

## Selection & Specification Data

<b>Generic Type</b>	Solvent Based Inorganic Zinc
<b>Description</b>	Time-tested corrosion resistant primer that protects steel galvanically in the harshest environments. For over five decades, Carbozinc 11 (CZ 11) has been the industry standard for high-performance inorganic zinc protection on steel structures worldwide.
<b>Features</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meets Class B slip co-efficient and creep testing criteria for use on faying surfaces.</li> <li>• Rapid cure. Dry to handle in 45 minutes at 60°F (16°C) and 50% relative humidity.</li> <li>• Low temperature cure down to 0°F (-18°C).</li> <li>• High zinc loading.</li> <li>• Meets FDA requirements.</li> <li>• Zinc supplied meets ASTM D520 (Type II)*</li> <li>• Meets SSPC Paint 20 Type I, Level 1 for zinc content.</li> <li>• Very good resistance to salting.</li> <li>• May be applied with standard airless or conventional spray equipment.</li> <li>• VOC compliant in certain areas</li> </ul>
	*Type III available on special order
<b>Color</b>	Green (0300); Gray (0700)
<b>Finish</b>	Flat
<b>Primer</b>	Self Priming
<b>Dry Film Thickness</b>	2 - 3 mils (51 - 76 microns) per coat

Dry film thickness up to 6.0 mils (150 microns) is acceptable

<b>Solid(s) Content</b>	By Volume 62.3% +/- 2% Measured in accordance with ASTM D 2697.
<b>Total Zinc Content in Dry Film</b>	85% by weight
<b>Coverage Rate</b>	1000 ft <sup>2</sup> /gal at 1 mil (24.5 m <sup>2</sup> /l at 25 microns) DFT 333 ft <sup>2</sup> /gal at 3 mils (8.2 m <sup>2</sup> /l at 75 microns) DFT Measured in accordance with ASTM D 2697. Allow for loss in mixing and application.
<b>VOC Values</b>	As Supplied EPA Method 24: 4.0 lbs./gal (479 g/l) Thinned: 7 oz/gal w/ Thinner 21: 4.1 lbs./gal (492 g/l) 5 oz/gal w/ Thinner 26: 4.1 lbs./gal (492 g/l) 5 oz/gal w/ Thinner 33: 4.1 lbs./gal (492 g/l) 8 oz/gal w/ Thinner 254: 4.2 lbs./gal (503 g/l) These are nominal values.
<b>Maximum Service Temperature</b>	<u>Untopcoated</u> Continuous: 750°F (400°C) Non-Continuous: 800°F (427°C) <u>With recommended high heat topcoats:</u> Continuous: 1000°F (538°C) Non-Continuous: 1200°F (649°C)
<b>Topcoats</b>	Can be topcoated with Epoxies, Polyurethanes, Acrylics, High-Heat Silicones and others as recommended by your Carboline sales representative. Not required for certain exposures. Under certain conditions, a mist coat is required to minimize topcoat bubbling.

## Substrates & Surface Preparation

<b>General</b>	Surfaces must be clean and dry. Employ adequate methods to remove dirt, dust, oil and all other contaminants that could interfere with adhesion of the coating.
<b>Steel</b>	<u>Non-Immersion:</u> SSPC-SP6 and obtain a 1.0-3.0 mil (25-75 micron) angular blast profile (Reference ASTM D4417)

## Performance Data

Test Method	System	Results
AASHTO M300 Bullet Hole Immersion Paragraph 4.6.9	1 ct. CZ11 over Abrasive blasted steel	No blistering or rusting of coating or rusting of bare steel area after 650 hrs. Immersion in 5% sod
ASTM A-325 Slip Co-efficient	Blasted Steel 1 ct. CZ 11 @6 mils (150 microns)	0.68; meets requirement for Class B rating
ASTM B117 Salt Spray	1 ct CZ11 at 2 mils dry film thickness over blasted steel.	No rusting blistering cracking delamination after 43000 hrs. Moderate salting of the surface only.
ASTM D3363 Pencil Hardness	1 ct. CZ11	Pencil Hardness "2H"

Test reports and additional data available upon written request.

## Mixing & Thinning

<b>Mixing</b>	Power mix base, then combine and power mix as follows. Pour zinc filler very slowly into premixed base with continuous agitation. Mix until free of lumps. Pour mixture through a 30 mesh screen. Sifting zinc through a screen will aid in the mixing process by breaking up or catching dry zinc lumps. <b>DO NOT MIX PARTIAL KITS.</b>
<b>Thinning</b>	May be thinned up to 5 oz/gal (4%) with Thinner 26 or 33 for ambient and warm surfaces. For extremely warm or windy conditions (above 85°F/29°C) may be thinned up to 8 oz/gal (6%) with Thinner 254. In cool weather (below 40°F (4°C)), thin up to 7 oz/gal (6%) with Thinner 21. Use of thinners other than those supplied or recommended by Carboline may adversely affect product performance and void product warranty, whether expressed or implied. Thinner 216M (while not available in the US) may be used in the Middle East; but its use may shorten pot life.
<b>Ratio</b>	1 Gal. Kit - Part A - .75 gal 1 Gal Kit - Zinc Filler - 14.6lbs 5 Gal Kit - Part A - 3.75 gal 5 Gal Kit - Zinc Filler - 73 lbs.
<b>Pot Life</b>	8 Hours at 75°F (24°C) and less at higher temperatures. Pot life ends when coating becomes too viscous to use.

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# Carbozinc® 11

## Application Equipment Guidelines

Listed below are general equipment guidelines for the application of this product. Job site conditions may require modifications to these guidelines to achieve the desired results.

**Spray Application (General)** The following spray equipment has been found suitable and is available from equipment manufacturers. Keep material under mild agitation during application. If spraying stops for more than 10 minutes, recirculate the material remaining in the spray line. Do not leave mixed primer in the hoses during work stoppages.

**Conventional Spray** Agitated pressure pot equipped with dual regulators, 3/8" I.D. minimum material hose, with a maximum length of 50 feet; 0.070" I.D. fluid tip and appropriate air cap.

**Airless Spray** Pump Ratio: 30:1 (min.)  
GPM Output: 3.0 (min.)  
Material Hose: 3/8" I.D. (min.)  
Tip Size: 0.019-0.023"  
Output PSI: 1500-2000 Filter Size: 60 mesh  
PTFE packings are recommended and available from the pump manufacturer.

**Brush** For touch-up of areas less than one square foot only. Use medium bristle brush and avoid rebrushing.

**Roller** Not recommended.

## Application Conditions

Condition	Material	Surface	Ambient	Humidity
Minimum	0 °F (-18 °C)	0 °F (-18 °C)	0 °F (-18 °C)	30%
Maximum	130 °F (54 °C)	200 °F (93 °C)	130 °F (54 °C)	95%

This product simply requires the substrate temperature to be above the dew point. Condensation due to substrate temperatures below the dew point can cause flash rusting on prepared steel and interfere with proper adhesion to the substrate. Special application techniques may be required above or below normal application conditions.

## Curing Schedule

Surface Temp.*	Dry to Handle	Dry to Recoat & Topcoat w/ other finishes
0 °F (-18 °C)	4 Hours	7 Days
40 °F (4 °C)	1 Hour	48 Hours
60 °F (16 °C)	45 Minutes	24 Hours
80 °F (27 °C)	45 Minutes	18 Hours
100 °F (38 °C)	15 Minutes	16 Hours

These times are based on a 3.0-4.0 mil (75-100 micron) dry film thickness. Higher film thickness, insufficient ventilation or cooler temperatures will require longer cure times and could result in solvent entrapment and premature failure. Humidity levels below 50% will require longer cure times.

**Notes:** Maximum recoat time is unlimited. Must have a clean, dry surface free of chalk, zinc salts, etc per typical good painting practices. Consult Carboline Technical Service for specific information. Also, loose zinc must be removed from the cured film by rubbing with fiberglass screen wire if: 1) The Carbozinc 11 is to be used without a topcoat in immersion service and "zinc pick up" could be detrimental, or 2) When "dry spray/overspray" is evident on the cured film and a topcoat will be applied. For **accelerated curing or where the relative humidity is below 40%**, allow an initial 2-hour ambient cure. Follow 2 hour cure with water misting or steam to keep the coated surface wet for a minimum of 8 hours and until the coated surface achieves a "2H" pencil hardness per ASTM D3363.

## Cleanup & Safety

**Cleanup** Use Thinner 21 or Isopropyl Alcohol. In case of spillage, absorb and dispose of in accordance with local applicable regulations.

**Safety** Read and follow all caution statements on this product data sheet and on the MSDS for this product. Employ normal workmanlike safety precautions.

## Cleanup & Safety

**Ventilation** When used as a tank lining or in enclosed areas, thorough air circulation must be used during and after application until the coating is cured. The ventilation system should be capable of preventing the solvent vapor concentration from reaching the lower explosion limit for the solvents used. In addition to ensuring proper ventilation, appropriate respirators must be used by all application personnel.

## Packaging, Handling & Storage

**Shelf Life** Part A: 12 months at 75°F (24°C)  
Part B: 24 months at 75°F (24°C)

\*Shelf Life: (actual stated shelf life) when kept at recommended storage conditions and in original unopened containers.

**Shipping Weight (Approximate)** 1 Gallon Kit - 23 lbs (10 kg)  
5 Gallon Kit - 113 lbs (51 kg)

**Storage Temperature & Humidity** 40° -100°F (4-38°C).  
0-90% Relative Humidity

**Flash Point (Setaflash)** Part A: 55°F (13°C)  
Zinc Filler: NA

**Storage** Store Indoors.

This product is solvent based and not affected by excursions below these published storage temperatures, down to 10°F, for a duration of no more than 14 days. Always inspect the product prior to use to make sure it is smooth and homogeneous when properly mixed.



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