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## TECHNICAL SHEET 8

CODE 0.290.	<b>steelguard</b> Protective coating for zincked surfaces		
GENERAL PROPERTIES	STEELGUARD is a protective coating featuring an optimum resistance to weather extremes and industrial environments. STEELGUARD is the perfect product for the protection and decoration of		
	galvanised sheet iron (roofs, gutters, down-pipes etc.) as it offers long - lasting impermeability, elasticity & substrate adhesion.		
	Its thermoplastic property, however, results in a poor scratch resistance therefore STEELGUARD is not suitable for the decoration of galvanized sheet iron subject to abrasion, scrubbing or compression (blinds, meta furniture/structures which must be packed or stacked).		
	Substrate preparation:		
	<ul> <li>Bare zincked surfaces: degrease accurately with Diluente ARD 0.972.0042, ensure the surface is perfectly dry &amp; apply STEELGUARD.</li> <li>Corroded zincked surfaces: sand any rusty areas, degrease the whole surface with Diluente ARD 0.972.0042 &amp; treat with PRIMER UNIVERSALE ARD 0.006.1010. Allow 24 hrs &amp; apply STEELGUARD.</li> <li>Unsound painted zincked surfaces: remove any existing paintwork using ARD STRIP 0.921. Use Diluente ARD 0.972.0042 to remove any residues &amp; proceed, according to the conditions of the substrate, as indicated above.</li> </ul>		
Application:			
	Apply STEELGUARD as follows:		
	<ul> <li>Brush: stir well, dilute at 13-15% in volume with Diluente ARD 0.976.0040 &amp; apply one layer of the desired thickness. If a second layer is required - allow 24-36 hrs - to avoid removal of the first.</li> <li>Spray gun: use a max of 15% in volume of Diluente ARD 0.976.0040 &amp; apply with the appropriate apparatuses.</li> <li>Do not recoat STEELGUARD with other enamels to avoid flaking.</li> <li>Ensure premises are "aired" correctly during application.</li> <li>Wash equipment immediately after use with Diluente ARD 0.976.0040 or 0.972.0042.</li> </ul>		

- Do not apply under direct sunlight or at ambient temperature below + 5°C. or above + 35°C.
- The product is flammable. Apply, store & transport in compliance with the current Health & Safety Regulations. Dispose of spent material/containers according to the same.
- Refer to the PSDS for further details.

<b>TECHNICAL PROPERTIES</b>	SPECIFIC WEIGHT		1160 ÷ 1260 g/l
	VISCOSITY AT 20 °C		2000 ÷ 6000 cps
	GLOSS (GLOSSMETER GARDNE	r 60°C)	40 ± 5
	FLASH POINT		+ 25°C
	DRYING AT 20 °C	DUST FREE	2 hrs
		TOUCH DRYI	12 hrs
		THROUGH DRYING	36 hrs

YIELD To obtain a good result a dry film thickness of 40 microns in required. Said thickness (brush:1 layer/air-spray gun: 2 layers) if applied correctly without spilling implies a yield of 7,5-8 m<sup>2</sup>/l.

**TENDER** PROTECTIVE COATING FOR ZINCKED SURFACES

 **SPECIFICATION ITEM** Application on pretreated zincked surfaces of 2 layers of protective product for zincked surfaces based on light-fast outdoor resistant styrol-acrylic resins type STEELGUARD with a min consumption of 0,13 l/m².

€/m²

The data herein were correct at the time of Quality Control & refer to standardized environmental conditions. The same are to be considered as a guide. *Revision 2012/07* 



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