

## TECHNICAL DATASHEET

# DIRECT TO METAL PAINT

## GLOSS, SEMI-GLOSS, MATTE

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

A smooth decorative finish for direct application on ferrous and non-ferrous metallic substrates. Especially formulated to perform as a primer and topcoat. Excellent durability and corrosion resistance. Available in gloss, semi-gloss and matt finish.

### PRODUCT BENEFITS

- 1- Self-priming
- 2- Excellent adhesion on metal
- 3- Excellent water resistance
- 4- Excellent corrosion resistance
- 5- High resistance to salt spray, UV emissions and weathering conditions
- 6- High durability

### RECOMMENDED USES

Direct to metal. All interior and exterior metallic ferrous and non-ferrous surfaces.

### SURFACE PREPARATION

Surfaces should be solid, clean and dry, free from oil, grease, salt, dust and other contaminants.

- 1- Alkaline and acid surfaces should be cleaned and neutralized.
- 2- Deteriorated previous coatings, weak and blistered paints or chalky substances should be removed by scrapers, paint removers or flame spraying.
- 3- Non-disintegrated paints or glossy surfaces of previous coatings should be roughened slightly with sand paper to ensure good intercoat adhesion.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Physical Properties

Physical State	Viscous Liquid
Appearance	Gloss, semi-gloss, matt
Color Range	cf. catalogue
Temperature	25°C
Specific Gravity, ISO 2811	1.2± 0.05 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Viscosity, ISO 2884	19-21 Poises (Gloss) 14-16 Poises (Semi-gloss and matt)
Drying Time, ASTM D5894	2- 3 hrs
Recoat Time	5-7 hours
Coverage	40-45 s.q.m. per US gallon
Opacity, ISO 6504-3	> 90 %
Sag Resistance, ASTM D3730	Excellent
Leveling, ASTM D2801	Excellent
Hardness, ISO 1522	Excellent

### Chemical Properties

Solids by Weight	65-70 %
Solids by Volume	55-60%

## PRIMING/THINNING/APPLYING

No need to prime surfaces.

Thin with White Spirit up to 15%. Apply using a brush, roller or spray.

Apply ideally 3 coats for maximum protection. Let dry well between coats.

## PACKING

In cylindrical tin containers of the following capacities:

- 1 US Quart = 0.95 L.
- 1 US gallon = 3.78 L.
- 1 Pail (5 U.S.G.) = 20L

## STORAGE

Avoid frost & excessive heat

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All details about working with our products should be adapted to prevailing local conditions and materials used.