

Technical Data Sheet

EcoSafe Rust Converter and Inhibitor

Product Description:

EcoSafe Rust is an environmentally friendly, water based, and highly effective rust converter and inhibitor designed specifically for ferrous metal substrates. **EcoSafe Rust** is a fast and convenient way to treat rusted steel where traditional methods of rust removal or prevention are not practical.

EcoSafe Rust can convert all types of rust, whether light surface rust or deep-seated blooms and can prevent re-rusting for extended periods of time.

Features:

- Water based
- Low odour
- Easy clean up
- Excellent adhesion to coatings
- Surface protection for up to 3 months without top coating

Safety

Observe all Occupation Health and Safety (OH&S) precautions.

Precautions:

Refer to the relevant Safety Data Sheets (SDS) for product safety related information.

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Use impervious gloves and wear eye protection when preparing the surface.

Chemical Type: Phosphoric acid blend

Product PH (Direct reading): <1.0

Attributes: Solubility: Water Flash Point: > 93.3°C

VOC: Low

Appearance: Colourless viscous liquid

Typical Domestic & Multi Density Residential, Industrial and Commercial uses where convenient and

Applications: practical rust inhibition is required.

Packaging: 750ml spray bottle, 2.5L, 5L, 10L, 20L

Coverage / 8-10m²/L per coat

Spread Rate: Note: Coverage will depend on the roughness of the surface.

Storage/ Shelf 24 months when stored at 25°C.

Life: Cool, dry location. Avoid contact with direct sunlight and heat

Suitable EcoSafe Rust is suitable for ferrous steel

Substrate Types:

Climatic 10°C to **30°C** ambient, dry conditions.

Conditions: Do not apply if rain is expected within the next 12 hours, or if it is late in the day or early morning.

Application Brush, roller, hand pump spray OR airless spray

Equipment:

Mixing/Thinning: No mixing/thinning is required

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Preparation:

Remove any oil, grease, dirt, flaking paint, loose rust, and other contaminants to ensure proper adhesion and performance.

- Protect all areas that are not intended for treatment.
- Remove any loose or flaking rust by hand wire brushing or using mechanical abrasion.
- Clean the surface with **EcoSafe Degreaser**, then rinse thoroughly with water.
- Allow the surface to dry completely before applying EcoSafe Rust.

Test Patch:

Conduct a small test patch in an inconspicuous area to ensure adequate product performance, substrate porosity and provide an indication of the time required to complete project.

Application Procedure:

EcoSafe Rust should not be diluted prior to application

For larger areas, scrub or brush the product into the surface using a soft-bristle broom to ensure full and even coverage.

Let it sit for approximately 30 minutes.

- The rust is fully converted when it turns white.
- Inspect the area and repeat the process if needed.
- Allow the surface to dry completely before applying any topcoat.

For areas with heavy rust buildup:

Place a rag on the affected area and saturate with EcoSafe Rust

Drying Time:

Ambient conditions @ 25°C and 60% relative humidity

Touch Dry:

10-15 minutes, depending on surface corrosion and ambient conditions

Recoat:

EcoSafe Rust will inhibit rust for approximately 3 months. Recoating is recommended as rust reoccurs.

Clean Up:

- If cleaning is required, use clean water.
- Soak brushes, rollers, and other tools in the water for 10-20 minutes, then rinse with fresh water.
- Spray gun: Run water through the spray gun until the output runs clear.

Protecting Our Environment is important to Nutech:

Always clean up with cold waters, making sure to do so away from any drains.

Do not pour leftover converter/inhibitor into drains or waterways. Instead, store any unused product in a sealed container and dispose of it through an approved special waste collection service.

Leave empty inhibitor/converter containers open in a well-ventilated area until any remaining product has dried completely. Once dry, dispose of the containers according to your local council's waste disposal guidelines. Check with your local authority to ensure proper disposal methods are followed.

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First Aid: SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION.

Refer to the appropriate *Nutech Safety Data Sheet* (SDS) for further information.

For medical emergencies only, call: 000

- Eye contact: Flush eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes.
- **Skin contact**: Wash affected areas with soap and water.
- Clothing: Remove and wash contaminated clothing.
- **Inhalation:** If inhalation causes discomfort, move to fresh air.
- If symptoms persist, breathing becomes difficult, or the product is swallowed, seek medical advice immediately.

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