

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR TINTEX DYE STRIPPER

Tintex Dye Stripper is recommended for the removal of colour from natural fibres such as cotton and linen before dyeing. It is also effective for renewing whites and removing stains. Dye Stripper is not a bleaching agent so will not attack the integrity of the fibres when used on the correct fabrication. 40g is sufficient for 1 kilogram of dry weight fabric. For use in a well ventilated area.

1. Fill a clear enamel or stainless steel container with sufficient water to allow the garment to float freely.
2. Bring to the boil and add wet garment.
3. Continue heating and add necessary amount (40 grams per 1 kilogram of dry weight fabric) onto the surface of the water - keep the garment submerged to avoid direct contact with the powder. We recommend the use of a mask when handling any powders including dye stripper.
4. Stir well at the boil, until colour has faded out.
5. Rinse well in cold water before re-dyeing.
6. Process can be repeated to remove more stubborn dye.
7. Suitable for bleaching hessian and other raw fibre material.
8. Note: Material that cannot be boiled in the wash is unsuitable for heat stripping. Dye Stripper is not effective on polyester, terylene or vat dyed fabrics.

**Always follow the garment manufacturer's instructions for handling throughout the dyeing process.**

**\*\*\* Items that have been used for dyeing cannot be used to prepare food \*\*\***

***Disposal:*** Tintex Dye Stripper (SODIUM HYDROSULPHITE) is classified as Dangerous goods according to the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code). Do not let product reach waterways, drains or sewers. Contact your local Council for information on disposal and dates for free household hazardous waste drop off days.