

## Skunk Odor Removal

1 Quart 3% Hydrogen Peroxide- Fresh, Just opened

¼ cup of Baking Soda

1 teaspoon liquid soap (Dawn dishwashing soap is recommended. but any dish soap will work)

Rubber or latex gloves

Mix in an open container (bucket or bowl); it will be fizzy, a clue that you should not try to pre mix it and store it in a closed container.

Thoroughly wet you dog with warm water and then the solution while it is still bubbling. Knead it well into the coat to chemically alter every bit of the thiols on the coat. Be careful to keep the formula out of the dog's eyes, nose and mouth. You can use a sponge to carefully wipe the facial area. Let the solution stand to 10 minutes. Follow the bath with a thorough rinse. Be sure to protect the eyes while rinsing the head. Chances are you will not get all the smell off the face and will just have to live with it until it wears off. You can try Tricotine Liquid Douche Concentrate or any over the counter douche. After bathing, check the dog's eyes. If they are red and watering, your dog may have taken a direct hit in the face. Skunk spray won't blind the dog, but it's very painful. Contact a vet.