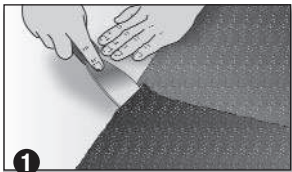


# 3M™ Safety-Walk™ Peel-and-Stick Nonskid Products

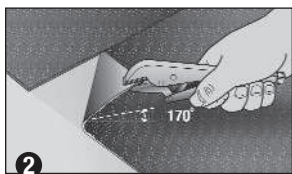
## REMOVAL INSTRUCTIONS

Torn or worn 3M™ Safety-Walk™ Peel-and-Stick Nonskid Products can be easily removed from decks, passageways or rooms by following this procedure:

### Procedure



1. Using a “chisel blade” tool or appropriate scraper, pry up the edges of the Safety-Walk material to be removed. If possible, all four edges should be freed so they are 2” to 4” from the surface (Fig. 1).



2. Using wide-jawed vice grips or pliers, grab the raised portion of the material. Pull back on the material at a 170° angle (using this angle rather than a 45° angle helps the material come off easier) (Fig. 2).



3. If the product tears apart during removal, reposition the vise grips or pliers along the raised edge and continue to pull off the material. If necessary, use a chisel blade tool—as described in Step One—to create a new edge (Fig. 3).



4. After the Safety-Walk product has been completely removed, soak the surface with degreaser or an adhesive removal chemical for 10 minutes to make it easier to remove remaining adhesive residue or edge-sealing compound. Scrape and wipe away the residue. Prior to reapplying new material, clean the surface thoroughly using a detergent, rinse with water and allow to dry (Fig. 4). Remove and repair any chipped, cracked or peeled paint prior to applying a new piece of Safety-Walk nonskid material.

### Tools required for removal process

- Metal or plastic chisel blade scraper or “ice chisel”
- Degreaser or adhesive removal chemical
- Wide-jawed vise grips or pliers
- Mop and bucket, appropriate detergent and rinse water

- Cotton or paper towels
- Replacement Safety-Walk material

### Optional tools

For larger areas, a “Kell-Strom” air chisel tool equipped with plastic blades can be used to speed up removal.