

# Ferrotol No. 1 Boiler Compound

### USES

Recommended for use inside boiler drums, evaporators, tubes, water walls, economisers, steam accumulators, clarifiers, steam turbine casings and other similar equipment operating with water or steam at elevated temperatures.

#### SCOPE

An anticorrosive composition for 'hotwet' metal surfaces. Renders excellent performance in continuous contact with hot water and steam above 100° C. The coating largely simplifies cleaning and descaling operations.

### PRODUCT DATA

Type: Single Pack

Composition: Graphite in bituminous medium

Application: Brush

Recommended DFT: 35 microns per coat

Corresponding WFT: 78 microns per coat

Theoretical Spreading Rate: 12.9 Sq. Mtr./Ltr.

**Drying Time:** 

TOUCH : 6-8 hours HANDLE : Overnight

Curing: It is essential that the coating is cured thoroughly to render optimum performance.

After 24 hours air drying, fill with water and raise temperature to 100° C for a minimum of eight hours. This bakes Ferrotol into the substrate producing an inert, insoluble and impermeable film.

### Overcoating Interval:

MIN : Overnight

Flash Point: Above 30° C

Colour: Black

Packing: 20 Ltrs. & 4 Ltrs.

Thinner/Cleaner: Thinner 800

Finish: Matt

**Storage Life:** Upto twelve months as long as the sealed containers are kept under cover in a dry place under normal temperature conditions.

RESISTANCE GUIDE

#### **Chemical Resistance:**

EXPOSURES	IMMERSION
Acids	Fair
Alkalis	Fair
Solvents	N/R
Salt	Good
Water	Excellent

Temperature Resistance: Upto 540° C wet heat

Weatherability: Not recommended for exterior conditions

Flexibility: Good

Abrasion Resistance: Excellent

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### **SURFACE PREPARATION**

Make full use of mechanical tools along with manual chipping and wire brushing to remove loose rust and scale to St. 2 Swedish Standard SIS 05 5900. Excessive burnishing of steel is to be avoided. Thoroughly dust down all surfaces.

The surface should be clean and dry before application of Ferrotol No. 1 Boiler Compound.

### **APPLICATION**

Mix the contents thoroughly before and during use.

**Brush:** Apply, without thinning, to the recommended dry film thickness. No primer should be applied. Apply first a thin coat directly on to the metal surface. Work well into the surface and ensure all corners, edges, welds, nuts/bolts are covered.

### **TYPICAL PAINTING SPECIFICATIONS**

Surface	1st Coat	2nd Coat	
Steel	Ferrotol No. 1 Boiler Compound	Ferrotol No. 1 Boiler Compound	

#### Notes:

- Minimum water temperature must be achieved or the coating will not function correctly. Low temperature operation can cause rusting, flaking and/or blistering.
- Do not apply when temperature falls below 10° C or rises above 50° C and when relative humidity rises above 90%. Do not apply during rain, fog or mist.
- Adequate ventilation must be provided when applying Ferrotol No. 1 Boiler Compound particularly in confined spaces. Smoking or naked lights should not be permitted and flameproof equipment should be correctly earthed.

Health & Safety: Please refer to the separate Safety Data Sheet available with detailed information.

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