

A New Generation Silyl Antifouling Coatings



Ultimate Smoothness, Ultimate Fuel Saving

KANSAI PAINT MARINE CO., LTD.

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**TAKATA QUANTUM** and its series, based on silyl acrylate technology, have long been recognized as the best performing antifouling coating on the market. During the past 15 years more than 6000 vessels have been coated with our silyl acrylate technology.

Kansai Paint Marine, under our previous company title, was the first manufacturer of silyl acrylate TBT-free antifouling coatings. *TAKATA QUANTUM* has for years benefited our customers with its excellent long-term antifouling performance that ensures a smooth, hydrodynamic hull for fuel saving efficacy.

There is no doubt that **TAKATA QUANTUM** has become the benchmark antifouling amongst high-end performance products. Since this technology has proven by far the most effective, other coating manufacturers have recently launched their own silyl acrylate antifoulings, which they promote as their premium products. understand the advantages of the silyl acrylate polymer. However, there are some instances where a combination of application and environmental factors combine to cause cracks or flaking as the hydrolysing reaction occurs.

By maintaining outstanding antifouling performance whilst improving physical properties to prevent cracks or flaking, Kansai Paint Marine Coatings has taken agiainst step forward with the development of a new silyl methacrylate binder. Furthermore, rheological technology for better coating levelling/ flow-out that was originally developed by Kansai Paint for automotive coatings has been utilised for greater smoothness of the coating film immediately after application.

The optimised fuel saving of new generation silv methacrylate antifouling **TAKATA QUANTUM** X-mile is ready to be introduced.

**TAKATA QUANTUM**  $\chi$ -mile, with its improved fuel saving performance for reduced CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, "goes the extra mile to deliver an eco-smile".

As the leader in this technology, Kansai Paint Marine deeply

## Characteristics of TAKATA QUANTUM $\chi$ -mile :

- Having maintained the 'backbone' silyl technology of *TAKATA QUANTUM, X-mile* provides long- term, unrivalled antifouling performance.
- Introducing the next generation silvl polymer, silvl methacrylate, *X-mile* reinforces physical properties to remove negative factors for fuel saving such as cracks or flaking.
- 3) Utilising Kansai Paint Marine's unique rheological technology for smoothness during coating application, freshly applied *X-mile* has less frictional resistance for improved hull hydrodynamics and reduced fuel consumption immediately after undocking.
- Like *TAKATA QUANTUM, X-mile* can achieve a 60-month service life and possibly longer! Please contact Kansai Paint Marine formore information about extending service life beyond 60 months.
- Continuing in the environment-friendly direction, *X-mile* has a lower VOC (volatile organic compounds) content than *TAKATA QUANTUM*.

Power Increased in Start Dash

Rheology control helps reduce the initial roughness in application Optimised fuel saving immediately after out-docking

mile

Physical properties improved

The silyl methacrylate helps prevent cracks or flakings

Maintaining basic technology of TAKATA QUANTUM

Reliable Results of Long Term Antifouling Performance

## Zebra saves the earth!

Only the extreme surface of **TAKATA QUANTUM** is polished by the hydrolysis reaction. After long-term uniform erosion, a beautiful polishing pattern - the zebra pattern - appears. This pattern is a proof that **TAKATA QUANTUM's** self-activating hydrolysis property is working to prevent the build up of leach layer, keeping the hull smooth, clean and hydrodynamic. (Dry-up photo)

## TAKATA QUANTUM in-docking condition before washing

#### [Ocean-going vessel]



LNG

#### [Coastal vessel]



TANKER



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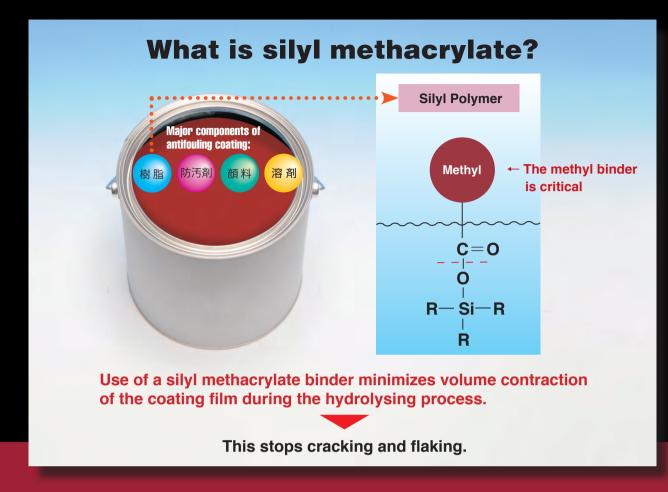






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## Next generation silyl polymer: silyl methacrylate



### **Physical properties of silyl antifouling products:**

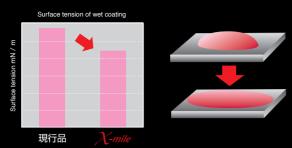
Accelerated testing for 22 months (equivalent to 60 months of actual ship operation)

当社製品		市場流通品	
シリルメタクリレート系	現行クォンタム (シリルアクリレート系)	シリルアクリレート系	銅/シリルアクリレート系
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**TAKATA QUANTUM** X-mile with silvl methacrylate technology brings ultimate fuel saving in the longterm, not only during one sailing period, but over repeated dry dockings for the duration of the coating life. This is only possible because of the consistently stable physical properties of the silvl methacrylate binder.

### **Increased Surface Smoothness by Rheology Control Technology**

#### Improved flow properties



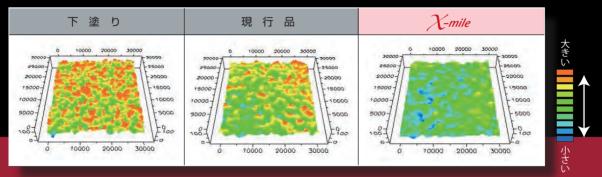
New rheology control technology contributes to increased surface smoothness during application

#### Surface condition in airless spray

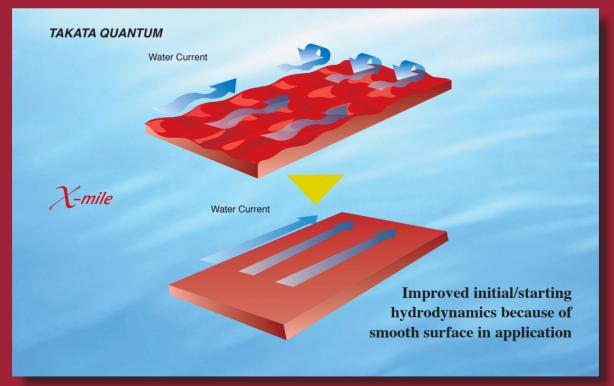


Minimised initial/starting surface roughness.

#### Comparison of surface roughness in airless spray



#### Minimized in-water frictional resistance



Transferring rheology control technology, originally developed by Kansai Paint for automotive coatings, to **TAKATA QUANTUM**, has improved smoothness of the paint film surface just after application. This contributes to optimised fuel saving.

# Maintaining the excellent antifouling performance of *TAKATA QUANTUM*

*X-mile* maintains the basic technology of *TAKATA QUANTUM*. Therefore, it provide excellent long-term protection from fouling.

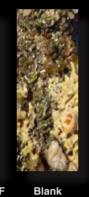
#### **Comparison in antifouling performance**

2) Erosion data

1) Static immersion for 11 months







Quantum

e A/F

Excellent performance at static condition: beneficial for vessels with prolonged stoppages

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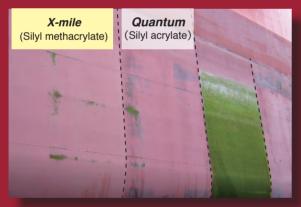
期 間

60M

Long lasting stable erosion: same or better than *TAKATA QUANTUM*. It enables *X-mile* to give longer service life

#### 3) Real world performance results:

[Ocean going vessel] Kind : LPG Saling Route : Japan—PG Dock Interval : 29 Months



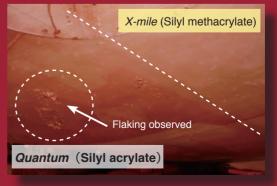
[Coastal vessel] Tanker 12months operation Whole vessel applied



Kind : LNG Saling Route : Japan—Brunei Dock Interval : 27 Months



**Tugboat 18months operation** 

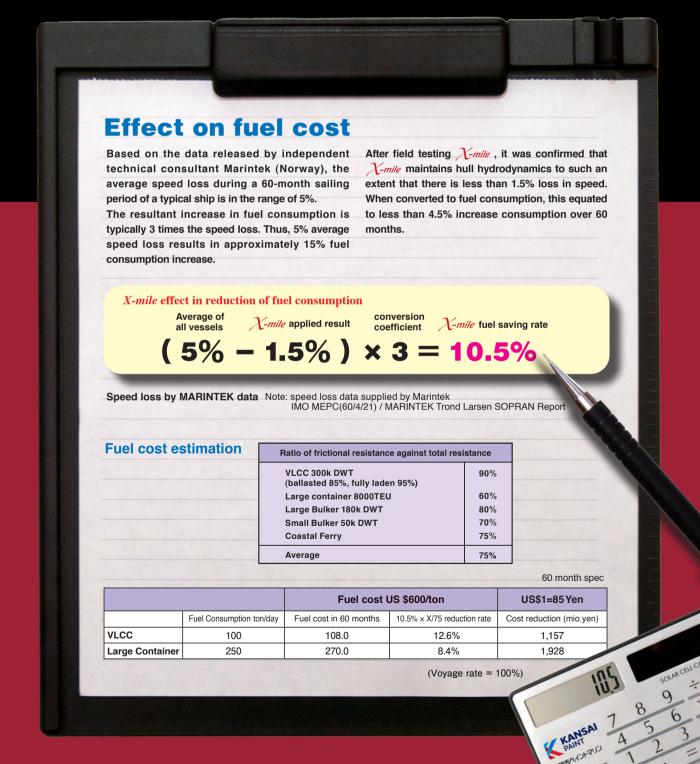


Excellent fouling protection and improved physical properties!

# QUANTUM X-mile Performance summary

Silyl Methacrylate		Silyl Acrylate	
1. Initial surface smoothness	$\chi$ -mile	better than	Takata Quantum
2. Physical properties	$\chi$ -mile	better than	Takata Quantum
3. Antifouling property	$\chi$ -mile	same or better than	Takata Quantum
4. Film erosion	$\chi$ -mile	same or better than	Takata Quantum
5. Eco-freidly	$\chi$ -mile	better than	Takata Quantum
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Correct application equipment and techniques are very important for X-mile to show its rheology control properties. Please refer to the *X-Mile* Application Management Guide.



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QÜÂNTUM X-mile	Product line up
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Product name	Color	Package	Туре
Takata Quantum $\mathcal{X}$ -mile 001	Maroon and Brick	20kg • 18L	Ocean-going Slow erosion
Takata Quantum $ \mathcal{X}$ -mile 002	Maroon and Brick	20kg • 18L	Ocean-going Moderate erosion
Takata Quantum $X$ -mile 003	Maroon and Brick	20kg • 18L	Ocean-going Fast erosion
Takata Quantum $\chi$ - <i>mile</i> 005	Maroon and Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel Slow erosion
Takata Quantum $ \mathcal{X}$ -mile 006	Maroon and Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel Moderate erosion
Takata Quantum $ \mathcal{X}$ -mile 007	Maroon and Brick	20kg	Coastal vessel Fast erosion

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