# METAL PRETREATMENT CHEMICALS & SPECIALITY CHEMICALS

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Phosphating Sequence Chromatising Sequence Paint Strippers Emulsified Degreasers Galva-Grip (For Galvanized Sheet) Brass - Copper Cleaner Pipe and Tube Cleaner

## SPECIALITY CHEMICALS DIVISION



METAL TREATMENT CHEMICALS & PLANTS • RUST PREVENTIVES • PAINT REMOVERS

#### **ALUMINIUM TREATMENT**

#### CHROMATISING CHEMICALS

Chromatising chemicals are used for pretreatment of aluminum before painting / powder coating. Chromatising process imparts amorphous coating on aluminum, which serves as an excellent base for paints.

#### PROCESS SEQUENCE : (COLD PROCESS)



**PRODUCTS** :

Metrite GY<sub>3</sub> : Chromium Oxide coating, golden yellow in colour. Metrite AL -71 (G) Chromium Phosphate coating, green in colour.

#### **DEGREASING CHEMICALS : (NON FERROUS METALS)**

#### ALKALINE DEGREASER

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE SAG-AL/SAG-SH	Sequesters; low foaming; Non-silicate base; Quickly removes oils; for aluminum.	5% w/v at ambient temp.

#### ACIDIC DEGREASER / DEOXIDISER (NON FERROUS METALS & ALLOYS)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
PALUMCLEANSER	ful de boods del de l'indere fei fei fei fei fei fei fei fei fei fe	10%-15% v/v at ambient temp.

#### CHROMATISING CHEMICAL : (FOR ALUMINIUM & ZINC)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE AL-71 (G)	Chromium Phosphate Coating of Greenish colour for aluminum section & Fixtures	2%-5% v/v at ambient temp.
METRITE GY <sub>3</sub>	Chromium oxide Coating of yellowish colour for aluminum sections & aluminum alloy	2%-5% v/v at ambient temp.

USES : Ideal for Fan blades, Water filters, Flourescent Fixtures of aluminum. Aluminum sections and other aluminum components before painting / powder coating.

#### MILD STEEL TREATMENTS PHOSPHATE CONVERSION COATINGS TYPICAL PHOSPHATE TREATMENT SEQUENCE (IMMERSION) (Before Powder Coating / Painting) PROCESS SEQUENCE : (COLD PROCESS) WATER LINE Components b to be hot 1 air dried ÷ WATER WATER RINSE ACTIVATION WATER DERUST HOSPHAT PASSIVATE DEGREASE RINSE RINSE C DRAIN LINE PP Tank METRITE ZI PP Valve 3% -5% v/v 30 Seconds PP 1-2 mts. Tank 0.3-2 % w/v 10-15 mts METRITE PASSIVATE 0.25% v/v PP Tank 30 Seconds METRITE AP-H/AP-SP 35% v/v PP Tank PP Tank PP Valve 30 Seconds METRITE ZLP 3% -5% v/v PP PP Tank 30 Seconds METRITE PP Tank PP Valve Sag-HD 5-8% w/v PP Tank 5-10 mts. 30 Seconds 15-20 mts.

#### STAGE 1: DEGREASE/SURFACE CLEANING (FERROUS METALS & ALLOYS) ALKALINE DEGREASER (IMMERSION TYPE)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE SAG	Sequesters; low foaming; Quickly removes greases, oils, Carbonaceous deposits.	5% w/v at 70° C to 80°C temp. 8%-10% w/v at law temp 40°C - 50°C
METRITE SAG-HD	Heavy duty; sequesters; Quickly removes grease, oils, Carbonaceous deposits, Engine varnish, Drawing compounds, paints, rust preventives.	5% w/v at 80° C temp 8%-10% w/v at ambient temp.

#### \* See acidic degreaser

#### STAGE 3: DERUSTERS (FERROUS METALS & ALLOYS)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE AP-SP/AP-S/AP	Inhibited; removes rust; light oxides, smut, other soils; ideal for mass finishing	25% to 40% v/v at room temp
METRITE AH/ AH-SP	Inhibited; law foaming; removes heavy rust, mill scale, other soils.	25% to 33% v/v at room temp
METRITE AP-H	Inhibited; law foaming; removes rust, scale uniformly etches base metal.	25% to 40% v/v at room temp

#### STAGE 5: ACTIVATOR (OPTIONAL STAGE PRIOR TO PHOSPHATING)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE DSM	Acid based product for development of compact crystal structure.	1% to 2% w/v of bath
METRITE DSM-SP	Titanium based product for development of compact crystal structure. Reduces coating weight & Phosphating time.	0.3% to 0.5% w/v of bath

#### STAGE 6: PHOSPHATING CHEMICALS (PAINT BASE COATINGS)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE ZLP-PB	Zinc phosphate; calcium modified; economical, compact crystal structure; confirming to class "B" & "C" IS: 3618	5% v/v at 70° C for 10 minutes.
METRITE ZLP-COLD-LP	Zinc phosphate; compact crystal structure; economical, confirming to class "B" & class "C" IS 3618	4%-6% v/v at ambient temp for 15-20 minutes.
METRITE ZN/IRON PHOSCOAT - FE	Zinc/Iron phosphate; compact crystal structure, law coating weight, economical confirming to class "C" & "D" IS: 3618	5% v/v at ambient temp for 10 minutes
METRITE ZLP-COLD	Zinc phosphate; chlorate accelerated; high corrosion resistance, compact crystal coating, law coating weight confirming to class "C" IS: 3618	5% v/v at ambient temp for 6-10 minutes

\*Oxy Salt (L) or (S): This is added to Phosphate bath.

#### STAGE 8: PASSIVATION (SEALING)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE PASSIVATE	LIQUID PASSIVATION chemical (Chrome BASED)	0.1% v/v at 70°C
METRITE AH -50	NON CHROME LIQUID PASSIVATION chemical	0.1% v/v at 70° C

25% v/v= 25 liter chemical + 75 Liter water 5% w/v=5 kg powder in 100 liter water

#### STAGE 6 (A) : MEDIUM / HEAVY PHOSPHATING CHEMICALS (CORROSION RESISTANCE) (FOR AUTO PARTS, HARDWARE, WIRE AND TUBES )

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE ZHP	Heavy Zinc phosphate coating for nut, bolts auto parts: for excellent corrosion resistence, coating to be sealed with dewatering oils, Conforming to IS 3618 Class A.	5% v/v at 75°-80°C 5-15 minutes.
METRITE MHP	Heavy Manganese phosphate coating for rotating parts like gears, shafts, roating wheels, etc. This phosphate coating has oil retaining properties; confirms IS 3618 class A.	6% v/v at 90°-95°C 5-15 minutes.
METRITE ZLP-PB 110/210	Used for phosphating of tubes & Wires which helps to retain lubricating products and facilitates drawing.	5% v/v at 70°C 5- 15 minutes

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#### **SPECIALITY CHEMICALS :**

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
ACIDIC DEGREASER	Metrite 123-SP-CCT effectively removes oils and mild rust from MS components at Room Temperature. Ideal for electroplaters replaces alkaline degreasers.	10% to 20% v/v in water
EMUSIFIED DEGRASER	Metrte DGL - SP Removes toughest grease deposits ideal for replacement of alkaline degreasers.	15%-25% v/v cold, 10-20 minutes
INHIBITOR	For Hydrochloric Acid & Sulfuric Acid Selective removal pf rust, scale without attacking base metal.	0.5% v/w of pure acid
Galva Grip Metrit - Gg	Phosphating of GI sheets, mainly for air conditioner cabinets	5-10% v/v Immersion cold, 5-10 minutes
BRASS- COPPER CLEANER	Cleaning & Brightening of Brass, Cooper & & other bimetallic Components	25-33% v/v Immersion cold, 10-20 minutes
2 ln 1 MCL -5	This chemical MCL -5 removes grease and rust in single stage.	20% - 30 % v/v, cold 15-20 minutes
PAINT STRIPPERS (PS)	Solvent based paint removal, removes powder coatings within 3 to 10 minutes	100% in specially designed container
BLACKENING SALTS (AB)	Oxidised blackening for MS articles, jet black colour.	50% w/v in water

#### **3 IN 1 CHEMICALS ARE MUST BEFORE PAINTING**

Sector offers largest range of 3 in 1 chemicals (Simultaneous cleaning, pickling Sector phosphate coating). Whenever seven stage phosphate coating is not reasible, these chemicals can be effectively used for single/three stage for phosphate coating of components.

These process gives coating of iron phosphate of weight 40 to 100 mgm./sq.ft. Due to law coating weight corrosion resistance is low & painting must be carried out immediately. Immersion application is always preferred then brushing application for better & faster results.

Advantage of 3 in 1 chemicals are Easy handing, less space requirement, No power requirement and lower cost of treatment.

#### **3 STAGE PRETREATMENT**





#### SINGLE STAGE PRETREATMENT

B) When components contain medium grease & mild rust.

MS Components

▼ III DEGREASING DERUSTING PHOSPHATING (3 in 1) Wipe Clean Allow it to Dry Paint within 24 Hours

Tank material : M.S. Tank lined with FRP or. For choice of suitable chemicals, please call on our technical service department.

#### 3 IN 1 CHEMICAL (IRON PHOSPHATE COMPLIES IS 3618 CLASS-D)

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED USE	USE PARAMETERS
METRITE 113	For medium grease and medium rust; mainly for control panels, fluorescent fitting etc.	Immersion or Brush 25% to 50% v/v COLD
METRITE 123 /123 SP	For heavy grease and light rust; Mainly for steel furniture slotted angles, drums, buckets, etc.	Immersion or Brush 25% to 50% v/v COLD.
METRITE 223 SP / MCL 6	For more rust & light grease; Mainly for Cast Iron or forged components, treatment before powder coating	Immersion or Brush 25 % to 50% v/v COLD
METRITE 443 SP	For hard grease and light rust; mainly for pipes engines, other heavily greased articles.	Immersion or Brush 25% to 50% v/v COLD

Caution: All chemicals contains acid/alkalis. Use with rubber hand gloves & eye shield.

## **GI SHEET PRETREATMENT**

### **METRITE - GG**

Metrite - GG is a chemical for pretreatment of galvanized sheets, zinc coated steels & zinc die casting before liquid painting or powder coating.

It produces light grey colour phosphate conversion coating of nickel and zinc in 2-3 minutes at room temperature which give excellent bonding for paints, powders or any other organic coating and is ideal for airconditioner cabinets, computer cabinets, control panels, refregerators made from GI sheets.

#### **PERFORMANCE DATA**

Conversion	Paint	Salt Spray	Humidity
Coating	Adhesion	Resistance	Resistance
Phosphate with Metrite - GG	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent

## Metrite - GG is used in a four stage process sequence as follows:

GI sheet pretreatment before powder coating or painting.





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