0.12 mm |
| Drying time: | | Over 1 hour |
| Appearance and odor: | | Gel, pine scent/ eucalyptus scent |
| Hazardous ingredients: | | None |

Your Local Independent Distributor is:

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GT-1000™ or GT-2000™ User Instructions

Read completely before starting.

- Recommended Items:
- GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** gel in a convenient applicator of your choice.
 - Dry, stiff, short-hair natural bristle brush (nylon not compatible).
 - Water and cloth or sponge.
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- Start with a dry surface for **GT-1000™**; and a dry or damp surface for **GT-2000™**.

TEST FIRST! We recommend that you test the surface before attempting to remove any stain. In this way, you may be sure that you can achieve only the results you desire. Apply a small amount of either gel to a remote or hidden spot. If the surface paint is of poor quality, it may be effected or removed by either or both cleaners. Always check with the property owner for approval of test results. Please see **KrystalKote™** Data sheet for a permanent solution to this problem.

- Apply a modest amount of **GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** to the affected area.
- Use a natural bristle brush to spread the gel over the entire area to be cleaned. **GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** will be effective only when in direct contact with the stain itself. On porous surfaces where the stain has penetrated into the pores, you may need to use the bristle brush more vigorously to agitate the **GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** into the stain filled pores.
- Let the gel work for a short time, the length of which will depend on the characteristics of the surface and the quality of the material being removed. Water-based paints, most marking pens and motor oil stains liquify within seconds; oil-based paints and cosmetics may take longer; and some metallic, epoxy or enamel paints may take 15-30 minutes.
- Re-agitate with a brush as needed to completely loosen the stain (cloth may be used on smooth surfaces). Re-application with fresh gel may be required for stubborn, or deeply-penetrated stains.
- Wipe off re-liquified material, using a damp cloth or sponge (or skip to step 7 if stain is completely loosened). Some surface will require additional treatment to remove any "shadow". Repeat steps 2-6 before proceeding to step 7.
- Wash away the residue with water.
 - On a smooth surface, a wet cloth or wet sponge will suffice;
 - On a porous surface, use a pressurized stream of water, (garden hose, pressure-washer, etc.) to help wash out the re-liquefied stain.

Note A. DO NOT MIX **GT-1000™** or **GT-2000™** WITH ANY OTHER LIQUID, INCLUDING WATER. **GT-1000™** IS TO BE USED ON DRY SURFACES ONLY. **GT-2000™** MAY BE USED ON DRY OR DAMP SURFACES.

WATER COMPLETELY DEACTIVATES AND NEUTRALIZES GT-1000™ INSTANTLY!
WATER DEACTIVATES AND NEUTRALIZES GT-2000™ WITHIN 3 MINUTES.

Note B. Most spray paints and some cleaning materials are solvent-based, and this solvent may permanently etch or damage the original painted surface. After the stain is removed, this blemish will show. Repainting with the original quality paint will not prevent the etching problem from re-occurring. Please see the *Graffiti Management System* data sheet for a permanent and economical solution.

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