

Iowa DNR/Household Hazardous Materials

Material: Paint Stripper

Potential Hazards: May contain methylene chloride, sodium hydroxide (lye), toluene, acetone, methanol. These materials are harmful or fatal if swallowed, their vapors are harmful, and they may be flammable.

Recycle/Reuse: If you have leftover paint stripper in usable condition, check with neighbors, church groups or the local community to see if they can use it. You may also take it to your local Regional Collection Center's swap shop for other residents to use.

Proper Disposal: Use this product up or take it to your local Regional Collection Center, find yours at iowadnr.gov/hhm under the RCC tab.

Green Alternatives: Use water-based stripper or sand the item without using any product. Look for green alternatives that are better for your family and the environment at your local retailers.