

## Is my new antifouling compatible?

Once you've identified the International antifouling that's most suitable, if you have an existing coating on your hull you will need to establish the compatibility of the two products. Use this simple table to check compatibility between International® antifouling and also with competitor products.

	New Antifouling										
	Micron® Optima	Micron® Extra 2	Cruiser® Uno EU	Cruiser® Bright White	Boatguard EU	Interspeed Ultra 2	Trilux 33	VC® Offshore EU	VC® 17m Extra	Trilux Prop-O-Drev	
Existing Antifouling (in Good Condition)	Micron® Optima	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Micron® Extra										
	Micron® Extra 2										
	Cruiser® Uno	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Cruiser® Uno EU										
	Boatguard EU										
	Bottomcoat										
	Navigator	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Trilux										
	Interspeed Ultra 2	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Cruiser® Bright White										
	Trilux 33										
	VC® Offshore	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	VC® Offshore EU										
	VC®17m Extra	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Unkown Product	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Previous antifouling in poor condition	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Awlgrip® Awlstar Gold Label	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Hempel Tiger Extra	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Hempel Hard Racing	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Seajet Shogun	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Seajet Emperor	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Flag Cruising	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Flag Performance	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
Jotun Mare Nostrum	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	

- Apply after a light wet sand. Wash with fresh water and allow to dry.
- Remove the antifouling using Interstrip AF. ➡ See **Removing antifouling** on Page 22.
- Apply a barrier coat of Primocon® before applying antifouling. ➡ See **Applying antifouling** on Page 32.

### Interstrip AF

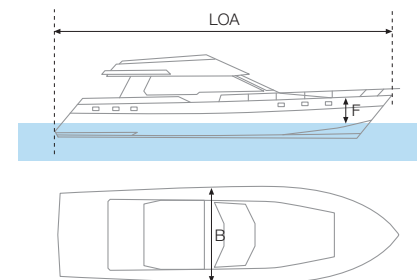
A paint stripper specially formulated for removing old or unknown antifouling without damaging the underlying substrate (including gelcoat).



## How much antifouling paint do I need?

Use these following quick steps to calculate the amount of paint you need:

1. Work out the area to be painted using the appropriate formulation (below).
2. Divide the area by the coverage of the paint you've chosen to determine how many litres per coat you will need.
3. Multiply the litres per coat by the number of coats to give your total paint requirement.

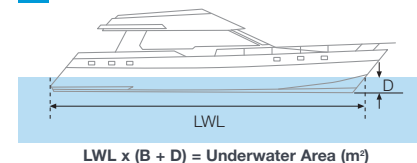


**Important:** If you own an aluminium boat, only apply antifouling paints specifically recommended for aluminium to prevent corrosion. **Never apply products containing Cuprous Oxide to aluminium.**

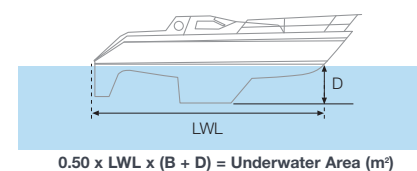
**Top Tip**  
Apply an extra coat to all leading and trailing edges, water-line, trim-tabs, outdrives, keel and rudder. High turbulence in these areas tends to wear the antifouling faster.

### Underwater area formulations

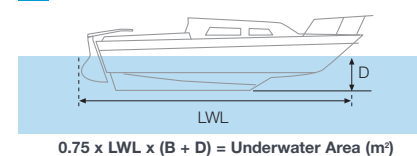
#### 1 Full bodied craft



#### 2 Fin keeled racing craft



#### 3 Medium draft racing craft



**Information**

**Abbreviations**

- LOA = Length Overall
- LWL = Length Waterline
- B = Beam
- D = Draft
- F = Freeboard

**Conversion Table**

- 1 foot = 0.3 metres
- 1 metre = 3.281 feet
- 1 square foot = 0.093 square metres
- 1 square metre = 10.764 square feet
- 1 gallon = 4.546 litres
- 1 litre = 0.219 gallon

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

➡ For more information see the **Antifouling quick reference guide** on Page 04.