

SELECTION & SPECIFICATION DATA

Generic Type	Universal Alkyd Primer / Finish
Description	This fast-drying, corrosion-resistant alkyd primer/finish with low hazardous air pollutants (HAPs) can be top-coated with a variety of finishes, including acrylic, alkyd, epoxy, urethane, and approved intumescent passive fire protection materials. Suitable for interior and exterior applications when used as part of a system.
Features	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corrosion resistant universal primer • Fast dry to handle and topcoat • Low HAP's • VOC compliant for most areas • May be used as a finish for interior conditioned spaces • Meets performance criteria of MPI 76 & 79
Typical Uses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabrication shops • Structural steel • OEM
Color	Red (0500); Gray (0700); White (S800)
Finish	Flat
Dry Film Thickness	2 - 3 mils (51 - 76 microns) per coat Don't exceed 4 mils (100 microns) in a single coat.
Solids Content	By Volume 51% +/- 2%
Theoretical Coverage Rate	818 ft ² /gal at 1.0 mils (20.1 m ² /l at 25 microns) 409 ft ² /gal at 2.0 mils (10.0 m ² /l at 50 microns) 273 ft ² /gal at 3.0 mils (6.7 m ² /l at 75 microns) Allow for loss in mixing and application.
VOC Values	As Supplied : 2.07 lbs./gal (248 g/l) These are nominal values and may vary slightly with color. This product contains US EPA VOC-exempt solvent(s).
Dry Temp. Resistance	Continuous: 200°F (93°C) Non-Continuous: 250°F (121°C) Discoloration is observed above 200°F
Topcoats	Should not be used to topcoat zinc based primers or galvanized steel. May be topcoated with acrylics, alkyds, catalyzed epoxies, and urethanes.

SUBSTRATES & SURFACE PREPARATION

General	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.
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Steel	SSPC-SP6 with a 1.0-2.0 mil (25-50 micron) surface profile for maximum protection. SSPC-SP2 or SP3 as minimum requirement. When using under fireproofing products, defer to the primer surface preparation requirements in the product data sheet of the fireproofing product.
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MIXING & THINNING

Mixing	Power mix until uniform in consistency.
Thinning	Normally not required but may thin as follows: Spray, brush or roller may be thinned up to 5 oz/gal (5%) with Thinner #10. Use of thinners other than those supplied or recommended by Carboline may adversely affect product performance and void product warranty, whether expressed or implied.

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 manufacturers such as Graco, WIWA, or equivalent.
Conventional Spray	Pressure pot equipped with dual regulators, 3/8" I.D. minimum material hose, 0.052" fluid tip and appropriate air cap.
Airless Spray	Pump Ratio: 30:1 (minimum) GPM Output: 3.0 (minimum) Material Hose: 3/8" I.D. (minimum) Tip Size: 0.013" - 0.017" Output PSI: 2200-3000 Filter Size: 60 mesh
Brush & Roller (General)	Multiple coats may be required to achieve desired appearance, hiding and recommended dry film thickness. Avoid excessive re-brushing or re-rolling.
Brush	Use a natural bristle brush.
Roller	Use a short-nap synthetic roller cover with phenolic core.

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Condition	Material	Surface	Ambient	Humidity
Minimum	35°F (2°C)	35°F (2°C)	35°F (2°C)	0%
Maximum	100°F (38°C)	120°F (49°C)	120°F (49°C)	90%

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.

CURING SCHEDULE

Surface Temp.	Dry to Touch	Dry to Handle	Dry to Topcoat	Dry to Topcoat w/ epoxies or urethanes
35°F (2°C)	30 Minutes	2 Hours	4 Hours	16 Hours
75°F (24°C)	10 Minutes	50 Minutes	2 Hours	8 Hours

These times are based on a 2.0 mil (50 microns) dry film thickness. Higher film thickness, insufficient ventilation, high humidity or cooler temperatures will require longer cure times and could result in solvent entrapment or premature failure. Recoat intervals may vary from those listed above when using under intumescent fireproofing products. Consult Carboline Technical Service for recommended cure times before applying Carboline intumescent products. Unlimited recoat window.

CLEANUP & SAFETY

Cleanup	Use Carboline Thinner 2 or Thinner 225 E (acetone). 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 SDS for this product. Employ normal workmanlike safety precautions. Wear protective clothing, gloves and use protective cream on face, hands and all exposed areas.
Ventilation	When used 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. User should test and monitor exposure levels to ensure all personnel are below guidelines. If not sure or if not able to monitor levels, use MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator.
Caution	This product contains flammable solvents. Keep away from sparks and open flames. All electrical equipment and installations should be made and grounded in accordance with the National Electric Code. In areas where explosion hazards exist, workers should be required to use non-ferrous tools and wear conductive and non-sparking shoes.

PACKAGING, HANDLING & STORAGE

Shelf Life	24 months at 75°F (24°C) *Shelf Life: (actual stated shelf life) when kept at recommended storage conditions and in original unopened containers.
Storage Temperature & Humidity	35° - 110°F (2° - 43°C) 0-100% Relative Humidity
Storage	Store in a cool, dry well-ventilated area. Keep container closed and upright when not in use to prevent leakage.
Shipping Weight (Approximate)	1 Gallon (3.8 L): 13 lbs. (6 kg) 5 Gallon (18.9 L): 66 lbs. (30 kg) 53 Gallon (200.6 L): 715 lbs (325 kg)
Flash Point (Setaflash)	61°F (16°C)

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