

## PROTECTIVE COATINGS T-WASH

Crown Trade Protective Coatings T-Wash is an etching wash for non-weathered, untreated, galvanised surfaces. It creates a chemical reaction and causes the surface to turn black, which confirms that the surface has been satisfactorily degreased and is ready for priming.

### AVAILABILITY

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| Colour Range | Clear.   |
| Packaging    | 5 litre. |

### PROPERTIES

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| Drying Time        | Under normal drying conditions touch dry in 2 hours. Treated surfaces must be primed within 48 hours.  |
| Finish             | Not applicable.  |
| Composition        | Acidic copper solution.  |
| Spreading Rate     | Up to 15m <sup>2</sup> per litre on smooth surfaces.   |
| Wet Film Thickness | Not applicable.  |
| Dry Film Thickness | Not applicable.  |
| Volume Solids      | 43%  |
| Flash Point        | 36°C. (closed cup).  |
| VOC Content        | Not applicable.  |
| Limitations        | Do not apply when air or substrate temperatures are likely to fall below 8°C or when the relative humidity is above 80% during application or the drying period. |

### PREPARATION

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| New, untreated galvanised metalwork. | Surfaces must be clean and free from anything that will interfere with the materials to be applied. Wash with hot water and liquid detergent solution to remove oil, grease or any other contaminants, frequently changing the water. Rinse thoroughly with clean water. Allow to dry. Galvanised surfaces should be pre-treated with Crown Trade Protective Coatings T Wash. Overall blackening of the surface will confirm satisfactory surface preparation. |
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### COATING SYSTEM

Apply one coat of Crown Trade Protective Coatings High Build Rust Inhibiting Metal Primer within 48 hours of treatment. Finish as required.

### APPLICATION

Stir well before use. Apply, undiluted, by brush.

### CLEANING

Return surplus material to container. Wash with clean water immediately after use.

### HEALTH AND SAFETY

Please refer to the Safety, Health and Environmental Information on the container. Take special precautions during the surface preparation of pre 1960's painted surfaces as they may contain harmful lead. For further information contact the Crown Trade Customer Relations Team. When preparing all surfaces avoid the inhalation of dust and/or metal particles. Wear a suitable facemask. Material Safety Data Sheets for this and all other Crown Paints products are freely available from the place of purchase or the address below. Store in secure dry conditions inaccessible to children or animals. Containers should be kept closed during storage. Do not empty into drains, watercourses or access routes to septic tanks.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Apply all products in accordance with BS 6150: 2006 Code of practice for painting of buildings and BS 8000: Part 12: 1989 Code of practice for decorative wallcoverings and painting. Under normal and frost free conditions this product will remain usable for up to two years if stored correctly and unopened.

Every care is taken to ensure that all information provided on this Technical Data Sheet is accurate. Crown Paints is unable to guarantee results as it has no control over the conditions under which its products are applied.

Before using this product please ensure you have the latest information. For help or more information contact the Crown Trade Customer Relations Team on:

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