

TECHNICAL DATA

FENCE, GUTTER & FASCIA TOUCH UP PAINT

Durable Exterior Touch Up Paint

Description

Galmet Fence, Gutter, & Fascia Touch Up Paint is a flexible, extremely durable exterior enamel designed for touching up spot repairs on metal surfaces. It will tolerate the high temperatures of the Australian summer down to the sub-zero temperatures of winter nights.

Galmet Fence, Gutter, & Fascia Touch Up Paint is suitable for the collection of drinking water. It is produced in a range of satin finishes to match Colorbond colours. Colorbond is the registered trademark of Bluescope Steel.

Areas of application

- Fascia and Gutters
- Tank exteriors
- Fences and gates
- Exterior steelwork
- Down pipes

Features

- Durable
- Suitable for drinking water
- Easy to apply
- Range of satin colours

Directions for use

Preparation

- The surface should be firm and dry, free of grease and oil
- Rusty areas should be thoroughly wire brushed, and rinsed with fresh water and treated with **Galmet Ironize**
- Firmly adhering old paint does not have to be removed if it is in sound condition
- Any chalked or loose paint must be removed

Priming

- Galvanized iron should be primed with **Galmet Keytite Etch Primer**
- Mild steel should be primed with **Galmet Keytite Steel Primer**

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Application

- Paint in mild conditions
- Avoid high temperatures
- Cease painting before late afternoon
- Avoid applying at temperatures lower than 10°C or in damp conditions
- Apply using smooth, even strokes holding the can approximately 25cm from the surface
- For each coat, first apply a mist coat and then build up opacity by applying a number of light coats several minutes apart

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| Mixing: | Shake can for at least one minute after agitator ball moves and frequently during use |
| Clean Up: | Mineral Turpentine |
| Dry Time: | Touch – 20 minutes Recoat – 2 hours |
| Coverage: | Up to 2.2 sq. metres per 350g can |

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| Colour/Gloss: | Available in a range of colours in satin finish |
| Pigment: | Suitable for exterior exposure. Does not contain heavy metals. Suitable for water collection |
| Resin: | Thermoplastic acrylic resin |
| Flash Point: | 37°C |
| Heat Resistance: | Stable up to 120°C |
| Water Resistance: | Excellent splash resistance. Not recommended for permanent immersion |

Precautions

- The factory-baked finish of Colorbond Steel has colour retention properties achievable by this process. **Galmet Fence, Gutter, & Fascia Touch Up Paint** is by necessity air-drying and hence will have different weathering properties to the Colorbond Steel.
- Misuse or overuse of **Galmet Fence, Gutter, & Fascia Touch Up Paint** can result in spoiling an otherwise satisfactory overall appearance on the surface of Colorbond Steel.
- Colorbond Steel Roofing: Bluescope Steel recommend that slight scratches and cut edges should not be touched up and that excessively scratched or damaged roof sheeting should be replaced. Colorbond is the registered trademark of Bluescope Steel.

Storage and Shelf Life

Store in dry conditions between 10°C and 30°C, away from sources of heat and naked flames. Protect from frost. When stored in original sealed containers, the minimum shelf life is two (2) years.

Packaging

Galmet Fence, Gutter, & Fascia Touch Up Paint in 350g aerosol tins

TDG Code: UN1950

Warning

Aerosol spray is pressurised handle according to instructions on label. Avoid breathing vapour and spray mist. Provide adequate ventilation in confined spaces. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Follow First Aid measures according to the Material Safety Data Sheet.

Health & Safety Information

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