

# Advanced Antifouling Paint System of TAKATA QUANTUM

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Save the earth by reliable technologies "Made in Japan" !

Premium

KANSAI PAINT MARINE CO., LTD.

## Key Technologies of X-mile Premium System

The advent of the most advanced antifouling paint system which transcends TAKATA QUANTUM  $\chi$ -mile and provides further fuel saving for your fleet !

X-mile Premium system is a reliable and epoch-making antifouling paint system supported by several key technologies invented for further improving antifouling performance and reducing friction resistance on top of well-proven technologies of **TAKATA QUANTUM series** cultivated and advanced for over 20 years .



The key to maximize fuel saving by antifouling paint system is to maintain low surface roughness, excellent antifouling performance and stable physical property of paint film for a long term.



Service Period



Hull condition of chemical tanker coated with an "advanced antifouling paint " after 30months

Hull condition of LNG carrier coated with an "advanced antifouling paint" after 36 months

### **Succession of Technologies**



Since its launching in 1995, more than 7,000 vessels have been coated with TAKATA QUANTUM series worldwide. TAKATA QUANTUM  $\chi$ -mile launched in April, 2011, has been repeatedly applied to over 700 vessels and used by most quality-conscious customers who have priority over fuel saving and environmental issue with its effectiveness and excellent performance.



LNG Carrier (after 35 months)



Bulk Carrier (after 30 months)



LNG Carrier (after 17 months)



Coastal Freighter (after 31 months)



Car Carrier (after 25 months)



Container Carrier (after 32 months)



Bulk Carrier (after 31 months)



Coastal Ferry (after 12 months)

### **Further Evolution of Original Silyl Polymer**

Nano-technology has enabled silyl-methacrylate polymer incorporated in TAKATA QUANTUM  $\chi$ -*mile* to hydrolyze from initial stage of water immersion at more stable and efficient pace than ever by adding the function of optimizing water contact to its properties.

Stable antifouling performance from initial stage of water immersion and smooth release of slime layer grown in static condition

#### Reduction of friction resistance at start of voyage

#### Image of polymer evolution



Hull condition of coastal vessel applied with  $\mathcal{X}$ -mile Premium System after 10 months .

#### \* No visible slime attachment even under low operation ratio!



Shipowner comment : Fuel saving was improved at approx. 6%, which saved fuel cost by approx. US\$52,000 per year. (Vessel speed :12 - 13 knot, Operation ratio : 55%, Service period : 10 months )

### Micro-fining of Biocide (Cu<sub>2</sub>O)

Carefully selected small particle cuprous oxide and centralised production by latest highly efficient dispensing equipment are the keys to maximize the antifouling performance of biocide (Cu<sub>2</sub>O).

*Complete fremium* is formulated with small particle cuprous oxide. It has been carefully selected by its quality as the main biocide and processed by latest highly efficient dispensing equipment under strict quality control at centralised manufacturing facility in Japan to extract its antifouling efficiently.

Normal dispensing machine (image)







Normal dispensing process may not extract antifouling effect from normal cuprous oxide efficiently.



Inside of normal dispensing machine

Normal Cu<sub>2</sub>O



High performance dispensing machine (image)



Persistent adherence to high quality

Combination of small particle Cu<sub>2</sub>O and high performance dispensing machine can increase surface area of Cu<sub>2</sub>O and give full antifouling effect to its abilities.



Zirconia beads installed in inner casing

 Fining
 Increase of biocide's surface area

 Efficiency
 Early activation of biocide

 Antifoulng performance
 Improved effect just after immersion

 Effective to micro-fouling at static condition
 Improved effect just after immersion

Synergy with evoluted silyl polymer can maximize its antifouling performance

### **Newly Developed Low-friction Primer / Binder Coat**

The development of low-friction primer and binder coat has strengthened the effect of reducing friction resistance of paint system from initial stage of voyage in combination with  $\chi$ -mile Premium.

New Low-friction Epoxy Anticorrosive Primer :  $\chi$ -mile AC

New Low-friction Epoxy Binder Coat :  $\chi$ -mile Surfacer



Condition after applying X-mile AC & Surfacer (Reflecting wood block on paint film surface)

Surface Roughness of Paint System by 3D Graphics





Condition after applying 2nd coat of X-mile (AF)



Normal primer/binder coat + TAKATA QUANTUM





#### Hull condition of coastal vessel applied with low friction primer/binder coat after 12 months

#### \*Sound paint film condition as well as excellent antifouling performance







### Demonstration at Yokohama National University , Japan

At the experiments by Circulating Water Channel at Yokohama National University, further 3% reduction in frictional resistance by  $\chi$ -mile Premium System was proven in comparison with the system of normal primer/binder coat and TAKATA QUANTUM  $\chi$ -mile.







# $\chi$ -mile Premium System - Product Line Up

X-mile Premium has a wide range of products to meet various vessel operation patterns.

#### **Antifouling Paint**

Product Name	Color	Package	Туре
$\chi$ -mile Premium 101	Maroon , Brick	20kg • 16L	Ocean-going vessel, Slow erosion
$\chi$ -mile Premium <b>102</b>	Maroon , Brick	20kg • 16L	Ocean-going vessel, Moderate erosion
$\chi$ -mile Premium <b>103</b>	Maroon , Brick	20kg • 16L	Ocean-going vessel, Fast erosion
$\chi$ -mile Premium <b>105</b>	Maroon , Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel, Slow erosion
$\chi$ -mile Premium <b>106</b>	Maroon , Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel, Moderate erosion
$\chi$ -mile Premium <b>107</b>	Maroon , Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel, Fast erosion

#### Low-friction Primer / Binder Coat

Product Name	Color	Package	Туре
X-mile AC	Gray , Brown	20kg Set	Low-friction Anti-corrosive Primer
$\chi$ -mile Surfacer	Ochre	16kg Set ∙ 14 L Set	Low-friction Binder Coat

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