

Micron® Technology

Micron Technology formulations are second to none! Micron Technology was first introduced to the industry in the early 80's and has evolved into class leading antifouling paints! Micron Technology is the basis of all Micron bottom paints.

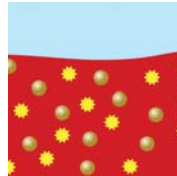
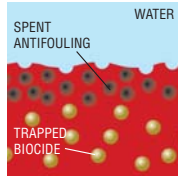


- Longest lasting, multi-season protection – with the ability to haul and re-launch without repainting
- Controlled polishing like a bar of soap reducing paint build up, eliminates the need for sanding
- Micron Technology polishes to a smoother surface than old fashioned hard antifouling maximizing fuel savings
- Unlike old fashion high copper bottom paints, Micron uses less copper more efficiently for longest lasting antifouling protection

MICRON TECHNOLOGY vs OLD FASHIONED HARD ANTIFOULINGS

OLD FASHIONED HARD ANTIFOULINGS

Old fashioned hard antifouling will eventually leave biocide trapped within a rough, honeycombed paint film that will need to be removed by sanding or scraping.



MICRON TECHNOLOGY

Controlled polishing like a bar of soap reduces paint build-up and eliminates the need for sanding.

After many years of using old fashioned hard high copper bottom paints, the paint film continues to build up, become brittle, and starts to crack and flake off.

Micron Technology antifouling polishes at a controlled rate and therefore will never build up. It is this controlled polishing that enables Micron to be used on all boats, in all waters, and at all times! No paint build up means that you will never have to remove old layers of Micron and spend precious hours or money each time you want to repaint.

MICRON TECHNOLOGY AND FUEL SAVINGS

There's another added benefit to controlled polishing: Fuel Savings!!

Micron surface profile on application



Micron surface profile after 12 months



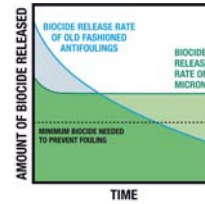
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Power or sail, with today's fuel prices, a smooth bottom will deliver better fuel efficiency over the long term than old fashioned hard high copper bottom paints.

Micron continues to get smoother over time!

MICRON® TECHNOLOGY USES COPPER MORE EFFICIENTLY THAN OLD FASHIONED HARD COPPER BOTTOM PAINTS:



Hard antifouling releases a lot of biocide when the boat is first launched and then slows as the paint ages, until it goes below the amount needed to maintain antifouling protection.

Micron Technology is designed to polish at a controlled rate delivering a constant amount of biocide over the life of the paint. This allows for a much more efficient use of the copper in the antifouling.

Micron Technology antifouling paints polish at a controlled rate delivering a constant amount of biocide over time. The release rate of copper is much more efficient than that of old fashioned hard antifouling. In simple terms, if you can still see Micron on the boat, it is still working for you. Hard antifouling will tend to lose their effectiveness over time.

WHY IS MICRON A BETTER CHOICE FOR MY BOAT THAN OLD FASHIONED HARD BOTTOM PAINTS?

| | HARD CONVENTIONAL | MICRON TECHNOLOGY |
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| Long lasting | 12-18 months | 18-36 months* |
| Predictable performance | ✓ | ✓ |
| Prevents fouling in all fouling conditions | ✓ | ✓ |
| Multi-season | | ✓ |
| Can haul and relaunch without repainting | | ✓ |
| Paint wears away with use – eliminating the need for sanding | | ✓ |
| Becomes smoother as you use the boat | | ✓ |
| Easy recoating – no sanding or labor to prepare | | ✓ |
| Provides maximum fuel savings | | ✓ |
| No need to scrub | | ✓ |
| Unlike old technology bottom paints, Micron uses less copper more efficiently for longest lasting antifouling protection | | ✓ |

*The length of service depends on the choice of Micron, water temperature, usage and number of coats applied.

There is no better choice for the boat owner than Micron Technology antifouling.

- Least expensive can of bottom paint you can buy
 - You do not have to paint every year
 - No sanding to remove heavy build-up you get with hard antifouling
 - Provides maximum fuel savings
- Proven performance since 1980
- Best selling range of antifouling sold worldwide
- Suitable for all boats in all waters
- Use on power and sail boats up to 50 knots
- Highly engineered controlled polishing rate

If it's not Micron Technology it's old technology!