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# COROTHANE® I GALVAPAC 2K ZINC PRIMER

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ZINC DUST

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## PRODUCT INFORMATION

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### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**COROTHANE® I GALVAPAC 2K ZINC PRIMER** is a two component, low VOC, moisture curing urethane zinc-rich primer that contains micaceous iron oxide. Designed for low temperature application to blast cleaned or power tool cleaned steel surfaces.

- Low temperature application - down to 20°F (-7°C)
- Easy to apply and recoat
- Resistant to mudcracking
- Abrasion and chemical resistant
- Meets Class B requirements for Slip Coefficient and Creep Resistance, .54
- Enhanced coating strength and edge protection with micaceous iron oxide addition

### PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

<b>Finish:</b>	Flat
<b>Color:</b>	Gray
<b>Volume Solids:</b>	67% ± 2%, mixed
<b>Weight Solids:</b>	91.7% ± 2%
<b>VOC (calculated):</b>	<340 g/L; 2.8 lb/gal, mixed
<b>Mix Ratio:</b>	2 components; premeasured 2.75 gallon mix
<b>Zinc Content in Dry Film:</b>	83% ± 2% by weight

### Recommended Spreading Rate per coat:

	Standard		AWWA	
	Min	Max	Min	Max
<b>Wet mils (microns)</b>	4.5	112	6.8	170
<b>Dry mils (microns)</b>	3.0	75	4.0	100
<b>~Coverage sq ft/gal (m<sup>2</sup>/L)</b>	268	6.5	358	8.8
<b>Theoretical coverage sq ft/gal (m<sup>2</sup>/L) @ 1 mil / 25 microns dft</b>	1072	26.2		

NOTE: Brush or roll application may require multiple coats to achieve maximum film thickness and uniformity of appearance.

\*See Recommended Systems on Product Information page

### Drying Schedule @ 5.0 mils wet (125 microns):

	@ 40°F/4.5°C	@ 77°F/25°C 50% RH	@ 100°F/38°C
<b>To touch:</b>	45 minutes	20 minutes	10 minutes
<b>To recoat (min.): atmospheric service</b>	8 hours	4-6 hours	1 hour
<b>To recoat (min.): immersion service</b>	24 hours	12 hours	10 hours
<b>To recoat (max.):</b>	12 months	12 months	12 months
<b>To cure: atmospheric service</b>	5 days	3 days	1 day
<b>To cure: immersion service</b>	14 days	7 days	5 days

If maximum recoat time is exceeded, abrade surface before recoating. Drying time is temperature, humidity, and film thickness dependent. For Potable Water Service, allow a minimum cure time of 7 days @ 77°F (25°C) prior to placing in service. Sterilize and rinse per AWWA C652.

<b>Shelf Life:</b>	Part A - 12 months, unopened Part F - 24 months, unopened Store indoors at 40°F (4.5°C) to 100°F (38°C).
<b>Flash Point:</b>	94°F (34°C), PMCC
<b>Reducer/Clean Up:</b>	Reducer #15, R7K15

### RECOMMENDED USES

- **Immersion Service - potable water:** Meets NSF Standard 61 for use in potable water storage.
  - 250,000 gallon untopcoated
  - 20,000 gallon minimum topcoated
- Meets requirements of SSPC Paint Spec No. 40 for zinc rich moisture cure urethane primer
- As a primer in a urethane coating system for bridges, tanks, chemical, and marine structures
- Wind Towers - onshore and offshore
- Ideal for priming water assisted abrasive blasted surfaces where flash rusting or blooming limits the use of conventional zinc rich coatings
- Acceptable for use with cathodic protection with select topcoats
- Conforms to AWWA D102 Inside Coating System #3 (ICS-3), Inside Coating System #5 (ICS-5), Outside Coating System #2 (OCS-2), Outside Coating System #3 (OCS-3), Outside Coating System #4 (OCS-4), and Outside Coating System #6 (OCS-6)
- A component of INFINITANK

### PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

**Substrate\*:** Steel

**Surface Preparation\*:** SSPC-SP5

**System Tested\*:**

- 1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer @ 3.5 mils (88 microns) dft
- 1 ct. Corothane I MIO-Aluminum @ 3.0 mils (75 microns) dft

\*unless otherwise noted below

Test Name	Test Method	Results
<b>Abrasion Resistance</b>	ASTM D4060, CS17 wheel, 1000 cycles, 1 kg load	45 mg loss
<b>Adhesion (Zinc only)</b>	ASTM D4541	1943 psi
<b>Corrosion Weathering</b>	ASTM D5984, 15 cycles, 5000 hours	Rating 10 per ASTM D610 Rusting (field); Rating 10 per ASTM D714 Blistering
<b>Direct Impact Resistance (Zinc only)</b>	ASTM D2794	160 in. lb.
<b>Dry Heat Resistance</b>	ASTM D2485	300°F (149°C) continuous, 350°F (177°C) intermittent
<b>Flexibility</b>	ASTM D522, 180° bend, 1/4" mandrel	Passes
<b>Immersion (Galvapac/2 cts Macropoxy 646 NSF)</b>	5 year potable water	Rating 10 per ASTM D610 for Rusting; Rating 10 per ASTM D714 for Blistering
<b>Moisture Condensation Resistance (Zinc only)</b>	ASTM D4585, 100°F (38°C), 4000 hours	Rating 10 per ASTM D610 for Rusting; Rating 10 per ASTM D714 for Blistering
<b>Pencil Hardness</b>	ASTM D3363	2H (zinc only)
<b>Salt Fog Resistance (Zinc only)</b>	ASTM B117, 5000 hours	Rating 10 per ASTM D610 for Rusting; Rating 10 per ASTM D714 for Blistering
<b>Slip Coefficient* (Zinc only)</b>	AISC Specification for Structural Joints Using ASTM A325 or ASTM A490 Bolts	Class B, .54
<b>Wet Heat Resistance</b>	Non-immersion	190°F (88°C)

**Complies with ISO 12944-5 C5I and C5M requirements.**

\*Refer to Slip Certification document



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	Dry Film Thickness / ct.	
	Mils	(Microns)
<b>Immersion Service, Potable Water, Steel:</b>		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	3.0-4.0	(75-100)
2 cts. Macropoxy 646 PW	5.0-10.0	(125-250)
<b>Immersion Service (Non-Potable Water), Steel:</b>		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	3.0-4.0	(75-100)
2 cts. Corothane I Coal Tar	5.0-7.0	(125-175)
<b>Atmospheric Service, Steel:</b>		
*AWWA D102 Outside Coating System No. 2 minimum AWWA		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	7.5	(188)
1 ct. Corothane Ironox B	3.0	(75)
1 ct. Corothane I HS	3.0	(75)
1 ct. Corothane I HS	1.5	(40)
*AWWA D102: Outside Coating System No. 6 minimum AWWA		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	6.0	(150)
1 ct. Macropoxy 646 PW	2.0	(50)
1 ct. Acrolon 218HS	2.0	(50)
<b>Steel, Rapid Return to Service:</b>		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	3.0-4.0	(75-100)
1 ct. Fast Clad Urethane	6.0-9.0	(150-225)
<b>ISO 12944 C5M System:</b>		
1 ct. Corothane I GalvaPac 2K Zinc Primer	3.0-4.0	(75-100)
1 ct. Fast Clad Urethane	6.0-9.0	(150-225)

Acceptable for use over Zinc Clad PCP Ultra. Topcoat required.

The systems listed above are representative of the product's use, other systems may be appropriate.

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### SURFACE PREPARATION

Surface must be clean, dry, and in sound condition. Remove all oil, dust, grease, dirt, loose rust, and other foreign material to ensure adequate adhesion.

Refer to product Application Bulletin for detailed surface preparation information.

Minimum recommended surface preparation:

Iron & Steel Atmospheric: SSPC-SP6/NACE 3, 2 mil (50 micron) profile preferred

Immersion, with recommended topcoat: SSPC-SP10, 2 mil (50 micron) profile

Surface Preparation Standards					
Condition of Surface	ISO 8501-1 BS7079:A1	Swedish Std. SIS055900	SSPC	NACE	
White Metal	Sa 3	Sa 3	SP 5	1	
Near White Metal	Sa 2.5	Sa 2.5	SP 10	2	
Commercial Blast	Sa 2	Sa 2	SP 6	3	
Brush-Off Blast	Sa 1	Sa 1	SP 7	4	
Hand Tool Cleaning	Rusted C St 2	C St 2	SP 2	-	
Pitted & Rusted	D St 2	D St 2	SP 2	-	
Power Tool Cleaning	Rusted C St 3	C St 3	SP 3	-	
Pitted & Rusted	D St 3	D St 3	SP 3	-	

### TINTING

Do not tint.

### APPLICATION CONDITIONS

Temperature:  
air and surface: 20°F (7°C) minimum  
120°F (49°C) maximum  
material: 45°F (7°C) minimum

Do not apply over surface ice

Relative humidity: 30% minimum, 99% maximum

Refer to product Application Bulletin for detailed application information.

### ORDERING INFORMATION

Packaging:  
Part A: 1.73 gallons (6.5L) in a 3 gallon (11.3L) container  
Part F: 60 lb zinc dust, 7.2 Kg/L  
Weight: 28.5 ± 0.2 lb/gal, 3.42 Kg/L

### SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

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#### Iron & Steel (immersion service)

Remove all oil and grease from surface by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1. Minimum surface preparation is Near White Metal Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP10/NACE 2. Blast clean all surfaces using a sharp, angular abrasive for optimum surface profile (2 mils / 50 microns). Remove all weld spatter and round all sharp edges by grinding. Prime any bare steel the same day as it is cleaned or before flash rusting occurs.

#### Iron & Steel (atmospheric service)

Remove all oil and grease from surface by Solvent Cleaning per SSPC-SP1. Minimum surface preparation is Commercial Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP6/NACE 3. For better performance, use Near White Metal Blast Cleaning per SSPC-SP10/NACE 2. Blast clean all surfaces using a sharp, angular abrasive for optimum surface profile (2 mils / 50 microns). Prime any bare steel the same day as it is cleaned or before flash rusting occurs.

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### APPLICATION EQUIPMENT

The following is a guide. Changes in pressures and tip sizes may be needed for proper spray characteristics. Always purge spray equipment before use with listed reducer. Any reduction must be compliant with existing VOC regulations and compatible with the existing environmental and application conditions.

**Reducer/Clean Up** ..... Reducer #15, R7K15

#### Airless Spray

Pump.....30:1  
Pressure.....1800-2000 psi  
Hose.....1/4" ID  
Tip......015" - .019"  
Filter.....60 mesh  
Reduction.....As needed up to 10% by volume

#### Conventional Spray

Unit.....	Graco	Binks
Gun.....	900	95
Fluid Nozzle.....	070	66/65
Air Nozzle.....	947	63PR
Atomization Pressure.....	60-70 psi	60-70 psi
Fluid Pressure.....	15-20 psi	15-20 psi
Reduction.....	As needed up to 10% by volume	

#### Brush

Brush.....Natural bristle  
Reduction.....As needed up to 10% by volume

#### Roller

Cover.....3/8" natural or synthetic with  
solvent resistant core  
Reduction.....As needed up to 10% by volume

If specific application equipment is not listed above, equivalent equipment may be substituted.

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### APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Surface preparation must be completed as indicated.

**Corothane I - GalvaPac Zinc Primer** comes in 2 premeasured containers which when mixed provides 2.75 gallons (10.4L) of ready-to-apply material.

**Mixing Instructions:** Thoroughly agitate Binder Part A. Using continuous air driven agitation, slowly mix all 60 lbs. of Zinc Dust, B69D210, Part F into Binder Part A until mixture is completely uniform. After mixing, pour mixture through 30-60 mesh screen. Mixed material must be used within 8 hours. Do not mix previously mixed material with new.

If reducer solvent is used, add only after both components have been thoroughly mixed.

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Application of coating above maximum or below minimum recommended spreading rate may adversely affect coating performance.

### CLEAN UP INSTRUCTIONS

Clean spills and spatters immediately with Reducer #15, R7K15. Clean tools immediately after use with Reducer #15, R7K15. Follow manufacturer's safety recommendations when using any solvent.

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### PERFORMANCE TIPS

Stripe coat all crevices, welds, and sharp angles to prevent early failure in these areas.

Spreading rates are calculated on volume solids and do not include an application loss factor due to surface profile, roughness or porosity of the surface, skill and technique of the applicator, method of application, various surface irregularities, material lost during mixing, spillage, overthinning, climatic conditions, and excessive film build.

Excessive reduction of material can affect film build, appearance, adhesion, and NSF 61 approval.

In order to avoid blockage of spray equipment, clean equipment before use or before periods of extended downtime with Reducer #15, R7K15.

Pour a small amount of Reducer #15, R7K15 over the top of the paint in the can to prevent skinning or gelling.

Place a temporary cover over the pail to keep excessive moisture, condensation, fog, or rain from contaminating the coating.

Do not use continuous agitation.

It is recommended that partially used cans not be sealed/closed for use at a later date.

An intermediate coat is recommended to provide a uniform appearance of the topcoat.

Corothane I KA Accelerator is acceptable for use (except NSF applications). See data page 5.98 for details.

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