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PETTIT INTRODUCES EASY-POUR LIDS FOR HYDROCOAT, HYDROCOAT ECO AND NEPTUNE HRT

New gallon-can packaging helps reduce drips, simplify resealing and minimize wasted paint

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Pettit® is introducing an easy-pour lid system on gallon cans of Hydrocoat®, Hydrocoat® ECO and Neptune HRT®. The new design features a removable center cap and compatible reusable pour spout to help boatyards and boat owners dispense paint with greater control and less mess.



To use the system, customers twist off the center cap, thread on the P4000 spout and pour into a tray or bucket. When finished, they remove the spout and reinstall the cap. This helps reduce drips, keeps the sealing area cleaner and makes it easier to preserve leftover paint.

"Sometimes the best innovations happen outside the can," said Tom Maellaro, Vice President of Commercial Innovation at Modern Recreational Technologies, Inc. "Cleaner pours, better control and easier resealing are practical improvements our customers can appreciate on every job."

SMARTER PACKAGING, PROVEN CONVENIENCE

Already in commercial use for approximately five years at major big-box hardware retailers, the lid-and-spout design brings established convenience to marine antifouling coatings.

AVAILABILITY AND ORDERING

Production with the new lids begins in November, and updated gallon cans are expected to reach distributors December 1, 2026. The lids will become standard on Hydrocoat, Hydrocoat ECO and Neptune HRT moving forward.

The reusable P4000 pour spout is sold separately through distribution and retail.

ABOUT PETTIT

Pettit is a leading manufacturer of high-performance marine coatings, including antifouling paints, topside finishes, primers, varnishes and specialty surface-preparation products. Pettit provides superior marine-grade finishing products for boat owners, retailers, boatyards and professional applicators. Learn more at pettitpaint.com.

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