Top Coat
Direct to Metal (DTM)
Rust Preventive Paint

• No Need for Primer or Undercoat
• Use Over POR-15® Rust Preventive Coating for Permanent Protection
• Professional Use

POR-15® Top Coat is a direct-to-metal coating designed to work incredibly well in all applications where there is a need to help preserve substrates susceptible to corrosion. Under exterior exposure POR-15® Top Coat has exceptional long-term gloss and color retention. POR-15® Top Coat can be applied directly to metal substrates, with no need for a primer or undercoat, and is formulated to form a robust barrier that sheds moisture to provide long lasting protection. POR-15® Top Coat provides excellent adhesion and when used over POR-15® Rust Preventive Coating works to provide a permanent barrier to corrosion.

Applications: (For use over prepared steel.)
• Interior / exterior
• New construction
• Repaints
• Railings
• Storage tanks
• Machinery
• Structural steel
• Piping
• Steel doors
• Fire escapes
• Steel decking
• Conveyors
• Bar joists

Notes: Exact colors are difficult to show here, due to the printing process.

All colors available in Gallon, Quart, Pint and Aerosol. Clear is only available in Aerosol.
Product Description

POR-15® Top Coat safety colors comply with OSHA required/recommended color codes for marking physical hazards and designating caution, to include protective equipment. POR-15® Top Coat is a direct-to-metal coating designed to work incredibly well in all applications where there is a need to help preserve substrates susceptible to corrosion. Under exterior exposure POR-15® Top Coat has exceptional long-term sheen and color retention. POR-15® Top Coat can be applied directly to metal substrates or previously painted surfaces, with no need for a primer or undercoat, and is formulated to form a robust barrier that sheds moisture to provide long-lasting protection. POR-15® Top Coat provides excellent adhesion and when used over POR-15® Rust Preventive Coating, works to provide a permanent barrier to corrosion.

Application Information

All surfaces must be clean and free of all dirt, loose rust, oil, grease, wax, soap, loose paint and any other matter. Previously Painted Areas: Scuff surface with 320 grit sand paper. Use POR-15® Cleaner Degreaser and POR-15® Metal Prep. Let surface dry thoroughly. Bare Steel or Aluminum: Clean and prep surface then let dry thoroughly. For ultimate protection apply POR-15® Rust Preventive Coating after surface preparation and then apply POR-15® Top Coat.

Stir POR-15® Top Coat before and during use, DO NOT SHAKE. Using a pouring spout, dispense a portion into a separate container and seal can at once, keeping lid and grooves clean. Do not paint out of can. Apply POR-15® Top Coat in two thin covering coats. Spray: Use 25-30 lbs (170Kpa-210pa) pressure for normal gloss. Roller: Use all-purpose short nap phenolic core roller.

Dry time: It cures to touch in 30-60 minutes. Second coat can be applied in 2-72 hours, depending on ambient temperature and humidity. POR-15® Top Coat can take 3-4 days to reach max hardness, and longer in temperatures below 55°F (15°C).

Clean up: Do not put left-over paint back into can. Clean all equipment immediately after use with POR-15® Solvent. Flush out all fluid lines and carefully clean pressure pots. Use clean solvent only. It is also good practice to periodically clean the spray tip or the fluid tip/air cap combination during the course of the working day.

Safety Information

DANGER: RAGS, STEEL WOOL OR WASTE SOAKED WITH POR-15 TOP COAT MAY SPONTANEOUSLY CATCH FIRE IF IMPROPERLY DISCARDED. IMMEDIATELY AFTER USE, PLACE RAGS, STEEL WOOL, OR WASTE IN A SEALED WATER-FILLED METAL CONTAINER.

(Flat Gray)

⚠️WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Titanium Dioxide, Carbon Black, Ethyl Benzene, Cumene, Methanol, Benzene and Toluene, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

(Gloss Black)

⚠️WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including Carbon Black, Benzene and Toluene, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer and/or birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

(Gloss White)

⚠️WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including titanium dioxide, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

(All other colors)

⚠️WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer or birth defects or other reproductive harm.

HEALTH HAZARD INFORMATION: Vapor harmful. May affect the brain or nervous system causing dizziness, headache or nausea. May cause skin, eye, nose and throat irritation. Harmful if swallowed. NOTICE: Reports have associated repeated and prolonged occupational overexposure to solvents with permanent brain and nervous system damage. Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents may be harmful or fatal. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flame and hot surfaces. No smoking. Prevent build-up of vapors by opening all windows and doors to achieve cross-ventilation. In case of fire, use CO2 or powder for extinction.

Use only with adequate ventilation: Do not breathe vapor or spray mist. Ensure fresh air entry during application and drying. If you experience eye watering, headache or dizziness or if air monitoring demonstrates vapor / mist levels are above applicable limits, wear an appropriate, properly fitted respirator (NIOSH approved) during and after application. Follow respirator manufacturer’s directions for respirator use.

If spilled, contain spilled material and remove with inert absorbent. Dispose of contaminated absorbent, container and unused contents in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Do not get in eyes, on skin or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.

FIRST AID: IF SWALLOWED: DO NOT induce vomiting, immediately call Poison Control Center and have label available. FOR SKIN CONTACT: Wash thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention immediately. Wash clothing before reuse. FOR EYE CONTACT: Flush immediately with plenty of fresh water. Remove contact lenses. Continue eye flushing with water for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention immediately.

FOR PROFESSIONAL USE. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet available upon request for further safety and handling information.