#### **Product Description**

ZerioTec® - Fog FV is a ready-to-use, water-based VCI rust preventative designed to protect metal surfaces across a wide range of operating temperatures. Easy to apply, it provides effective corrosion protection in humid or moisture-prone environments. For colder climates or freezing conditions, a winterized version is available to ensure reliable, year-round performance‡.

‡Compatible with packaging, the product lasts up to 1 year in plain poly packaging and up to 5 years in Zerust® VCI packaging or hermetically sealed spaces.

## **Typical Applications**

- Wide Temperature Operations: Suitable for applications in operating temperatures ranging from 5–49°C (41–120°F).
- · Cold Climate Applications: Winterized version ensures consistent performance in freezing temperature conditions.
- Temporary Rust Prevention Coating: Provides short-term protection for metal surfaces and can be easily removed as needed.
- Pre-Paint Surface Preparation: Protects metal surfaces prior to painting, with easy removal using Zerust® AxxaWash™ products.
- Spray or Fog Applications: Ideal for enclosed systems where VCI fogging is required for effective corrosion protection.

#### **Key Advantages**

Ready-to-Use: Convenient water-based formula requires no diluting, simplifying application.

Reliable Rust Prevention: Provides effective corrosion protection across a broad range of operating temperatures.

Cold Weather Compatibility: Winterized version available for low-freezing temperature conditions.

Ease of Removal: Can be easily removed using compatible Zerust® AxxaWash™ products.

Versatile Application Methods: Suitable for spray or fogging applications in enclosed systems.

Environmentally Friendly: Water-based formulation reduces environmental impact compared to solvent-based alternatives.

Operational Safety: Designed to prevent corrosion without compromising ease of maintenance or subsequent painting processes.

#### **Operating Summary**

- Ready-to-use water-based VCI rust preventative liquid.
- Typical operating temperature: 5–49°C (41–120°F) in most operations.
- ZerioTec® Fog FV is a water-based product and will freeze at temperature/environment conditions/substrate surface temperature when water freezes. Do not apply the product when there is a chance of water freezing. For low-freezing temperature applications, please contact a Zerust representative for alternatives.

# **Application Guidelines and Removal**

ZerioTec® - Fog FV is designed to remain on metal surfaces as a rust-preventative coating but can be easily removed using a compatible Zerust® AxxaWash™ product. For specific removal guidance tailored to specific operation and conditions, contact a Zerust® representative. Note: Remove the product before painting.

For spray or fog applications, do not reuse the product, even in enclosed circulating systems, as the active VCI component diminishes when exposed to air.



### **Typical Properties**

Properties*	Details
Appearance	Dark amber liquid
Substrate	Ferrous only. Do not use on aluminum, zinc, galvanized steel, or yellow metals.
Surface Finish	Thin coating
VOC content EPA Method 24 (concentrate)	179g/L (1.49 lb/gal)
Freeze Point	-10°C (14°F)
рН	8 - 9
Vapor Inhibiting Ability (VIA)	Pass (NACE TM0208)

<sup>\*</sup> Typical values are not meant to be a specification.

This data sheet provides general guidelines for operation, application, and removal. Please contact a Zerust® representative for more specific recommendations on specific operation and conditions.

#### **Availability**

Contact a Zerust® representative for ordering information.

Product Number	Unit of Measure**
350-F-00207PL	19 L (5-gal) pail
350-F-00207DR	208 L (55-gal) drum

<sup>\*\*</sup>Product sold in US customary units. Metric units approximate.

#### Storage

• Store in original packaging at 0–29°C (32–85°F), away from sunlight; thaw and mix if frozen, and reseal after use for up to 2 years of shelf life.

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