

Carboclean 251

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

SELECTION & SPECIFICATION DATA

Generic Type

Single package, non-abrasive liquid acid detergent solution for preparing galvanised surfaces.

Carboclean 251 is designed to remove zinc salts and oxidation products from galvanised steel. A thorough water rinse after use will provide a clean surface suitable for painting.

Description

Due to the many types of galvanizing, it is recommended that a test area be applied to ensure that the galvanised surface can be adequately prepared to provide adhesion of the proposed coating systems before painting commences.

Not recommended for removal of oil or grease, immersion services or in conjunction with zinc rich primers.

Color | Clear only

Primer

Galvanised surfaces should be primed as soon as possible after cleaning. Consult StonCor Africa for specific primer recommendations.

Theoretical Coverage Rates

10m²/litre ready to use (depending on concentration)

NOTE: Material losses during mixing and application will vary and must be taken into consideration when estimating job requirements.

SUBSTRATES & SURFACE PREPARATION

Sweep surface to remove dust and dirt. Remove loose rust or scale if present. Remove any grease and storage oils with a suitable water rinseable degreasing agent such as Carboclean 250. On large areas, like roofs, pour small quantities at a time onto the galvanised steel using a plastic watering can and scrub with soft bristle brooms to spread the solution evenly, ensuring full coverage.

General

Allow Carboclean 251 to remain in contact with the galvanised surface for 5 to 15 minutes and rinse well with clean running water, using hose pipes, while sweeping with soft bristle brooms to obtain a water break-free surface. If necessary, repeat the above procedure until a water break-free surface is obtained.

Allow to dry before priming.

MIXING & THINNING

Mixing | May be diluted with up to 3 parts of clean water, depending on degree of preparation required.

APPLICATION EQUIPMENT GUIDELINES

Listed below are general equipment guidelines for the application of this product. Job site conditions may require modifications to these guidelines to achieve the desired results.

Spray Application | Spraying is not recommended.

Brush Use a medium bristle brush for small areas and soft bristle brooms for large areas.

CURING SCHEDULE

Curing Details

Carboclean 251 may be rinsed with fresh water after 15 minutes and the surface painted as soon as the water evaporates.

CLEANUP & SAFETY

Cleanup | Use water to clean up.

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Safety

Carboclean 251 is an acid mixture. Contact with the skin, eyes and clothing should be avoided. Wear rubber gloves and safety goggles when handling.

Caution | Always mix in plastic containers, not metal. Always add Carboclean 251 to water, not vice versa.

PACKAGING, HANDLING & STORAGE

Shelf Life

24 Months minimum when stored at 25°C

*Shelf Life: (actual stated shelf life) when kept at recommended storage conditions and in

original unopened containers.

Shipping Weight 25 Litre

(Approximate) Carboclean 251: 32 kg

Storage Temperature & 4 to 65°C

Humidity 0 to 100%

Flash Point (Pensky

Not applicable – water-based product

Martens Closed Cup)

Storage | Store indoors

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