

## Epoxy Tank Holding Primer

**PRODUCT DESCRIPTION** A two pack epoxy holding primer.

**INTENDED USES** Protection for freshly blasted steel in cargo tank coating projects involving Interline 704. Allows for more flexible working procedures whilst not detracting from the chemical resistance of the completed coating scheme. For use at Newbuilding or Maintenance & Repair.

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

<b>Colour</b>	TPA018-Primrose
<b>Finish/Sheen</b>	Not applicable
<b>Part B (Curing Agent)</b>	TPA019
<b>Volume Solids</b>	30% ±2% (ISO 3233:1998)
<b>Mix Ratio</b>	8.20 volume(s) Part A to 1 volume(s) Part B
<b>Typical Film Thickness</b>	40 microns dry (133 microns wet)
<b>Theoretical Coverage</b>	7.50 m <sup>2</sup> /litre at 40 microns dft, allow appropriate loss factors
<b>Method of Application</b>	Airless Spray, Brush, Roller
<b>Flash Point (Typical)</b>	Part A 21°C; Part B 23°C; Mixed 22°C
<b>Induction Period</b>	30 minutes at temperatures below 25°C

<b>Drying Information</b>	5°C	10°C	25°C	35°C
Touch Dry [ISO 9117/3:2010]	3 hrs	2 hrs	60 mins	30 mins
Hard Dry [ISO 9117-1:2009]	5 hrs	4 hrs	3 hrs	60 mins
Pot Life	12 hrs	11 hrs	8 hrs	4 hrs

<b>Overcoating Data - see limitations</b>	<b>Substrate Temperature</b>							
	5°C		10°C		25°C		35°C	
<b>Overcoated By</b>	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Interline 204	24 hrs	28 days	24 hrs	26 days	24 hrs	21 days	16 hrs	15 days
Interline 704	24 hrs	28 days	24 hrs	26 days	24 hrs	21 days	16 hrs	15 days

**Note** The overcoating interval may be extended (up to 50 days at temperatures below 25°C, 21 days at temperatures 35-25°C) depending upon the cargoes to be carried; consult International Paint.

**REGULATORY DATA**

<b>VOC</b>	591 g/lit as supplied (EPA Method 24) 474 g/kg of liquid paint as supplied. EU Solvent Emissions Directive (Council Directive 1999/13/EC)
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**Note:** VOC values are typical and are provided for guidance purposes only. These may be subject to variation depending on factors such as differences in colour and normal manufacturing tolerances.

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### CERTIFICATION

When used as part of an approved scheme, this material has the following certification:

- Potable Water - Carriage of Potable Water (WRC) (BS6920:Part 1)

Potable Water Certification issued by external bodies is dependent upon formulation and/or manufacturing site. Based on this, products supplied in different territories may not be approved to all of the standards listed above. Consult your International Paint representative for details.

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### SYSTEMS AND COMPATIBILITY

Consult your International Paint representative for the system best suited for the surfaces to be protected.

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### SURFACE PREPARATIONS

Use in accordance with the standard Worldwide Marine Specifications.

All surfaces to be coated should be clean, dry and free from contamination.

High pressure fresh water wash or fresh water wash, as appropriate, and remove all oil or grease, soluble contaminants and other foreign matter in accordance with SSPC-SP1 solvent cleaning.

#### **NEWBUILDING/MAJOR REFURBISHMENT/REPAIR**

Abrasive blast clean to Sa2½ (ISO 8501-1:2007).

Consult your International Paint representative for specific recommendations.

#### **NOTE**

**For use in Marine situations in North America, the following surface preparation standards can be used: SSPC-SP10 in place of Sa2½ (ISO 8501-1:2007)**

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### APPLICATION

<b>Mixing</b>	Material is supplied in 2 containers as a unit. Always mix a complete unit in the proportions supplied. (1) Agitate Base (Part A) with a power agitator. (2) Combine entire contents of Curing Agent (Part B) with Base (Part A) and mix thoroughly with power agitator.
<b>Thinner</b>	Not recommended. Use International GTA220 only in exceptional circumstances. DO NOT thin more than allowed by local environmental legislation.
<b>Airless Spray</b>	Recommended Tip Range 0.46-0.53 mm (18-21 thou) Total output fluid pressure at spray tip not less than 176 kg/cm <sup>2</sup> (2500 p.s.i.)
<b>Conventional Spray</b>	Application by conventional spray is not recommended.
<b>Brush</b>	Application by brush is recommended for small areas only. Multiple coats may be required to achieve specified film thickness.
<b>Roller</b>	Application by roller is recommended for small areas only. Multiple coats may be required to achieve specified film thickness.
<b>Cleaner</b>	International GTA822
<b>Work Stoppages and Cleanup</b>	Do not allow material to remain in hoses, gun or spray equipment. Thoroughly flush all equipment with International GTA822. Once units of paint have been mixed they should not be resealed and it is advised that after prolonged stoppages work recommences with freshly mixed units. Clean all equipment immediately after use with International GTA822. It is good working practice to periodically flush out spray equipment during the course of the working day. Frequency of cleaning will depend upon amount sprayed, temperature, relative humidity and elapsed time, including any delays. Do not exceed pot life limitations. All surplus materials and empty containers should be disposed of in accordance with appropriate regional regulations/legislation.
<b>Welding</b>	In the event welding or flame cutting is performed on metal coated with this product, dust and fumes will be emitted which will require the use of appropriate personal protective equipment and adequate local exhaust ventilation. In North America do so in accordance with instruction in ANSI/ASC Z49.1 "Safety in Welding and Cutting."

### SAFETY

**All work involving the application and use of this product should be performed in compliance with all relevant national Health, Safety & Environmental standards and regulations.**

**Prior to use, obtain, consult and follow the Material Safety Data Sheet for this product concerning health and safety information. Read and follow all precautionary notices on the Material Safety Data Sheet and container labels. If you do not fully understand these warnings and instructions or if you can not strictly comply with them, do not use this product. Proper ventilation and protective measures must be provided during application and drying to keep solvent vapour concentrations within safe limits and to protect against toxic or oxygen deficient hazards. Take precautions to avoid skin and eye contact (ie. gloves, goggles, face masks, barrier creams etc.) Actual safety measures are dependant on application methods and work environment.**

#### **EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS:**

**USA/Canada - Medical Advisory Number 1-800-854-6813**

**Europe - Contact (44) 191 4696111. For advice to Doctors & Hospitals only contact (44) 207 6359191**

**R.O.W. - Contact Regional Office**

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### LIMITATIONS

International Paint should be consulted to confirm that the tank coating is suitable for the range of cargoes to be carried.  
 This product will not cure adequately below 5°C.  
 The drying times and overcoating intervals may alter due to various on-site factors such as tank configuration and ventilation rates.  
 The history and age of the steel and the method of working can have a significant effect on the paint consumption. Overcoating information is given for guidance only and is subject to regional variation depending upon local climate and environmental conditions. Consult your local International Paint representative for specific recommendations. Apply in good weather. Temperature of the surface to be coated must be at least 3°C above the dew point. For optimum application properties bring the material to 21-27°C, unless specifically instructed otherwise, prior to mixing and application. Unmixed material (in closed containers) should be maintained in protected storage in accordance with information given in the STORAGE Section of this data sheet. Technical and application data herein is for the purpose of establishing a general guideline of the coating application procedures. Test performance results were obtained in a controlled laboratory environment and International Paint makes no claim that the exhibited published test results, or any other tests, accurately represent results found in all field environments. As application, environmental and design factors can vary significantly, due care should be exercised in the selection, verification of performance and use of the coating.

UNIT SIZE	Unit Size	Part A		Part B	
		Vol	Pack	Vol	Pack
	20 lt	17.83 lt	20 lt	2.17 lt	2.5 lt

*For availability of other unit sizes consult International Paint*

UNIT SHIPPING WEIGHT (TYPICAL)	Unit Size	Unit Weight
	20 lt	27.27 Kg

STORAGE	Shelf Life	12 months minimum at 25°C. Subject to re-inspection thereafter. Store in dry, shaded conditions away from sources of heat and ignition.
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**WORLDWIDE AVAILABILITY** Consult International Paint.

### IMPORTANT NOTE

*The information in this data sheet is not intended to be exhaustive; any person using the product for any purpose other than that specifically recommended in this data sheet without first obtaining written confirmation from us as to the suitability of the product for the intended purpose does so at their own risk. All advice given or statements made about the product (whether in this data sheet or otherwise) is correct to the best of our knowledge but we have no control over the quality or the condition of the substrate or the many factors affecting the use and application of the product. Therefore, unless we specifically agree in writing to do so, we do not accept any liability at all for the performance of the product or for (subject to the maximum extent permitted by law) any loss or damage arising out of the use of the product. We hereby disclaim any warranties or representations, express or implied, by operation of law or otherwise, including, without limitation, any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. All products supplied and technical advice given are subject to our Conditions of Sale. You should request a copy of this document and review it carefully. The information contained in this data sheet is liable to modification from time to time in the light of experience and our policy of continuous development. It is the user's responsibility to check with their local representative that this data sheet is current prior to using the product.*

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