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**SHELF-LIFE and DATE OF MANUFACTURE**

Dear ITW Pro Brands Customer:

**Shelf-Life**

ITW Pro Brands defines **Shelf-Life** as the period of time, from the date of manufacture, that an *unopened* product is expected to remain fit for use and within its approved product specification while stored under defined conditions.

<b>Brand</b>	<b>Shelf Life*</b> (stored indoors in an unopened condition between 4°C (40°F) and 50°C (122°F))
<b>LPS</b>	<b>1 year</b> Cold Galvanize (bulk only) T-91 Heavy Duty Silicone Work Place Hand Cleaner Towels
	<b>3 years</b> Cold Galvanize aerosol Tri-Free aerosol EFX aerosol U-10 aerosol EVR aerosol Zero-Tri aerosol G-49 aerosol
	Anti-Spatter BFX Precision Clean FOODLUBE Sugar Dissolving Fluid Tapmatic® AquaCut Premium Leak Detector
	<b>5 years</b> All other aerosol products
	<b>10 years</b> All other bulk products
<b>Scrubs</b>	<b>3 years</b> 42201, 42906, 42908, 91401, 92101, 94901
	<b>2 years</b> 90985, 92991
	<b>1 year</b> All other products
<b>Dykem</b>	<b>2 years</b> All products
<b>Dymon</b>	<b>1 year</b> 08020, 18320, 23920, 34420
	<b>2 years</b> All other products
<b>Spray Nine</b>	<b>1 year</b> All products
<b>Rustlick</b>	<b>2 years</b> EDM-500, EDM-250, EDM-30, RTD, 606, 631
	<b>1 year</b> All other products
<b>Accu-lube</b>	<b>2 years</b> LB-1000, LB-1100, LB-6100, PowerStamp II, PowerStamp III, Synthetic, Synthetic II
	<b>3 years</b> All other products





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<b>Cedar/MetalMates</b>	<b>1 year</b> All products
<b>Atlantic Mills/ Sertun</b>	<b>Indefinite</b> All products
<b>Crystal/DiamondKote</b>	<b>Varies by product</b> Refer to COA

\* A **one year**-extension on shelf-life can be granted if a representative product from each lot number is provided for examination and the material is found to conform to all specifications. Shelf-life extension requests must be requested with ITW Pro Brands Customer Service prior to submitting material. Requestors will be responsible for all shipping costs for provided samples. No shelf life extensions will be provided for products more than one year beyond their original shelf life.

**Determining Date of Manufacture:**

<b>Brand</b>	<b>Date of Manufacture Codes</b>
<b>LPS</b>	<p>The date of manufacture for all <u>US-produced</u> LPS brand products is a five digit code ("YYDDD").</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The first two digits indicate the year in which the product was manufactured (eg. 17 = year 2017)</li> <li>The last three digits indicate the day of the year (1-366)</li> </ul> <p>For selected products that are manufactured in the UK (for EU consumption only), the lot code 66061D18 is translated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>66061 = internal sequential batch identifier</li> <li>D = month of manufacture (April)               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A = Jan, B = Feb, C = Mar, D = Apr, E = May, F = Jun, G = Jul, H = Aug, J = Sep, K = Oct, L = Nov, M = Dec. Note that the letter 'I' is not used.</li> </ul> </li> <li>18 = last two digits of the year (2018)</li> </ul>
<b>Scrubs</b>	<p>YYDDDXN is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>YY = last two digits of year</li> <li>DDD = Julian day (001-366)</li> <li>X = Manufacturing Line</li> <li>N = Batch of the day</li> </ul> <p><b>For items produced before January 1, 2021</b> B75071 is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B = production line</li> <li>750 = reverse order of Julian day (day 057, which is 02/26)</li> <li>7 = last digit of the year (2017)</li> <li>1 = first run of the day</li> </ul>
<b>Dykem</b>	<p>YYDDDN is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>YY = last two digits of year</li> <li>DDD = Julian day (001-366)</li> <li>N = Batch of the day</li> </ul> <p><b>For items produced before January 1, 2021</b> B75071 is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>B = production line</li> <li>750 = reverse order of Julian day (day 057, which is 02/26)</li> <li>7 = last digit of the year (2017)</li> <li>1 = first run of the day</li> </ul> <p><b>For Bulk and Tube Inks/Paints, Layout Fluids produced before January 1, 2016</b> 14H05D is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>14 = last two digits of the year (2014)</li> <li>H = month (A=Jan, B=Feb, etc.; skip letter I)</li> <li>05 = batch number in the month</li> <li>D = product line code</li> </ul>





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<p><b>Dymon</b></p>	<p>YYDDDN is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• YY = last two digits of year</li> <li>• DDD = Julian day (001-366)</li> <li>• N = Batch of the day (sometimes omitted)</li> </ul> <p><b>For items produced before January 1, 2021</b>          B75071 is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• B = production line</li> <li>• 750 = reverse order of Julian day (day 057, which is 02/26)</li> <li>• 7 = last digit of the year (2017)</li> <li>• 1 = first run of the day</li> </ul>
<p><b>Spray Nine</b></p>	<p>0JZ4247M is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0= Last digit of year (0 =2020)</li> <li>• J= Month of mfg. (A = Jan, B = Feb, C = Mar, D = Apr, E = May, F = Jun, G = Jul, H = Aug, I = Sep, J = Oct, K =Nov, L = Dec)</li> <li>• Z4247 is the internal ID #</li> <li>• M = facility</li> </ul> <p><b>For items produced before January 1, 2021</b>          7EX1012A09 is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 7= Last digit of year</li> <li>• E= Bulk mfg. date (A = Jan, B= Feb, etc.)</li> <li>• X = facility</li> <li>• 1012 is the lot# (internally assigned)</li> <li>• A = Shift</li> <li>• 09 = Day of month</li> </ul>
<p><b>Rustlick/ Accu-Lube</b></p>	<p>17H05A is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17 = last two digits of the year (2017)</li> <li>• H = month (A=Jan, B=Feb, etc.; skip letter I)</li> <li>• 05 = batch number in the month</li> <li>• A = product line code</li> </ul> <p>Where A = Accu-Lube and R = Rustlick</p>
<p><b>Cedar/ MetalMates</b></p>	<p>17H05A is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17 = last two digits of the year (2017)</li> <li>• H = month (A=Jan, B=Feb, etc.; skip letter I)</li> <li>• 05 = batch number in the month</li> <li>• A = product line code</li> </ul> <p>Where A = Accu-Lube and R = Rustlick</p>
<p><b>Crystal/ DiamondKote</b></p>	<p>YYDDDDXXX is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• YY = last two digits of year</li> <li>• DDD = Julian day (001-366)</li> <li>• XXX = last three digits of batch ticket number</li> </ul> <p><b>For items produced before January 1, 2021</b>          F34302C is translated as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• F = Product Line Code</li> <li>• 343= Julian day</li> <li>• 0 = last digit of the year (2020)</li> <li>• 2 = second batch of the day</li> <li>• C = third order filled from batch</li> </ul>

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