



Rhinothane[®] T

2K polyurethane finish coat

6000 - line

Description

- 2-pack polyurethane high performance topcoat

Properties

- Superior weather resistance and light fastness
- High initial gloss and excellent gloss retention
- Fast dust-free time

Typical Applications

- Steel fabrications
- Truck refinishing
- Refurbishing fibreglass substrates

General Data

- Weather resistance Excellent
- Solvent resistance Resists splashes of most common solvents; not recommended for continuous immersion
- Chemical resistance Good
- Abrasion resistance Good
- Heat resistance up to 100°C
- Suitable primers Rhinamel[®] Undercoat, Rhinogrip[®] Etch Primer, Epoxycoat

Specifications (at 25°C and 50% relative humidity)

- Resin type.....Polyester Polyurethane
- Mixing ratio.....2 : 1
- Solids content.....45% (by volume)
- Typical film thickness (per coat)..... 25 microns (dry)
55 microns (wet)
- Theoretical coverage.....15m² / L @ 25 microns dry film thickness (dependant on colour)
- Touch dry.....45 minutes
- Hard dry.....6 hours
- Full cure.....5 days
- Recoating.....within 16 to 24 hours to ensure good intercoat adhesion
after 24 hours, sanding is required before recoating
- Pot life.....2 hours (depending on temperature and level of thinner added)
- Gloss.....Gloss
- Colour.....Extensive colour library and easy colour matching with Coloryte[®]
Industrial Tint System
- Shelf life.....minimum 12 months (in cool, dry conditions)

Surface Preparation

- Bare steel surfaces must be degreased, then subjected to abrasive blasting (to AS 1627.4 Class 2½) or abrasion with a suitable power cleaning tool (e.g. disc sander)
- Not suitable for application directly to bare metal. Refer to recommendations Coatings Systems below.

Mixing recommendation

- Mix only the quantity required for the job
- Mix Pack A with Pack B in the ratio 2:1
- Stir thoroughly with a broad paddle or mechanical mixer to ensure even mixing of the two parts
- Thin up to 10% by volume with Wagon Paints' T1 PU Spray Thinner (see Application directions), and stir as above

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Application

- May be spray applied using airless or conventional air spray equipment
- Small areas may be coated by brush or roller
- **Airless Spray** nozzle size.....0.33 - 0.38 mm
nozzle pressure.....2800 - 4000 psi (19 - 27mPa)
volume of thinner.....up to 5%
- **Air Spray** nozzle size.....1.6 - 2.0 mm
nozzle pressure..... 45 - 60 psi (300 - 400kPa)
volume of thinner..... 5 - 10%
- **Cleaning solvent**T1 PU Spray Thinner

Coating Systems

Substrate	Primer	Undercoat*	Topcoat
Aluminium	Rhinogrip® Etch		Rhinothane® T
Galvanised Iron	Rhinogrip® Etch	Rhinamel® CC Primer	Rhinothane® T
Steel	Rhinogrip® Etch	Rhinamel® CC Primer	Rhinothane® T
Zincseal / Zinalume	Rhinogrip® Etch		Rhinothane® T
Fibreglass		Rhinamel® CC Primer	Rhinothane® T
Timber		Rhinamel® CC Primer	Rhinothane® T

Rhinogrip Etch primer may be directly overcoated with Rhinothane® T to provide an economical and quick drying alternative to the traditional two pack epoxy undercoats. For optimum performance in severe environments, the use of a single coat of epoxy undercoat between the Rhinogrip® Etch & Rhinothane® T is recommended.

*Epoxycoat may be used in place of Rhinamel® CC Primer

Caution:

Store Rhinothane® T Pack A & B in a cool, dry location. Do not allow water to contaminate the products.

Must not be applied over damp surfaces. Do not apply when the air/surface temperatures are below, or are likely to fall below, 10°C or the relative humidity is above 70%.

Safety precautions

- **Refer to the relevant Material Safety Data Sheets for Pack A and Pack B**
- Contents are flammable – keep away from all ignition sources
- Avoid contact with skin and eyes – when mixing, wear gloves and goggles
- When spraying, ensure adequate ventilation and wear appropriate protective clothing and equipment

Packaging Group II **UN No.** 1263 (Pack A); 1866 (Pack B)

Pack sizes 1 litre, 2 litre, 4 litre, 10 litre, 20 litre (Pack A)
500ml, 1 litre, 2 litre, 5 litre, 10 litre (Pack B)

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