Singapore Standard SS 37: 1998

Specification for aluminium paint

AMENDMENT NO. 2

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1. Page 6, Table 1 – Quantitative requirements of the paint

Delete the row on "Hard-drying time, hours" including its maximum limit requirement.

Insert a row on "Through-dry time, hours" with the maximum limit requirement and replace the row for lead content including its maximum limit requirement as shown in the table below.

Characteristic	Requirement	
	Minimum	Maximum
Through-dry time, hours	-	36
Lead content, ppm (mg/kg) of dried paint film	-	90

2. Page 8, 5.1.6 Hard-drying time

In Page 8, subclause 5.1.6, *replace* the heading of "5.1.6 Hard-drying time" with "5.1.6 Through-dry time"

In the second sentence, replace "hard-drying" with "through-dry state".

3. Page 9, Table 2 – Test methods

Delete the row on "Hard-drying time" including its test method.

Insert a row on "Through-dry time" with its test method and replace the test method for accelerated weathering as shown in the table below.

Test	Test method (Refer to SS 5)	Paragraph of this specification giving requirement
Through-dry time	SS 5 : Part D5	Table 1
Accelerated weathering	SS 5 : Part G11 and SS 5 : Part G12 method A	4.4.8

4. Page 10, Annex A Testing Arrangement

Replace "Hard-drying time" with "Through-dry time".

5. Page 11, Standards referred to:

Replace with the following:

Standards referred to:

For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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BS 388	Specification for aluminium pigments		
SS 5 : -	Methods of test for paints, varnishes and related materials		
	Part A1	Sampling	
	Part A2	Examination and preparation of samples for testing	
	Part A3	Standard panels for testing	
	Part B2	Determination of non-volatile matter content	
	Part B3	Determination of water by the Dean and Stark method	
	Part B4	Condition in container	
	Part B5	Skinning (partially filled container)	
	Part B6	Storage stability (filled container)	
	Part B7	Density	
	Part B9	Brushing properties	
	Part B10	Spraying properties	
	Part B11	Determination of viscosity by Ford viscosity cup	
	Part B15	Determination of flash point - Closed cup equilibrium method	
	Part C2	Determination of aluminium metal content	
	Part C6	Determination of low concentrations of lead, cadmium and cobalt in paint by atomic absorption spectroscopy	
	Part D5	Determination of through-dry state and through-dry time	
	Part E3	Visual comparison of the colours of paints	
	Part F1	Bend test (cylindrical mandrel)	
	Part G11	Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources — General guidance	
	Part G12	Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources — Xenonarc lamps	