



# TYPE A

- *For upgrading and restoring previously painted chlorinated rubber surfaces*
- *Self-priming, gloss finish*
- *Up to 5 years of service life*
- *Excellent coverage rate*

**AVAILABLE  
IN THESE  
COLORS**



**WHITE**  
311



**DAWN BLUE**  
328



**ROYAL BLUE**  
329

**Note:** Color differences may occur between actual color chips shown.

## PREMIUM CHLORINATED RUBBER AQUATIC COATING

For 70 years, Ramuc Type A has been the industry's product of choice to restore and protect plaster and concrete pool surfaces. Excellent choice for recoating previously painted chlorinated rubber surfaces. It is formulated to provide excellent hiding and superior coverage rates compared to other chlorinated rubber paints. Check local VOC regulations in your area.

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

**VEHICLE TYPE:** Chlorinated Rubber  
**FINISH:** High Gloss  
**COMPONENTS:** 1  
**CURING MECHANISM:** Air Dry  
**SOLIDS BY VOLUME:** 35 ± 1%  
**SOLIDS BY WEIGHT:** 54% ± 1%  
**COVERAGE:** 200-300 sq. ft. on bare surface;  
 350-400 sq. ft. on recoats  
**VOC:** 600 g/l max (as supplied)  
**FLASH POINT:** 84° F (SETA)  
**APPLICATION METHOD:** 3/8" Mohair or Lambskin Roller, Airless or Conventional Spray  
**DRY FILM THICKNESS PER COAT:** 1.0 mils (2.9 mils wet)  
**NUMBER OF COATS:** 2 (product is self-priming)  
**APPLICATION TEMP:** 50°F min/90°F max  
**RECOAT TIME:** Indoor/Outdoor pool – min. overnight to 24 hrs.  
**DRY TIME:** Outdoor Pool: 5-7 days before filling. Indoor Pool: 10-14 days before filling – Use adequate ventilation.  
**SHELF LIFE:** 3 years from date of manufacture

**NOTE: NOT FOR USE ON BARE FIBERGLASS/GELCOAT. DO NOT USE IN HOT TUBS OR SPAS.**



**COMPATIBILITY:** For compatibility purpose, the existing paint on previously painted surfaces of a pool should be determined before painting. **Use dark colors for accent painting only. Dark colors can prematurely fade or blister, especially in chemically treated water.**

**SURFACE REPAIRS AND JOINT/CRACK FILLER:** Plaster or concrete for previously painted surfaces should be tested for integrity and soundness. Aged plaster should be checked for integrity. Check for hollow or weak/crumbling plaster by using a ball-peen hammer or any other comparable method. Perform repairs on the plaster before painting. Any minor repairs, such as patching with hydraulic cement or filling of cracks, should be done and allowed to cure prior to surface prep. We suggest using Vulkem polyurethane sealant. Vulkem must be top-coated before being submersed in chemically treated water.

**SURFACE PREPARATION:** Coating performance, in general, is proportional to the degree of surface preparation. Follow recommendations carefully, avoiding shortcuts. Inadequate preparation of surfaces will virtually assure inadequate coating performance. We recommend using Ramuc Clean & Prep Solution. Ramuc Clean & Prep Solution degreases and dissolves mineral deposits and increases porosity to create maximum adhesion. Unlike all other acide-based materials, Ramuc Clean & Prep Solution neutralizes via water and is safe to use near plants and grass. If surface is exceptionally hard, we recommend sanding with #80 grit sandpaper to create surface profile, prior to applying the first coat of Type A. Follow package instructions carefully. New concrete and plaster surfaces must be cured 28 days prior to painting.

**CONDENSATION TEST:** After all cleaning is complete, allow the surface to dry. Average time varies according to climate and porosity of the substrate. 1) Tape 2' x 2' pieces of transparent plastic to areas in the deep end wall, floor and several of the other areas of the pool. 2) Wait about 4 hours to determine if condensation has formed underneath the plastic. 3) If condensation is evident, the surface is not dry enough to paint. 4) Remove the plastic and wait 24 hours to perform the test again and continue until no condensation forms. This ensures that the surface is dry enough to apply paint.

**APPLICATION:** Use no thicker than a 3/8" nap roller used for solvent based paints. DO NOT use rollers with cardboard cores. Apply at the recommended coverage rate. Ideal air temperatures for application are between 50° and 90° F. Surface temperature should be at least 50° F, no more than 90° F. Overnight curing temperatures must be at least 50° F or the paint will not cure properly causing an "oily" feel to the top of the paint. Do not paint when rain is imminent. New concrete and plaster surfaces must be cured a minimum of 28 days prior to painting. NOTE: To achieve a non-slip surface, Skid-Tex can be added to Type A.

**MIXING THE PAINT:** Type A Chlorinated Rubber Coating is self-priming; no other type of primer is recommended or should be used. Mechanically mix the paint to achieve uniform consistency and color. If more than one gallon of paint is used at a time, box (intermix) several gallons together.

**SPRAY INFORMATION:** Airless: 2000-2500 P.S.I. **TIP SIZE:** .013 - .017 (0.33 – 0.43 mm)

**TIP SIZE:** .033 – .043

**CLEAN UP:** Ramuc Thinner