

# Rhinogrip<sup>®</sup> Etch Primer

Adhesion-promoting primer

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## **Description**

Single-pack epoxy-modified etch primer

#### **Properties**

- Excellent adhesion to most ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- Intermediate coating to provide adhesion for topcoats over difficult substrates
- Simple single-pack formula

## **Typical Applications**

- Provides adhesion to galvanized steel, aluminium and Zincalume<sup>®</sup>
- Maximises adhesion to steel fabrications

## **General Data**

Weather resistance At 15 - 20 microns dry film build, not suitable for outdoor exposure without topcoating

At 30-35 microns dry film build, this product can serve as a one coat finish under

mild exposure conditions (equivalent wet film build 175-200 microns)

Solvent resistance
Resists splashes of hydrocarbon solvents; not recommended for continuous

immersion

Chemical resistance Poor Abrasion resistance Fair

Suitable topcoats Rapid Enamel, Purlenamel, Implement Enamel, Auto Enamel

May be used under 2K polyurethanes (refer to Rhinothane® PDS)

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

Resin type......Epoxy-modified Polyvinyl Butyral

Solids content......17% (by volume)

Typical film thickness (per coat).......15 microns (dry)

90 microns (wet)

Theoretical coverage......10-13m<sup>2</sup> / L @ 15 microns dry film thickness

Recoating.......after 1 hour and before 24 hours

■ Gloss..... Matt

Colours......Grey, Black, White

Shelf life.....minimum 12 months (in cool, dry conditions)

## **Surface Preparation**

- Bare steel surfaces should have rust and scale removed by abrasive blasting (to AS 1627.4 Class 2½) or mechanical abrasion
- Wipe with clean solvent and rags to remove grease and any other residues

## Mixing recommendation

- Mix the entire contents of the can before decanting
- Stir thoroughly with a broad paddle or mechanical mixer to ensure even consistency of the product
- Thin up to 50% by volume with Wagon Paints' T9 Universal Thinner (see Application below) and stir as above

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## **Application**

May be spray applied using airless or conventional air spray equipment

Suits application by dip tank

nozzle pressure......2000 – 2500 psi (14 - 17mPa)

volume of thinner.....5 - 15%

nozzle pressure...... 45 - 60 psi (300 - 400kPa)

volume of thinner..... 20 - 50%

Cleaning solvent ......T8 Thinner

## Safety precautions

Refer to the relevant Material Safety Data Sheet

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

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Pack sizes 1 litre, 4 litre, 20 litre

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