

How to choose your ideal antifouling...

We at International manufacture a wide variety of antifoulings to meet all sorts of fouling challenges and, often more importantly, different boating styles. The charts on these pages will help you sort out which product is perfect for your boating style and fouling challenge.












On these pages, pick the features along the left margin that suit your boating style, and then read across the charts to select your perfect antifouling.

POLISHING	Ultimate Performance	Multi-Season Protection	One Coat
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Polishing action provides controlled biocide release for long-term performance Wears away with use Reduced maintenance – minimal build-up reduces preparation time Haul and relaunch without repainting 	<p>MICRON® OPTIMA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revolutionary antifouling technology for the absolute cleanest hulls Minimum build up - reduced preparation time Activated Biolux® technology for sustained antifouling protection Water based – low odour, easy clean up <p>Contains Copper Oxide and Zinc Pyrithione</p> 	<p>MICRON® EXTRA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Premium, multi-season copolymer antifouling for harshest fouling areas 24 months protection from one complete application Minimum paint build up, washes away with use Biolux® technology for sustained antifouling protection <p>Contains Copper Oxide and Dichlofluanid</p> 
HARD	Ultra Strong	Aluminium Hulls	Fresh and Estuarine Water
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hard, durable, season-long finish Resistant to abrasion and rubbing Suitable for fast craft and craft on dry moorings Scrubable finish 	<p>INTERSPEED ULTRA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ultra strong formula for high fouling areas Hard, durable finish Biolux® technology for sustained antifouling protection <p>Contains Copper Oxide and Dichlofluanid</p> 	<p>TRILUX</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hard antifouling in bright colours Suitable for all substrates including aluminium For fast, active craft and craft on dry moorings Biolux® technology for sustained protection <p>Contains Copper Thiocyanate and Dichlofluanid</p> 
PERFORMANCE/ THIN FILM TEFLON®	High Speed Performance	Thin Film Technology	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teflon® for super speed Ultra smooth, low-friction surface for performance boat owners, that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increases speed Improves fuel efficiency Reduces fuel consumption Extends engine life Minimises paint build-up 	<p>VC® OFFSHORE WITH TEFLON®</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suitable for salt and freshwater With Teflon® for ultra smooth, low friction surface Hard, smooth finish can be burnished to a very low profile <p>Contains Copper Oxide and Dichlofluanid</p> 	<p>VC® 17M EXTRA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extra strong thin film antifouling for racing sailboats and powerboats With Teflon® for a low friction surface Hard, smooth surface Quick drying for fast re-launch Available in bright white <p>Contains Copper Metal, Copper Thiocyanate and Zinc Pyrithione</p> 
SPECIAL PURPOSE	Aerosol Application	Aluminium	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Antifoulings suitable for aluminium For propellers, outboards and sterngear Biocide-free products 	<p>TRILUX PROP-O-DREV</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aerosol application for difficult to reach areas For propellers, outboards and sterngear For aluminium and steel <p>Contains Copper Thiocyanate</p> 	<p>TRILUX</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hard antifouling in bright colours Suitable for all substrates including aluminium For fast, active craft and craft on dry moorings Biolux® technology for sustained protection <p>Contains Copper Thiocyanate and Dichlofluanid</p> 

...that's perfect for your style of boating

Picking the perfect paint sometimes can be boiled down to one or two simple problems you need to solve. This table shows the most common problems boat owners are trying to solve.

Read across the table to identify the paint that suits your needs.

COMMON PROBLEMS	POLISHING			HARD				PERFORMANCE/ THIN FILM TEFLON®		SPECIAL PURPOSE COATINGS	
	 Micron® Optima	 Micron® Extra	 Cruise® Uno	 Bottomcoat	 Interspeed Ultra	 Trilux	 Navigator	 VC® 17m Extra	 VC® Offshore with Teflon®	 Trilux Prop-O-Drev	 Trilux
Which antifouling has the best properties for racing?					👍👍	👍👍		👍👍👍	👍👍👍		👍👍
Which antifouling can I use on aluminium propellers?	∅	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	👍👍👍
Which antifouling can I use on bronze propellers?	∅	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	👍👍👍
I need an antifouling/bottom coating that will last for more than one season		👍👍👍									
Which antifouling(s) are recommended for high fouling areas?	👍👍👍	👍👍👍	👍👍👍	👍	👍👍👍	👍👍	∅	👍👍	👍👍👍	👍👍	👍👍
Which antifouling should I use on aluminium hulls?	∅	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍
I need a fast, simple solution to antifouling my boat			👍👍👍							👍👍👍	
I need an antifouling formulated for fresh water areas	👍👍	👍👍	👍👍	👍	👍👍	👍👍	👍👍👍	👍👍	👍👍	👍👍	👍👍
I need a bright coloured antifouling for boot-top striping	∅	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍	∅	∅	∅	∅	👍👍👍

KEY: 👍👍👍 Excellent for this purpose 👍👍 Good for this purpose 👍 Average for this purpose ∅ DO NOT USE for this purpose

IMPORTANT: Always use the specified amount of antifouling. Under-application can result in premature fouling and costly mid-season haul out.



WARNING: IF YOU OWN AN ALUMINIUM BOAT, ONLY APPLY ANTIFOULING PAINTS SPECIFICALLY RECOMMENDED FOR ALUMINIUM TO PREVENT CORROSION. NEVER APPLY PRODUCTS CONTAINING CUPROUS OXIDE TO ALUMINIUM, USE ONLY RECOMMENDED PRODUCTS: TRILUX AND TRILUX PROP-O-DREV.