



# DURALEX

## PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET

### rustCONVERT™

#### DESCRIPTION

**Durablex rustCONVERT™** rust converter, primer, sealer is a 3in1 treatment for ferrous metal surfaces. It is a unique polymer coating that chemically converts heavy prepared rust to a stable black sound surface that is ready to apply Durablex primers and paints.

#### USES

Ideal for the treatment and preparation of heavy and flaking rust on steel structures including trailer body and chassis, building frames, roof, gutters, sheds, balustrades, wrought iron and fencing, etc.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

1. Remove all loose and flaky rust with a wire brush or scraper.  
**NOTE:** It is important that the surface to be treated has a light coating of rust for **Durablex rustCONVERT™** to adhere properly. Mild flash rusting does not constitute a light rust coating. For light flash rust or surface rust, use fine sandpaper to remove.
2. Remove wax, silicone, grease, surface contamination etc, with methylated spirits.
3. Tighten cap and shake **Durablex rustCONVERT™** well before use.
4. Pour sufficient **Durablex rustCONVERT™** into a clean plastic container and using a brush apply to rust. Do not pour leftovers back into bottle as it will render the remaining product unusable due to contamination. If applied to areas other than rust remove by wiping with a damp disposable cloth before the coating dries.  
**Note:** **Durablex rustCONVERT™** may stain paintwork if not removed.
5. For best results apply a second light coat of **Durablex rustCONVERT™** when the first coat is touch dry.
6. Drying and Finishing: Surface will turn a blue-black colour over 1-2 hours as the solution reacts. It can be overcoated after 2-4 hours. Can be over-coated with most paint systems.

#### CLEAN UP

Do not pour leftover paint down the drain. Wash all equipment with clean water. Any dried spots may be removed using methylated spirits and a clean cloth.

**Note:** Never allow waste water to enter storm water drains or sewers.

#### COLOURS

Milky appearance which dries clear.

#### CAUTION

Allow adequate cross ventilation when using indoors during and after use to dissipate water vapour.

#### SIZES

10, 5, 1 Litre, 500 & 250mL.

#### RECYCLE

This container is recyclable. Please dispose of in appropriate bin.

#### ENVIRONMENT

Low odour. Low V.O.C. Environmentally friendly.

#### IMPORTANT

Keep out of reach of children. If contact with the eyes occurs, rinse with running water and seek help if irritation persists. If swallowed, do not induce vomiting. Give a glass of water and seek medical assistance or contact the Poison Information Centre (13 11 26).



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# **NEVER POUR LEFTOVER PAINTS DOWN THE DRAIN**

## **CLEANING UP AFTER PAINTING**

**(Industry standard for Water-based paint)**

### **EXCESS/UNWANTED PAINT**

- At the completion of a painting job, pour, brush or roll excess unwanted paint onto an absorbent material such as kitty litter, old rags, newspaper, cardboard, etc.
- Allow paint to dry, this could take up one week, then dispose with household waste collection services.

### **WASHING OF EQUIPMENT: (Two-Container Method)**

- **20 Litre containers are best!**
- Wash brushes, rollers and other equipment in the FIRST container of water.
- Transfer the washed equipment to the SECOND container filled with clean water for a final rinse.
- Allow the containers to stand, overnight the paint solids will settle to the bottom, this usually takes about 12 hours. The clear water from the FIRST container may now be poured on the garden where it will be absorbed into the ground. Avoid areas near drains, streams, rivers or lakes.

### **DISPOSAL OF RESIDUE:**

- Paint solids at the bottom of the first container can be scraped onto an absorbent material as previously described. Allow to dry, then dispose as previously described.
- The SECOND container can now be used as the first wash. Follow this cleaning system until the job is completed.

### **CAUTION:**

- Never allow waste water to enter household storm water drains or sewers.

## **DISPOSAL OF LEFTOVER PAINT CONTAINERS**

### **EMPTY OUT CONTAINER**

Ensure paint container is as clean as possible.

### **RECYCLE STEEL CONTAINER**

- The cleaned paint container can be disposed of via local steel recycling programs (check with your local Council).