

# TEXTILE KIT PACKET

Clean Screens Quickly, Easily, and Safely

## Contains Directions and Helpful Tips for:

- Plastisol Ink Remover
- Multipurpose Ink Remover
- Emulsion Remover
- Haze Remover
- Screen Degreaser
- On Press Ink Remover

## Or find the info online:

- Go to [www.franmar.com](http://www.franmar.com)
- Click on the Screen Printing Cleaners channel.
- Click on "Documents" in the menu at the top of the page.
- Download PDFs of Safety Data Sheets and Tip Sheets as needed.

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# PLASTISOL INK REMOVER

Cleans Screens Quickly, Easily, and Safely

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**Franmar's Plastisol Ink Remover** eliminates the use of mineral spirits and other volatile solvents while saving you time and money! **Plastisol Ink Remover** was the first product introduced by Franmar to replace the caustic, toxic, high odor products, and at a *fraction* of the cost. **Plastisol Ink Cleaner** effectively cleans screens without the odor and is drain safe. Low VOC and 100% biodegradable, this ink remover reduces the hazards of screen reclamation to workers *and* the environment!

## Directions

- 1 Spray or pour a minimal amount onto screen.
- 2 Scrub screen with dedicated Biggee™ pad or nylon brush.
- 3 Repeat on back of screen image.
- 4 Rinse both sides of screen clean with pressured water.

*Note: Plastisol Ink Remover does not evaporate. A water rinse or cleaning with a damp shop towel is necessary to remove the oil residue.*

## Usage Tips

- Less is more! Control fragrance by using a smaller bottle. Spray, cover (if 7) spray, wait, then re-clean a standard size screen.
- Use a dedicated Biggee pad for each solvent to avoid mixing products and extend the life of the pad.
- Pressure washing facilitates a clean screen.

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# SCREEN DEGREASER

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**Franmar's Screen Degreaser** is tough on solvent residues and easy on the environment. It is alcohol-free, non-caustic, and 100% biodegradable, making it essential for any screen printer. Its formula helps prevent "fish-eyes," and is great for prepping screens before recoating them with emulsion.

## Directions

- 1** Spray or pour a generous amount onto screen.
- 2** Scrub screen with dedicated Biggee™ pad or nylon brush.
- 3** Make sure to scrub near frame edge to remove all contaminants.
- 4** Rinse both sides of screen thoroughly with water.

## Usage Tips

- Remember: the cleaner the screen, the better the emulsion adheres to the mesh.
- Works well for removing leftover cleaning residue.
- Helps prevent pinholes from dirt and debris.

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**COLOR CHANGE™**

# **ON PRESS INK REMOVER**

**Safe and Simple Ink Color Changes**

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Quickly change colors on press or open clogged mesh areas during a run, saving valuable time and money. **Franmar's On Press Ink Remover** is non-aerosol and replaces harsh chemicals such as Methylene Chloride without the negative side-effects and offensive odor.

## **Color Changing Directions**

- 1** Spray or pour a small amount onto screen.
- 2** Wipe screen clean with shop towel(s).
- 3** Repeat on back of screen image.
- 4** Wipe both sides of screen with degreaser or damp shop towel.
- 5** Allow screen to dry thoroughly.

*Note: If tape does not stick, wipe again with damp shop towel and allow to dry.*

## **Screen Opener Directions**

- 1** Spray or pour a small amount onto shop towel.
- 2** Wipe screen image area clean.

## **Usage Tips**

- Remember, less is better. Use a small amount and you will immediately see the ink loosen.
- Works great for cleaning ink smudges on back of screen.
- **Franmar's Screen Degreaser** can be used to wipe away any solvent residues.
- Start with lighter inks and move up to darker inks when printing.

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# HAZE REMOVER

Screen Ghost and Haze Remover

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**Franmar's Haze Remover** is one of the safest and most effective ghost and haze removers in the industry today! Unlike traditional caustic haze removers, **Franmar's Haze Remover** will not damage screen mesh no matter how long you leave it on. Good haze removal practices save screen printers money, with longer usability of screens.

## Directions

- 1 Spray or pour a minimal amount onto screen haze/ghost image.
- 2 Scrub both sides of screen with dedicated Biggee™ pad or nylon brush.
- 3 Rinse screen clean with pressured water.

## Usage Tips

- Use each time immediately after removal of stencil removal or ghosting and will not set in the screen.
- Control amount by using a spray bottle; washing frame pieces as Haze Remover will remove the glue holding the mesh to the frame.
- Use Franmar's Screen Degreaser to remove any residue.

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# EMULSION REMOVER

Effective on All Emulsions, Films, and Stencils

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This powerful emulsion remover breaks down the toughest of emulsions, capillary films, and stencils without weakening the the screen mesh. **Franmar's Emulsion Remover** is formulated with a built-in degreaser, saving you time and money. Biodegradable, non-caustic and non-toxic, **Franmar's Emulsion Remover** has revolutionized the once unpleasant process of screen reclamation.

## Directions

- 1 Wet screen and pour or spray or pour a small amount onto front side of screen.
- 2 Scrub briefly with dedicated Biggee™ pad.
- 3 Repeat on back side of screen.
- 4 Let product work for 30 seconds or more and scrub both sides again. **DO NOT ALLOW PRODUCT TO DRY.**
- 5 Rinse both sides of screen clean with pressured water.

## Usage Tips

- Franmar's Emulsion Remover shows you when it's no longer active by changing color from white to brown.
- Use a spray bottle for better distribution of product.
- Additional degreasing is needed when using high mesh counts or half-tones.
- Store in a cool dry place away from direct sunlight.

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# MULTIPURPOSE INK REMOVER

Effective on Textile Inks and Additives

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Many screen printers use a multitude of different types of ink and additives to keep up with today's fashion trends and printing. **Franmar's Multipurpose Ink Remover** allows screen printers to clean any type of textile ink with or without additives. Simple, safe and effective - as cleaning screens should be!

## Directions

- 1 Spray or pour a small amount onto screen.
- 2 Scrub screen with dedicated Biggee™ pad or nylon brush.
- 3 Repeat on back of screen image.
- 4 Rinse both sides of screen with pressured water.

*Note: Dilution is best suited to plastisol ink cleaning only. Test for effectiveness.*

## Usage Tips

- Remember, less is better. Use a small amount and you will immediately see the ink loosen.
- If screen feels oily after cleaning, use less Multipurpose Ink Remover or use more water to rinse.
- Can be used for on-press color changes and as a screen opener.

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