



DTM WASH PRIMER

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PRODUCT INFORMATION

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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

DTM WASH PRIMER is a low VOC, water based wash primer free of heavy metals and mineral acids. Designed to be applied over aluminum and galvanizing, or used as a tie-coat over zinc rich primers. Accepts high performance "hot" solvent topcoats directly, such as epoxies and urethanes.

- Fast dry
- Low odor
- Flash rust/early rust resistant
 Extended recoat time
- · No "critical" film thickness

RECOMMENDED USES

For use over prepared:

- Aluminum
- Galvanizing
- Zinc rich primers
- · Stainless steel
- · Product must be topcoated

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Finish: Flat

Color: Yellow-Green

Volume Solids: 21% ± 2%

Weight Solids: 29% ± 2%

VOC (EPA Method 24): 143 g/L; 1.19 lb/gal

Recommended Spreading Rate:

Wet mils: 3.4 - 6.4Dry mils: 0.7 - 1.3

Coverage: 250 - 470 sq ft/gal approximate

Note: Spray apply. Brush and roll for touch-up only.

Drying Schedule @ 6.0 mils wet @ 50% RH:

@ 50°F @ 77°F @ 110°F To touch: 3 hours 2 hours 1 hour To handle: 3 hours 2 hours 1 hour To recoat: 8 hours 2 hours 1 hour To cure: 7 days 5 days 3 days

Drying time is temperature, humidity, and film thickness dependent.

Shelf Life: 36 months, unopened, at 77°F

Flash Point: >200°F, PMCC

Reducer: Not recommended

Clean Up: Water

PERFORMANCE PROPERTIES

System Tested: (unless otherwise noted) Substrate: Aluminum Surface Preparation: SSPC-SP1

DTM Wash Primer @ 1.0 mils dft 1 ct.:

Adhesion:

Method: ASTM D3359

Result:

Direct Impact Resistance: (on cold rolled steel)

ASTM D2794 Method: Result: 160 in. lbs.

Flexibility:

Method: ASTM D522, 180° bend, 1/8" mandrel

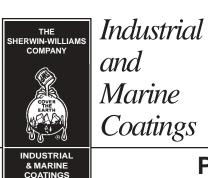
Result:

Pencil Hardness:

Method: ASTM D3363

Result:

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RECOMMENDED SYSTEMS

Aluminum:

1 ct. DTM Wash Primer @ 0.7 - 1.3 mils dft 2 cts. DTM Acrylic Coating @ 2.5 - 4.0 mils dft/ct

Galvanizing:

1 ct. DTM Wash Primer @ 0.7 - 1.3 mils dft 2 cts. DTM Acrylic Coating @ 2.5 - 4.0 mils dft/ct

Steel:

tct. Zinc Clad Primer @ 3.0 - 5.0 mils dft
 tct. DTM Wash Primer @ 0.7 - 1.3 mils dft
 cts. DTM Acrylic Coating @ 2.5 - 4.0 mils dft/ct

Stainless Steel:

1 ct. DTM Wash Primer @ 0.7 - 1.3 mils dft 2 cts. DTM Acrylic Coating @ 2.5 - 4.0 mils dft/ct

Other Acceptable Topcoats:

Acrolon 218 HS Polyurethane Hi-Solids Polyurethane Industrial Enamel HS Macropoxy HS Epoxy Metalatex Semi-Gloss Enamel Sher-Cryl HPA Sherthane 2K Urethane Tile-Clad HS Epoxy

Waterbased Tile Clad Epoxy

SURFACE PREPARATION

Surface must be clean, dry, and in sound condition. Remove all oil, dust, grease, dirt, loose rust, and other foreign material to ensure adequate adhesion.

Do not use hydrocarbon solvents for cleaning.

Refer to product Application Bulletin for detailed surface preparation information.

Minimum recommended surface preparation:

Aluminum: SSPC-SP1
Galvanizing: SSPC-SP1
Zinc Rich Coatings: SSPC-SP1
Stainless Steel SSPC-SP1

TINTING

Do not tint.

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Temperature: 50°F minimum, 110°F maximum

(air, surface, and material)
At least 5°F above dew point

Relative humidity: 85% maximum

Refer to product Application Bulletin for detailed application information.

ORDERING INFORMATION

Packaging: 1 and 5 gallon containers

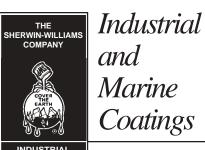
Weight per gallon: $9.23 \pm 0.2 \text{ lb}$

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Refer to the MSDS sheet before use.

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The systems listed above are representative of the products use, other systems may be appropriate.





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Aluminum

Remove all oil, grease, dirt, oxide and other foreign material by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1.

Galvanized Steel

Allow to weather a minimum of six months prior to coating. Solvent Clean per SSPC-SP1. When weathering is not possible, or the surface has been treated with chromates or silicates, first Solvent Clean per SSPC-SP1 and apply a test patch. Allow paint to dry at least one week before testing adhesion. If adhesion is poor, brush blasting per SSPC-SP7 is necessary to remove these treatments. Rusty galvanizing requires a minimum of Hand Tool Cleaning per SSPC-SP2, prime the area the same day as cleaned with Kem Bond HS.

Zinc Rich Coatings

Remove all oil, dust, grease, dirt, loose rust, and other foreign material by cleaning per SSPC-SP1 or water blast per NACE Standard RP-01-72. For weathered zinc coatings, remove zinc salts by either high pressure water washing and scrubbing with a stiff bristle brush or sweep blast followed by a water flush. Allow to dry thoroughly before coating.

Stainless Steel

Remove all oil, grease, dirt, oxide and other foreign material by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1.

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Temperature: 50°F minimum, 110°F maximum

(air, surface, and material) At least 5°F above dew point

Relative humidity: 85% maximum

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

The following is a guide. Changes in pressures and tip sizes may be needed for proper spray characteristics. Always purge spray equipment before use with listed reducer. Any reduction must be compatible with the existing environmental and application conditions.

Reducer Not recommended

Clean Up Water

Airless Spray

Conventional Spray

 Gun
 Binks 95

 Fluid Nozzle
 66

 Air Nozzle
 63PB

 Atomization Pressure
 50 psi

 Fluid Pressure
 15-20 psi

Brush

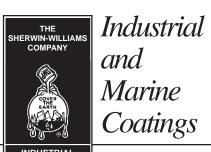
Not recommended except for touch-up work.

Roller

Not recommended except for touch-up work.

If specific application equipment is listed above, equivalent equipment may be substituted.

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APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Surface preparation must be completed as indicated.

Mixing Instructions: Mix paint thoroughly by boxing and stirring before use. Avoid unnecessary entrapment of air. Mix with a power mixer at low speed.

Apply paint at the recommended film thickness and spreading rate as indicated below:

Recommended Spreading Rate:

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Drying time is temperature, humidity, and film thickness dependent.

Application of coating above maximum or below minimum recommended spreading rate may adversely affect coating performance.

Performance Tips

When using spray application, use a 50% overlap with each pass of the gun to avoid holidays, bare areas, and pinholes. If necessary, cross spray at a right angle.

Spreading rates are calculated on volume solids and do not include an application loss factor due to surface profile, roughness or porosity of the surface, skill and technique of the applicator, method of application, various surface irregularities, material lost during mixing, spillage, overthinning, climatic conditions, and excessive film build.

Flush equipment thoroughly with water before using.

Do not apply to rusty galvanizing.

Do not reduce.

Product must be topcoated.

Do not use hydrocarbon solvents for cleaning.

Refer to Product Information sheet for additional performance characteristics and properties.

CLEAN UP INSTRUCTIONS

Clean spills and spatters immediately with soap and warm water. Clean hands and tools immediately after use with soap and warm water. After cleaning, flush spray equipment with Mineral Spirits to prevent rusting of the equipment. Follow manufacturers safety recommendations when using Mineral Spirits.

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