



**QD-520**  
**Quick Dry Enamel**  
**520-series**

Modified Alkyd

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**A high quality quick drying, high gloss enamel for use on properly prepared ferrous metal.**

For industrial and commercial use as an OEM coating for trailers, dumpsters, truck bodies and other metal equipment where a durable, easy to apply, fast dry coating is required.

Quick Dry Enamel offers excellent protection in exposures including mild industrial and marine environments. Exhibits very good adhesion to properly prepared ferrous metals. Easy to apply fast drying with good color and gloss retention.

Available in 17 standard colors as shown on color card. Special colors available subject to minimum order.

Gloss

**Nonvolatile -** By weight - 55.5 ± 2.0% \*  
 By volume - 35.6 ± 2.0% \*  
**VOC (Calculated) -** 4.07 lbs./gal. \*  
 488 grams/liter \*  
**Flash Point -** 70°F(Setaflash)  
**Weight per gallon -** 9.2 ± 0.2 \*

\* Values are for white

**Recommended Film Thickness per Coat -** 1.5 mils dry, 3.8 mils wet

**Theoretical Coverage @ 1.5 mils dry -** 417 sq. ft./gal.

**Method -** Conventional or airless spray

**Thinner -** Thinning is not recommended.

**Dry time @ 75°F -**

To touch	-	1 hour
To handle	-	2 hours
To recoat	-	8 hours

<b>Consists of -</b>	1 Gallon Unit	5 Gallon Unit
<b>Unit Shipping Weight</b>	11 lbs.	49 lbs.

**Shelf Life -** 12 months minimum from date of manufacture when maintained in protected storage @ 40-100°F (subject to reinspection thereafter).

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Consult your Mobile Paint Representative for the protective coating system best suited for your requirements.

**Limitations:** Apply in good weather when air and surface temperature are above 40°F and surface temperature is at least 5°F above the dew point. For optimum application properties, material should be between 70° to 100°F prior to mixing and application. Maintain unmixed material in closed containers in protected storage at 40 - 100°F.

**Surface Preparation** - Good surface preparation is essential to a satisfactory coating system. Surfaces to be coated should be clean and dry. Remove all oil, grease, mildew or other contamination by solvent or detergent cleaning or other effective means.

**Steel** - For best performance, application to abrasive blasted surface is recommended. "Commercial Blast Cleaning" (SSPC-SP6) is recommended as the minimum. Proper blast media and blasting equipment shall be used to produce an average profile depth of 1.5 mils minimum. Do not reuse abrasive media. Remove blasting dust and grit from surfaces before painting. Blasted surfaces should be coated within 8 hours after blasting or before rusting or other contamination of the surface occurs. Prime with 520-series primer according to directions.

**Previously Finished Surfaces** - Repair all damaged areas. Remove gloss from previous paint by sanding or "Brush Blasting" (SSPC-SP7). Remove rust, corrosion products, heavy chalk and loose or peeling paint by "Hand or Power Tool Cleaning" (SSPC-SP2 or -SP3). Spot prime any bare areas as required. If doubt exists concerning compatibility of this coating with the previous system, apply coating to a representative area (25 square feet minimum) and allow to cure and age several weeks. Then inspect for adhesion failure, wrinkling, lifting, blistering or any other sign of incompatibility. If there are no signs, coating work can proceed.

**Mixing** - This is a one component coating. Always mix thoroughly with a power agitator before application.

**Thinning** - This product is supplied at proper application viscosity. Thinning is not recommended. See cleanup paragraph for cleanup thinner.

**Application** - Apply by conventional or airless spray. Apply at 3.8 mils wet film thickness which will yield 1.5 mils dry film thickness.

**Equipment** - Conventional spray - For suction feed, use DeVilbiss MBC gun with E tip and needle and 30 air cap or equivalent at 40-45 psi atomizing pressure. For pressure feed, use DeVilbiss MBC gun with E tip and needle and 704 air cap or equivalent at 40-45 psi atomizing pressure and 5-8 psi fluid pressure, 3/8" ID material hose, double regulated pressure tank with oil and moisture separator. Airless Spray - Minimum of 28:1 ratio pump, .011" - .015" tip, 1/4" ID material hose.

**Cleanup** - Clean all equipment immediately after use with Tec Thinner 75-11 or Xylene 75-15. Completely flush all spray equipment with either of these solvents. Occasional flushing of spray equipment during the course of the working day helps prevent buildup and possible clogging.

**Safety** - Safe storage, handling and use dictate that adequate health and safety precautions be observed with this product and any recommended thinners. User is specifically directed to consult the current Material Safety Data Sheet for this product as well as precautions contained on product labeling.

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