TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



Duco Chassis Black

Product Description

Type: A single pack solution of low melting point bitumen

Recommended use: To protect chassis or undersides and fenders of cars, vans, trucks from rust. Also provides excellent petrol and oil resistance.

Substrates: Suitably prepared ferrous metals.

Advantages: Rapid drying. Good water and corrosion resistance. Limited abrasion resistance.

Conditions during application: The temperature of the substrate should be minimum 10°C and at least 3°C above the dew point of the air, measured near the substrate. Good ventilation is required in confined areas to ensure proper drying.

PRODUCT DATA:

Colour Range: Black only

Pack Sizes: 1 litre and 4 litres

Finish: Gloss

Thinner & equipment cleaner: Thinner for Chassis Black or Industrial Thinner

Solids: 26% - 28% (by weight).

Supply Viscosity: 118 – 122 seconds BS4 Cup @25°C.

Dry Film Thickness: 20 - 30 µm.

APPLICATION DATA:

The product can be applied by: Spray or brush.

Mixing Ratio: Ready for Use for Brushing. Dilute up to 20% by volume with Industrial Thinner

for spraying

Application Viscosity: 20 -22 seconds B4 Cup @25°C

Application Pressure: 45 -50 PSI

Spreading Capacity per coat: Depends on film thickness applied, surface porosity, imperfections, application method & wastage during painting.

8 – 12 m²/l per coat. Brushing gives thicker coats and less wastage. Spraying gives better finish, thinner coats and more wastage (up to 50%)

Maximum spread rate per coat is obtained at minimum dry film thickness and vice versa.

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Drying time

Surface Temperature	Touch Dry	Overcoating/ Repair Time	Hard Dry
15 − 25°C	1½ hours	2½ hours	5 hours
26 − 30°C	1 hour	2 hours	4 hours
31 – 35°C	½ hour	1 hour	2 hours

Surface preparation & Paint System:

Surface	Preparation	Primer	Topcoat
New Metal	Degrease. Repair dents. Sand with P80 – P120 sand paper	Duco Chassis Black	Duco Chassis Black
Previously painted surfaces in sound condition	Remove loose paint Remove rust with rust remover Sand with P320 – P400 sand paper	Duco Chassis Black	Duco Chassis Black

Availability: From Crown Depots in Nairobi, Kisumu, Mombasa, Meru, Nyeri, Eldoret, Arusha, Mwanza, Dar es Salaam, Kigali and through Crown Stockists.

Storage Conditions: Store under cool dry conditions away from direct sunlight, heat and extreme cold.

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