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WEST MARINE BOTTOMSHIELD
ANTIFOULING PAINT (RED, GREEN, BLUE, BLACK)
SOLUTION

COMMERCIAL

DANGER

POISON

REGISTRATION NUMBER 21840

PEST CONTROL PRODUCTS ACT

READ THE LABEL BEFORE USING

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West Marine
Satisfaction Guaranteed

NET CONTENTS: 3.78 LITRES

GUARANTEE:
CUPROUS OXIDE 42.56%
COPPER (as elemental) 37.8%

Warning, contains the allergens soy and fish.
SKIN IRRITANT
EYE IRRITANT
FLAMMABLE

BottomShield

BottomShield is a premium quality anti-fouling protective paint, resistant to algae, barnacles and other marine fouling. Effective in both fresh and salt water, it is a soft finish and its high copper content provides remarkable anti-fouling properties. It is easy to apply and gives long, effective life. This paint provides excellent performance on high or low speed boats in temperate waters.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

For use on boats or ships only. For prevention of marine fouling. Application rate is 9.84 square metres per litre (400 square feet per gallon).

Fiberglass:

New fiberglass bottoms must be dewaxed using West Marine #329591. Change rags frequently to remove Dewaxer and contaminants. Sand with 80 to 100 grit paper and prime with two coats of N470 BottomPoxy Primer. To protect against gel coat blistering, apply four to five coats of N470 BottomPoxy Primer.

Wood:

This paint can be applied directly to new wood bottoms after sanding smooth with 80 grit paper. Then apply two coats of BottomShield. Reduce first coat 10% with West Marine #329591.

Metal:

Bring iron and steel to bright finish and prime with two to four coats of N470 BottomPoxy Primer. On previously painted surfaces, loose or flaking spots in the old coating should be cleaned down to bright metal by wire brush, power sanding or sandblasting and immediately spot primed. At least one additional coat of primer should be applied to these spots before finish coating.

NOT FOR USE ON ALUMINUM

Previously Painted Surfaces:

Must be in good condition and clean, cracked, damaged or peeling coatings must be completely removed before painting.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Stir thoroughly. Allow at least four hours between coats and before launching. Two coats are recommended for best results. If thinning is necessary, use West Marine #329591. West Marine #329591 should be used for cleaning brushes and equipment. Application rate is 9.84 square meters per litre (400 square feet per gallon). Apply by brush, roller or spray. Temperature should be 10°C (50°F) or above. Surface should be dry and clean with loose or flaking paint completely removed. Apply under good drying conditions. Large vessels (>25m) must be treated by trained applicators.

DO NOT place the painted parts in water after painting until the paint is fully cured (see recommended times on the label). It is recommended that you prevent paint chips or dust caused by removing paint from entering water.

DO NOT apply this product in a way that will contact workers or bystanders, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application.

DO NOT contaminate irrigation or drinking water supplies or aquatic habitats by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

DO NOT apply this product directly to freshwater habitats (such as lakes, rivers, sloughs, ponds, prairie potholes, creeks, marshes, streams, reservoirs and wetlands), or estuarine/marine habitats.

DO NOT discharge effluent containing this product or the biocide produced into sewer systems, lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters unless the effluent has been detoxified by suitable means.

PRECAUTIONS

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Hazardous to Humans and Domestic Animals

WARNING

USE AN AIR-FED RESPIRATOR WITH A FULL FACE MASK DURING HANDLING AND APPLICATION. WEAR LONG PANTS, A LONG-SLEEVED SHIRT AND SHOES PLUS SOCKS, CHEMICAL RESISTANT GLOVES, GOGGLES AND FOOTWEAR, AND CHEMICAL RESISTANT CLOTHING INCLUDING HOOD OR HAT AT ALL TIMES DURING HANDLING, APPLYING AND MIXING/LOADING.

Handle with care and mix only in a closed container.

Use only in well ventilated areas.

When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

Take a shower immediately after work.

Wear freshly laundered clothes daily.

Wash hands and face before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Store and wash all protective clothing separately from household laundry. Wash protective clothing in detergent and hot water before reuse.

Remove personal protective equipment immediately after handling this product.

As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

Remove clothing/personal protective equipment immediately if pesticide gets inside.

Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

Discard clothing and other absorbent material that have been drenched or heavily contaminated with the product's concentrate. Do not reuse them.

Wash the outside of gloves before removing.

Wear long pants, a long-sleeved shirt and shoes plus socks during clean-up and repair.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

Toxic to aquatic organisms. Do not contaminate water. Do not apply directly to water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips or dust generated during paint removal to enter water.

DISPOSAL:

Do not reuse empty containers for any purpose. Dispose of empty containers and paint debris in accordance with provincial requirements. For information on the disposal of unused, unwanted product, contact the manufacturer or the provincial regulatory agency. Contact the manufacturer and the provincial regulatory agency in case of a spill, and for clean-up of spills.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARD

COMBUSTIBLE. Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

FIRST AID:

If swallowed: Call a poison control centre or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control centre or doctor. Do not give any liquid to the person. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If in eyes: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice.

If inhaled: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control centre or doctor for further treatment advice.

If on skin or clothing: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control centre or doctor for treatment advice. Take container, label or product name and Pest Control Product Registration Number with you when seeking medical attention.

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Contains petroleum distillates and copper compounds. Do not induce vomiting due to danger of aspiration into lungs. Exposure to vapours, mist or dust can cause irritation of respiratory tract, dizziness, fatigue, copper fume fever, liver and kidney disease and blood disorders. Lung disorders (asthma-like conditions) may be aggravated by breathing vapours, mists or dusts. Treat symptomatically.

NOTICE TO USER

This pest control product is to be used only in accordance with the directions on the label. It is an offence under the Pest Control Products Act to use this product in a way that is inconsistent with the directions on the label. The user assumes the risk to persons or property that arises from any such use of this product.