UniCote® Select

Product and warranty guide

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Premium steel with a heavier protective coating

UniCote® Select is the foundation of the UniCote® range - a premium pre-painted steel solution designed for roofing, cladding and exterior applications.

Built on an aluminium/zinc alloy-coated steel substrate with 150 gms/m² of metallic protection, it combines dependable durability, lasting colour performance, low maintenance and broad design flexibility for a wide range of Australian building projects.

Benefits

45 Year Warranty
Project-specific warranties of up to 45 years, with warranty pre-approval available within 48 hours.

Global GreenTag Certification
UniCote® Select is Global GreenTag^{CertTM} GreenRate Level A certified, supporting sustainable material selection and greater product transparency.

Non-Combustible Confidence
Non-combustible and tested to AS 1530.3, UniCote® Select is suitable for roofing and walling in bushfire-prone areas, including BAL-FZ when used in a compliant system.

Thermal Efficiency
UniCote® uses cool pigment technology to reduce solar heat absorption, helping support cooler, more comfortable buildings in warmer conditions.

Avalable in Over 60 Colours
A broad palette of stocked and made-to-order colours, including soft satin options to suit a wide range of designs.

Tested to Australian Standards
UniCote® Select conforms to AS 1397:2021 and AS/NZS 2728:2013 supporting proven performance and durability in Australian building applications.

Warranty Guide* / Environmental Categories

Premium protection.
Premium performance.

Durable with long-lasting colour retention, UniCote® Select is our most popular choice, providing flexibility in style and peace of mind for your next project.

Suitable in atmospheric environments up to ISO 9223 - Category 3: Marine.

Conforms to AS/NZS 2728:2013

Project specific warranties available upon application
Scan to apply for a UniCote® warranty pre-approval
Or visit: unicote.com.au/warranty

	MILD		MODERATE		MARINE		SEVERE MARINE		VERY SEVERE			
	C1 – Very Low (5000m+) Inland environments with negligible pollution or salt exposure.		C2 – Low (5000-1000m) Rural or inland environments with low pollution and minimal airborne salt deposition.		C3 – Medium (1000-400m) Urban, suburban or light industrial environments with moderate pollution or low coastal salt exposure.		C4 – High (400-200m) Industrial or near-coastal environments with elevated pollution or moderate salt deposition; may extend inland depending on local conditions.		C5 – Very High (200-100) Severe marine or heavy industrial environments with high salt exposure; may extend inland under prevailing winds or harsh microclimates.		CX - Extreme (100-0m) Close to breaking surf or corrosive industrial emissions.	
UniCote® Select	ROOFING	WALLING	ROOFING	WALLING	ROOFING	WALLING	ROOFING	WALLING	ROOFING	WALLING	ROOFING	WALLING
PERFORATION	45 Years	25 Years	30 Years	20 Years	25 Years	15 Years	20 Years	10 Years	10 Years	N/A		
PAINT	20 Years	15 Years	20 Years	15 Years	15 Years	15 Years	15 Years	10 Years	10 Years			

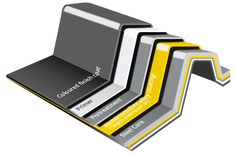
These are general guidelines only. Building location, design and aspect need to be taken into account. Contact UniCote® to discuss your specific project requirements on 1800 UNICOTE (1800 864 2268) or unicote@selectcon.com.au.

Material breakdown

Substrate	Hot-dipped Zinc/Aluminium alloy coated steel coil. Alloy coating weight; 150 gms/m².
Pre-treatment	Corrosion resistant conversion coating.
Primer	A flexible corrosion resistant primer. Nominal film thickness is 7µms ± 1µms on the top side and 5µms ± 1µms on the reverse.
Finish Coat	Super Advanced Durable Polyester coating (SADP). Nominal film thickness 18µms ± 2µms.
Backing Coat	Grey polyester wash coat. Nominal thickness is 5µms ± 1µms.
Gloss	Available in standard 25% gloss, 6 satin finish and 3 matt colour options.
Protective Film	Some products are supplied with an easily removed strippable protective film. This material has a relatively short life span when exposed to sunlight and weather. It should be removed either just before, or immediately after installation and should not be exposed to direct sunlight.

Tested for peace of mind

UniCote® Select undergoes rigorous performance testing to deliver the quality and durability expected from Australia's premium standard steel solution. Tested to relevant Australian Standards, it provides reliable strength, lasting colour and weather resistance, giving you confidence that your roofing, cladding and exterior applications will perform over time.



Fire Resistance · Scratch Resistance · Salt Spray · QUV Resistance · Heat Resistance · Impact Resistance · Humidity Resistance · Bend Test

Choose from stocked colours or our extended range

Available in 21 stocked colours, with an extended palette from the Tasman range.

Stocked colours

Hamptons White SA 0.27 | SRI 90	**Off White** SA 0.33 | SRI 81	**Montauk** SA 0.39 | SRI 74	**Basal** SA 0.69 | SRI 35	**Slate Grey** SA 0.71 | SRI 31	**Monolith** SA 0.73 | SRI 27	Scan to explore Essential range

Made-to-order colours

Island Sands SA 0.33 | SRI 82	**Tudor** SA 0.74 | SRI 27	**Hematite** SA 0.75 | SRI 25	**Billabong** SA 0.76 | SRI 24	**Dusty Coal** SA 0.72 | SRI 29	**Aged Copper** SA 0.70 | SRI 32	Scan to explore Tasman range

The colours, patterns and design shown are provided as a guide only. We strongly recommend comparing your choice with an actual steel sample as colour and textural variations may apply. Please check availability of your chosen colour with your supplier.

Global GreenTag Certification

UniCote® Select is independently certified to Global GreenTag^{CertTM} GreenRate Level A, providing architects and builders with greater confidence when selecting materials for projects with sustainability objectives.

UniCote® Select is also supported by a product-specific Environmental Product Declaration (EPD), providing transparent environmental performance data across the product lifecycle. Together, these credentials contribute to a Responsible Product Value (RPV) of 15 under the GBCA Responsible Products Framework and can support projects targeting Green Star outcomes.

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*Warranty guides shown for both perforation and paint are "up to" the stated number of years and do not represent a minimum term.

Data sheet

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Property	Test Method	Results
Adhesion		
Reverse Impact	AS/NZ 2728:2013 (App. E)	≥ 10 Joules
T-bend	AS/NZ 2728:2013 (App. F)	Maximum 6T
Specular Gloss		
60˚ meter	AS/NZS 1580.602.2 ASTM D523-14	Nominal 25 ± 10 units Matt Finish ± 3 units
Painted Film Hardness		
Pencil Hardness	AS/NZS 1580.405.1	HB or harder
Solvent Resistance	ASTM D5402-15	Exceeds 50 double rubs
Scratch Resistance	AS 2331.4.7	Needle carrying 1500g No marking evident
Resistance to Corrosion		
Salt spray (1000 hours)	AS/NZS 2728:2013, AS/NZS 1580.481.1.9 (Blisters) AS 1580.408.4 (Adhesion)	Blister density: ≤ 2 Blister size: ≤ 2 Undercut from score: ≤ 2mm No loss of adhesion No corrosion to base metal
Cyclic Corrosion Test (2000 hours)	AS/NZS 2728:2013 AS/NZS 1580.481.1.9 (Blisters) AS 1580.408.4 (Adhesion)	Blister density: ≤ 2 Blister size: ≤ 2 Undercut from score: ≤ 1mm No loss of adhesion No corrosion to base metal
Resistance to Humidity		
Cleveland (500 hours)	ASTM D4545 AS/NZS 1580.408.4 (Adhesion) AS/NZS 1580.481.1.9 (Blisters)	Blister density: ≤ 2 Blister size: ≤ 3 No loss of adhesion No corrosion to base metal
Resistance to Colour Change		
QUV (2000hrs)	ASTM G154 ASTM D2244 (Colour)	ΔE CIEDE2000 Intermediate colour ≤5 units
Resistance to Chalking		
QUV (2000hrs)	ASTM G154-16 & AS/NZS 1580.481.1.11:1998 (R2013) (Chalk Method B)	Chalk Rating ≤ 4 units
Resistance to Fire		
Exposure	AS/NZS 1530.3	Deemed non-combustible Ignitability Index: 0 Smoke Developed Index: 0-2

Please note: This data sheet does not warrant UniCote® for all purposes.

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