

PS	VALUE GUIDE		HARD PAINTS at 6 MONTHS							
	NAME	MAKER	SPECIALTY PAINT	COST PER GALLON	PRICE SOURCE	6-MONTH RATINGS		COPPER CONTENT	ANTI-SLIME AGENT	SEASON RATING
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Copper Pro SCX 67 Hard	Blue Water		\$185	ipaint.us	Good	Good	67%	Irgarol	Single	
Copper Shield 45 Hard	Blue Water		\$90	ipaint.us	Excellent	Good	45%		Single	
MarPro Superkote Gold	Blue Water		\$185	Donovan Marine's independent retailers	Excellent	Good	67%	Irgarol	Single	
MarPro SuperKote	Blue Water		\$90		Excellent	Excellent	45%		Single	
EP 2000	Epaint	Water-based, race paint, aluminum safe	\$249	epaint.com	Fair	Fair	None	Zinc Pyrithione	Single	
Sunwave Photo Active Release	Epaint		\$125	epaint.com	Fair	Fair	None		Single	
ZO-HP	Epaint	Race, aluminum safe	\$249	epaint.com	Fair	Fair	None	Zinc Pyrithione	Single	
California Bottomkote	Interlux		\$170*	California boatyards	Fair	Fair	35%		Single	
Epoxycop	Interlux		\$97	shipstore.com	Good	Fair	41%		Single	
Fiberglass Bottomkote	Interlux		\$124	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Fair	43%	Irgarol	Multi	
Fiberglass Bottomkote Aqua	Interlux	Water-based	\$151	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Fair	47%		Multi	
Regatta Baltoplate Racing	Interlux	Race paint	\$235	defender.com	Good	Fair	45%		Multi	
Ultra	Interlux		\$220	defender.com	Good	Fair	67%	Irgarol	Multi	
Ultra-Kote	Interlux		\$172	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Fair	67%		Single	
VC 17m	Interlux	Fresh water, race	\$48/qt.	ca.binnacle.com	Poor	Fair	20%		Single	
VC 17m Extra	Interlux	Fresh water, race	\$51/qt.	jamestowndistributors.com	Poor	Fair	20%	Irgarol	Single	
VC Offshore	Interlux	Race paint	\$71/qt	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Fair	41%		Single	
Copper-Guard	Pettit		\$85	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Good	46%		Single	
Super Premium	Pettit		\$187	jamestowndistributors.com	Fair	Fair	66%		Multi	
Trinidad	Pettit		\$200	shipstore.com	Good	Fair	76%		Multi	
Trinidad 75	Pettit		\$204	jamestowndistributors.com	Fair	Fair	76%		Single	
Trinidad Pro	Pettit		\$274	jamestowndistributors.com	Good	Fair	70%	Irgarol	Multi	
Trinidad SR	Pettit		\$225	defender.com	Good	Fair	70%	Irgarol	Multi	
Unepoxy	Pettit		\$75	defender.com	Poor	Poor	41%		Single	
Unepoxy LD (WM Bottomshield*)	Pettit		\$100	westmarine.com	Good	Fair	29%		Single	
Unepoxy Plus	Pettit		\$125	defender.com	Good	Fair	56%		Multi	
Vivid	Pettit		\$173	defender.com	Good	Fair	25%	Zinc Omadine	Multi	
Vivid Caribe	Pettit		\$180	Caribbean retailers	Good	Fair	22%	Zinc Omadine	Multi	
Sharkskin	Sea Hawk		\$108	Sea Hawk	Good	Good	45%		Single	
Tropikote	Sea Hawk		\$175	Sea Hawk	Good	Fair	76%		Single	
Tropikote Biocide Plus	Sea Hawk		\$190	Sea Hawk	Fair	Fair	74%	Irgarol	Multi	
Recommended Best Choice Budget Buy 18-month Finalist					* Pettit paints rebranded for West Marine.					