



Description

Nilifam-838-MT is designed for use as a fast-drying alkyd topcoat available in a wide range of colors. The product is ideally suited for metal and wood, interior and exterior surfaces with good color and gloss retention.

Nilifam-838-MT can be applied as topcoat for kitchens and bathrooms, doors, window frames, furniture and woodwork in general.

Recommended use

Adhesion	Good to both primed and clean surfaces.
Corrosion resistance	Good in mild to medium environments.
Temperature resistance	Dry: Maximum 100°C

Physical constants

Colours/shade:	RAL NO
Finish:	Matt
Volume solids, %:	60±5
Theoretical spreading rate:	8.75 m ² /lit-40 Mic.
Flash point:	38 °C
Specific gravity:	1.50±0.15 Kg/l
Dry to touch:	Max. 0.5 hour at 20°C
(Initial)	
Hardness:	4 hours
Fully cured:	Max. 3 days
VOC content:	Max. 300 g/l

Application details

Conditions	Do not apply when relative humidity exceeds 80% or when the surface to be coated is less than 3°C above the dew point.		
Method	Airless spray	Air spray	Brush (touch-up)
Thinner (max. vol.)	NF-T-7 (5-10%)	NF-T-7 (10-15%)	NF-T-7 (5%)
Spray setting			
Pump ratio minimum	30:1		
Tip size	0.017"–0.019"	1.8 mm	
Tip pressure	150 bar/2200 Psi	4-5 bar	
	(Airless spray data are indicative and subject to adjustment)		
Cleaning of tools	NF-T-7		
Indicated film thickness, dry	60 microns		
Indicated film thickness, wet	100 microns		



Surface preparation

Steel surface should ideally be abrasive blast cleaning to minimum Sa 2½. The surface must be completely clean and dry prior to application. And its temperature must be above the dew point to avoid condensation

Packaging (typical)

	Mass (Kg)	Size of containers (litres)
Nilikid	20	20

Storage & handling

The product must be stored in accordance with national regulations. Keep the containers in a dry, cool ventilated space and away from sources of heat and ignition. Containers must be kept tightly closed. Handle with care.

Shelf-life

Nilikid	12 month(s)
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In some markets commercial shelf life can be indicated shorter by local legislation. The above is minimum shelf life, thereafter the paint quality is subject to re-inspection.

Remarks

Preceding Coat	Alkyd type primer Such as NF-818 or intermediate such as NF-828.
Subsequent Coat	None
Film thickness	May be specified in another film thickness than indicated depending on purpose and area of use. This will alter spreading rate and may influence drying time and recoating intervals. Normal range is 40-50 microns/1.2-2 mils.
Thinning	The type and amount of thinner depend on application conditions, application method, temperature, ventilation, and substrate. Thinner NF-T-7 is recommended in general.

Caution

This product is for professional use only. The applicators and operators shall be trained, experienced and have the capability and equipment to mix/stir and apply the coatings correctly and according to Nilifam's technical documentation. Applicators and operators shall use appropriate personal protection equipment when using this product. This guideline is given based on the current knowledge of the product. Any suggested deviation to suit the site conditions shall be forwarded to the responsible Nilifam representative for approval before commencing the work.

Safety

Handle with care. Before and during use, observe all safety labels on packaging and paint containers, consult Nilifam material safety data sheets and follow all local and national safety regulations. Harmful or fatal if swallowed; immediately seek medical assistance. Avoid inhalations of possible solvent vapors or paint mist, as well as paint contact with skin and eyes. Apply only on well-ventilated areas and ensure that adequate forced ventilation exists when applying paint in confined spaces or when the air is stagnant. Always take precautions against the risks of fire and explosions