

# **LUXATHANE® DTM**

# **Direct to Prepared Metal Polyurethane Finish**

**PC 401** 

- FEATURES CONTAINS CORROSION INHIBITING PIGMENT ZINC PHOSPHATE
  - INCREASED PRODUCTIVITY, NO PRIMER REQUIRED IN MILD CORROSIVE CONDITIONS
  - VERY GOOD UV RESISTANCE AND GLOSS RETENTION
  - GOOD DRYING AND RECOAT PROPERTIES
  - TINTABLE AVAILABLE IN OVER 2,500 COLOURS
  - GLOSS FINISH

USES LUXATHANE® DTM is a two-component acrylic polyurethane that incorporates the rust inhibitive pigment, zinc phosphate, allowing for direct application to abrasive blast or power tool cleaned steel. LUXATHANE® DTM delivers both corrosion protection and an attractive decorative gloss finish. The high build properties of LUXATHANE® DTM direct to metal surfaces, without the use of a primer, allows for the fast coating of steel that is subject to sheltered or mild (C1-C3) corrosive environments.

Typical areas of application of LUXATHANE® DTM include structural frames and trusses for factories and warehouses, farm and heavy engineering equipment.

LUXATHANE® Accelerator is available for use with Standard Hardener to promote faster drying.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

RESISTANCE GUIDE									
WEATHERABILITY	Very good gloss and colour retention on exterior exposure		Unaffected by splash and spillage of common alcohols, aliphatic and aromatic hydrocarbons, esters and ketones						
HEAT RESISTANCE	Up to 120°C dry heat	WATER	Excellent resistance to fresh and salt water but not suitable for immersion						
SALTS	Unaffected by splash and spillage of most salt solutions	ALKALIS	Good resistance to splash and spillage of most common alkalis						
ACIDS	Good resistance to splash and spillage of most common acids	ABRASION	Very good when fully cured						

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<b>TYPICAL PROP</b>	ERTIES A	AND APPLICATION D	DATA					
CLASSIFICATION	Two pack acrylic polyurethane coating APPLICATION CONDITIONS							
FINISH	Gloss			Min	Max			
COLOUR	White and ar	n extensive range of tinted	Air Temp.	10°C	40°C			
	colours		Substrate Temp.	10°C	40°C			
			<b>Relative Humidity</b>		85%			
COMPONENTS	Two							
VOLUME SOLIDS	55% (White)	IS)						
VOC LEVEL	<430 g/litre (	White, untinted)		Min	Max	Recommended		
FLASH POINT	>23°C		Wet film per coat (µm)	110	165	145		
POT LIFE	5 hours (4 litre kit, 25°C)		Dry film per coat (µm)	60	90	80		
MIXING RATIO V/V	Part A:4	Part B: 1						
THINNER - BRUSH	965-63023	Urethane Thinner	SUITABLE	Abrasive bla	st cleaned,	hand cleaned or		
THINNER - SPRAY	965-63023	Urethane Thinner	SUBSTRATES	power tool c	leaned stee	el		
PRODUCT CODE		White	PRIMERS	N/A				
	727-39141	Golden Yellow						
	727-63001 727-63003	Light Base Clear Base	TOPCOATS	N/A				
	976-H0165	Standard Hardener						

# DRYING CHARACTERISTICS AT 80 µm DRY FILM THICKNESS

Part C Accelerator

976-H0229

					OVERCOAT		
Temperature	Humidity	Touch	Handle	Full Cure	Min	Max*	
10° C	50%	75 Minutes	13 Hours	7 Days	13 Hours	Extended	
15° C	50%	60 Minutes	10 Hours	7 Days	10 Hours	Extended	
25° C	50%	30 Minutes	5 Hours	7 Days	5 Hours	Extended	

These figures are a guide only, as ventilation, film thickness, humidity, thinning and other factors will influence the rate of drying.

SPREADING RATE ASSUMING NO LOSSES

6.8 square metres per litre equals 80 µm dry film thickness

NOTE: Practical spreading rates will vary depending on such factors as application method, ambient conditions, surface porosity and roughness.

APPLICATION | Conventional, HVLP, airless spray or air

METHODS assisted spray

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# STANDARD HARDENER WITH ACCELERATOR (PART C)

MIXING RATIO PART C: 1 DOSE PER 4 LITRE KIT

# **COATING THICKNESS (MICRONS)**

### **APPLICATION CONDITIONS**

	Min	Max	Recommended		Min	Max
Wet film per coat (µm)	110	165	145	Air Temperature	10°C	40°C
Dry film per coat (µm)	60	90	80	Substrate Surface Temperature	10°C	40°C
				Relative Humidity		85%

SOLIDS BY VOLUME 54% (White)

VOC LEVEL <440 g/L (White)

POT LIFE 5 Hours (4 Litre kit, 25°C)

# DRYING CHARACTERISTICS AT 80 µm DRY FILM THICKNESS\*

					OVERCOAT*	
Temperature	Humidity	Touch	Handle	Full Cure	Min	Max
15° C	50%	50 minutes	6 Hours	7 Days	6 Hours	Extended
25° C	50%	25 minutes	4 Hours	7 Days	4 Hours	Extended

<sup>\*</sup>These figures are a guide only, as ventilation, film thickness, humidity, thinning and other factors will influence the rate of drying.

### **SPREADING RATE**

with Accelerator assuming no losses

# 6.7 square metres per litre equals 80 µm dry film thickness

NOTE: Practical spreading rates will vary depending on such factors as application method, ambient conditions, surface porosity and roughness.

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# **PREPARATION**

SURFACE Steel: Round off all rough welds, sharp edges and remove weld spatter. Remove grease, oil and other contaminants in accordance with AS1627.1 using Gamlen CA 1 (a free-rinsing, alkaline detergent) according to the manufacturer's written instructions and all safety warnings. Abrasive blast clean to a minimum of AS1627.4 Class 2.5 with a blast profile of 40 - 70 microns. Remove all dust brushing or vacuum.

> Non-ferrous metals: Round off all sharp edges. Degrease in accordance with AS1627.1. Whip blast with fine nonmetallic media to provide a key. Remove all dust with compressed air. Alternatively, degrease and abrade the surface with a non-metallic abrasive pad wetted with Gamlen CA 1 and water. Rinse thoroughly with fresh potable water.

### **APPLICATION**

Mix each can thoroughly using a power mixer until the contents are uniform. Ensure bases have been tinted to the correct colour before use. DULUX® ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE APPLICATION OF INCORRECT COLOUR. Mix the contents of both packs together thoroughly with a power mixer and let stand for 10 minutes. Box all containers before use to ensure colour consistency. Remix thoroughly before application.

**BRUSH/ROLLER** 

Suitable for small areas only. Thin with up to 100 ml/litre with Dulux® Urethane Thinner (965-63023) to aid application. When brushing and rolling additional coats may be required to attain the specified thickness.

CONVENTIONAL **SPRAY**  Thin up to 150ml/litre with Dulux® Urethane Thinner (965-63023) to aid atomisation. Apply in multiple wet coats overlapping each pass 50%

Typical Set-up Graco AirPro: 1.8mm (239543)

> Pressure at Triton 308: 65-100 kPa (10-15 p.s.i.) Pressure at Gun: 385-420 kPa (55-60 p.s.i.)

HVI P 1.4 Fluid Tip Set

**AIRLESS SPRAY** 

Standard airless spray equipment such as a Graco Xtreme 30:1 with a fluid tip of 15 thou (0.38mm) and an air supply capable of delivering 550-690 kPa (80-100 p.s.i.) at the pump. Thinning is not normally required but up to 100 ml/litre of Dulux® Urethane Thinner (965-63023) may be added to aid application.

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

This is an industrial product designed for use by experienced Protective Coating applicators. Where conditions may require variation from the recommendations on this Product Data Sheet contact your nearest Dulux® Consultant for advice prior to painting. Do not apply in conditions outside the parameters stated in this document without the written consent of Dulux® Australia. Freshly mixed material must not be added to material that has been mixed for some time. The rate of cure is dependent upon temperature. Do not apply at temperatures below 5°C. Do not apply at relative humidity above 85% or when the surface is less than 3°C above the dewpoint. Ensure you read and understand the safety precautions on the Material Safety Data Sheets for the two components before using. The recommended thinner MUST be used as some solvents react with the isocvanate hardener seriously degrading the life of the coating. Under no circumstances should water or non-recommended thinner be allowed to contaminate the product. In hot weather use DUTHIN® 040 (965-42166) to improve flow and to reduce dry spray. Use of Part C Luxathane® Accelerator may result in different gloss level and appearance when compared with result without Part C Luxathane® Accelerator. Use only within the allowable temperature ranges quoted above.

#### **CLEAN UP**

Clean all equipment with Dulux® Urethane Thinner (965-63023) immediately after use.

### **OVERCOATING**

Degrease with Gamlen CA 1 according to the data sheet. Test adhesion of existing coating by standard cross hatch adhesion test. If the coating fails, remove it. High-pressure water wash at 8.3 to 10.3 MPa (1,200-1,500 p.s.i.) to remove chalk and dust. Abrade surface to provide a good key for the new coating.

#### SAFFTY **PRECAUTIONS**

Read Data Sheet, SAFETY DATA SHEET and any precautions on container labels. SAFETY DATA SHEET is available from Customer Service (13 23 77) or www.duluxprotectivecoatings.com.au

STORAGE

Store as required for a flammable liquid Class 3 in a bunded area under cover. Store in a dry, well-ventilated area away from sources of heat or ignition. Keep containers closed at all times. Avoid moisture contamination.

HANDLING

As with any chemical, ingestion, inhalation and prolonged or repeated skin contact should be avoided by good occupational work practice. Eye protection approved to AS1337 must be worn while handling and using. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Isocyanate in the hardener reacts with water to produce gas. If a closed container shows signs of internal pressure, cover it completely with a cloth and remove the lid slowly to prevent splashing or violent expulsion of the lid.

USING

Use with good ventilation and avoid inhalation of spray mists and fumes. When spraying, wear a positive-pressure, air-supplied respirator. Users must comply with the provisions of the respective State Spray Painting Regulations at all times.

**FLAMMABILITY** 

This product is flammable. All sources of ignition must be eliminated in, or near the working area. DO NOT SMOKE. Fight fire with foam, CO<sub>2</sub> or dry chemical powder. On burning will emit toxic fumes.

WELDING

Avoid inhalation of fumes if welding surfaces coated with this paint. Grind off coating before welding.

### COMPANY INFORMATION

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DANGEROUS GOODS

PACKAGING, TRANSPORT AND STORAGE

PACKAGING Available in 4 litre litre packs TRANSPORTATION WEIGHT 1.28 kg/litre (Average of components) Part A: Class 3 UN 1263

Part B: Class 3 UN 1263

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